

Year End Feedback on the Better Care Fund in 2016-17

Selected Health and Well Being Board:

Bury

Part 1: Delivery of the Better Care Fund

Please use the below form to indicate what extent you agree with the following statements and then detail any further supporting information in the corresponding comment boxes.

Statement:	Response:	Comments: Please detail any further supporting information for each response
1. The overall delivery of the BCF has improved joint working between health and social care in our locality	Agree	The overall delivery of BCF has created an environment within which the local Health and Social Care economy has been enabled to explore more integrated ways of working which are beyond previous ambitions. We are in the process of creating One Commissioning Organisation which brings together the Health and Social Care commissioning elements of the Council and CCG in to a single entity which will be fully functional from 1st April 2018. We have a functioning Local
2. Our BCF schemes were implemented as planned in 2016/17	Neither agree nor disagree	We have continued to progress delivery
3. The delivery of our BCF plan in 2016/17 had a positive impact on the integration of health and social care in our locality	Agree	See (1)
4. The delivery of our BCF plan in 2016/17 has contributed positively to managing the levels of Non-Elective Admissions	Agree	This has continued to pose a significant challenge within Bury, similarly to other areas.
5. The delivery of our BCF plan in 2016/17 has contributed positively to managing the levels of Delayed Transfers of Care	Neither agree nor disagree	DTACS have increased in Bury over the past 12 months, but we believe that this is a national trend and that our local approach has stemmed the deterioration.
6. The delivery of our BCF plan in 2016/17 has contributed positively to managing the proportion of older people (aged 65 and over) who were still at home 91 days after discharge from hospital into reablement/rehabilitation services	Agree	Performance in relation to this ambition is on target
7. The delivery of our BCF plan in 2016/17 has contributed positively to managing the rate of residential and nursing care home admissions for older people (aged 65 and over)	Neither agree nor disagree	This figure has increased, but we believe that is as a result of a change to recording methodology which we are exploring further.

Part 2: Successes and Challenges

Please use the below forms to detail up to 3 of your greatest successes, up to 3 of your greatest challenges and then categorise each success/challenge appropriately

8. What have been your greatest successes in delivering your BCF plan for 2016-17?	Response - Please detail your greatest successes	Response category:
Success 1	Establishment of strong partnership working arrangement across and between commissioners and providers, including the appointment of a joint Director working across Community Health Service and Adult Social Care, and a Programme Director working on transformational change who is jointly employed by the Council and CCG, and working across the wider system.	3. Collaborative working relationships
Success 2	Creation of a single shared strategy for Health and Social Care transformation in the form of a refreshed Bury Locality Plan	1. Shared vision and commitment
Success 3	Establishment of integrated governance and leadership across our provider and commissioner landscape	2. Shared leadership and governance

9. What have been your greatest challenges in delivering your BCF plan for 2016-17?	Response - Please detail your greatest challenges	Response category:
Challenge 1	Establishing system-wide approaches to mobilising IMT, BI and Data Analytics as an enabler of change remains a challenge both in Bury, and across the wider GM landscape.	7. Digital interoperability and sharing data
Challenge 2	To date, limited progress has been made on joint contracts as our OCO is not yet fully formed, and our LCO is an Alliance governed by MOU rather than a new organisational form in it's own right.	8. Joint contracts and payment mechanisms
Challenge 3	It is challenging to measure the impact of greater integration in a way that goes beyond qualitative assessment.	5. Evidencing impact and measuring success

Footnotes:

Question 11 and 12 are free text responses, but should be assigned to one of the following categories (as used for previous BCF surveys):

1. Shared vision and commitment
2. Shared leadership and governance
3. Collaborative working relationships
4. Integrated workforce planning
5. Evidencing impact and measuring success
6. Delivering services across interfaces
7. Digital interoperability and sharing data
8. Joint contracts and payment mechanisms
9. Sharing risks and benefits
10. Managing change
- Other