

Regulated Care Sector STP Workstream

Programme Briefing and Key Messages

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Welcome to the latest edition of the Regulated Care Sector STP Workstream Programme briefing which aims to keep stakeholders informed and up to date about the work of this group and other items relevant to this sector. Please look at our website for further information <http://www.healthierlsc.co.uk/regulated-care-sector>

Blackpool and Fylde Coast Health and Social Care Career Academy

Education and health and social care industry partners have come together to launch a ground-breaking new career academy. The strategic partnership brings together extensive industry expertise, led by NHS Blackpool Teaching Hospitals Foundation Trust, Blackpool Council and Blackpool and The Fylde College (B&FC). Programmes have been co-created by health and social care providers and educationalists to deliver the exact skills needed for new professionals or current staff wishing to advance their career. The academy offers learning opportunities from short professional development courses and career taster sessions through to degrees and Master's degrees. Apprenticeship opportunities are also available with employers. As an employer-led academy, programmes will also provide students with unparalleled work placements as part of their education.

Medicines Optimisation in Care Homes

The Regulated Care Sector Quality workstream will be hosting a medicines management workshop to share best practice in care homes across Lancashire and South Cumbria STP on 6th June 2018. The Medicines Optimisation in Care Homes (MOCH) Pharmacy Integration programme will be a key feature in the workshop with the Keynote speaker, Wasim Baqir, National Pharmacy Lead for Care Homes presenting an overview and intended impact. Other speakers include national and regional leads for NICE and CQC.

General Data Protection Regulation

The European General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) will come into force on **May 25th 2018**. It will change how businesses and public sector organisations can handle the information of customers. The following guidance has been released by Care Providers Alliance:

<https://www.careprovideralliance.org.uk/information-governance.html>.

The Information Commissioners Office (ICO) has launched a new helpline aimed at SMEs and charities to advise how to be GDPR compliant, call 0303 123 1113 and select option 4.

Skills for Care have published a short briefing for employers on the implications of GDPR and will continue to update the Digital working, learning and information sharing pages over the coming months:

<https://www.skillsforcare.org.uk/Topics/Digital-skills/Digital-working.aspx>

Finance & Contracts Workstream

The current fee rates for residential, nursing & domiciliary care and Continuing Healthcare have been collated along with methodologies for calculation of rates for the LSC footprint & provider representatives have been invited onto the workstream to assist in future market shaping.

Following the publishing of the NWADASS data colleagues across the STP have attended predictive modelling training.



End of life Care Network meeting

An End of Life Care network meeting is being planned for 11th May 18 with a view to gaining an understanding of work to date across L&SC including training taking place, data around place of death, number of emergency conveyances from care homes to hospital; to determine the scope and content of the project for L&SC and how that should be managed. The event is aimed at all end of life care networks across the STP, please get in touch with Annlouise Stephens for more details annlouisestephens@nhs.net.

Lessons from leaders for leaders - transforming your care business using digital technology

Technology is powerful. It can help relatives and family feel more involved and in control of the care of their loved ones, give care workers more time to spend with residents, provide safer care and help the delivery of care become more transparent.

We've visited and filmed three different care businesses who've embarked on the journey to invest in technology in very different ways – and we want to share these journeys with you. Hosted by Skills for Care and co-hosted by the teams who've been instrumental in these changes, three webinars have been set up. Join us and be inspired.

Domiciliary care – Thursday 26 April, 12:30 to 13:30

[Preview](#) / [Find out more and book](#)

Nursing care – Friday 27 April – 14:30 to 15:30

[Preview](#) / [Find out more and book](#)

Residential care – Friday 11 May 14:30 – 15:30

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Participants will have an opportunity to ask questions and find out how they managed the change and overcame barriers to implementation.

Question and Queries

This briefing is for use within your own organisation and across your local system, for discussion and information. Please feel free to include it on meeting agendas and circulation lists as you see fit.

If you have any questions or queries please contact e.williams18@nhs.net and we will endeavour to respond as soon as is practicable.

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