



ICP Key Messages

Meeting	Urgent and Emergency Care System Delivery Board
Meeting Date	15 December 2020
Key Decisions and Actions	<p>15 December 2020</p> <p><u>Covid Command and Control</u> The Board recognised the monumental efforts undertaken across the system to mobilise the vaccination programme and the administration of the vaccine at LTHTR to care home staff, over 80's and vulnerable staff. The Board was pleased to note that the vaccination programme had gone live in two primary care networks.</p> <p><u>Chorley ED Update</u> The department continued to be open safely, with issues reported daily. There had been no major issues other than instances of agency staff not reporting for shifts and these had been covered by substantive staff. New staff were expected in post over December and January, however, the department would not be back to 12 hours per day until February when all substantive staff were in post.</p> <p><u>Progress of Urgent Care winter plan</u> A Key risk in relation to therapy capacity and home first was raised and discussed. The Board reflected on the current issues in the system and actions were agreed to try and understand the issues affecting home first.</p> <p><u>Discharge and Flow Task and Finish Group Update</u> The Board reflected on the pressures in the system in particular discharge and flow and actions were agreed to look at how senior teams could provide support to ED and also look at the potential for additional support from a therapist or community nurse in ED to assess patients and signpost to alternative services as appropriate.</p> <p><u>Mental health dashboard</u> The Board was pleased to note that the inclusion of mental health services to NHS 111 First was expected to be in place by spring next year.</p> <p><u>Community services update</u> The Board held further discussions regarding the challenges in community services.</p>

	<p>It was noted that LSCFT had been appointed the ICS lead for long Covid and work was underway to finalise the model, develop an e-referral form, organise how screening and triage were going to take place and how to coordinate an MDT approach for complex patients.</p> <p><u>Ambulance wait times</u></p> <p>The Board acknowledged concerns around increases in ambulance wait times.</p> <p>The Board expressed their thanks to everyone in the system for their continuing hard work in these challenging times and acknowledged the huge efforts undertaken by staff in all organisations.</p>
Matters for Escalation (and where to)	
Completed and Signed off by	<p>Karen Partington Senior Responsible Officer and Chair</p>