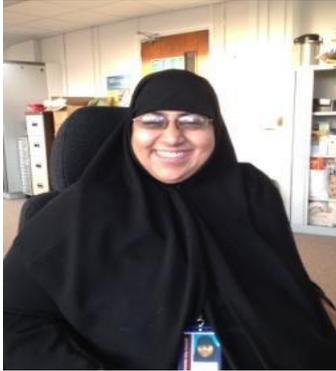


About this presentation.



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Purpose of the presentation

- To talk about the **Transforming Care** and **Better Care Together Programmes**
- To tell the board about our plans for Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland
- To ask the Board if it agrees with the big ideas for learning disabilities
- To ask the Board if they have any other ideas

Transforming Care

(a national plan for changing services in England)



**Rutland Learning Disability Partnership Board
February 2016**

What is Transforming Care about?



PANORAMA



- In 2012, a TV programme showed people with learning disabilities being very badly treated at Winterbourne View Hospital
- This is called abuse. Abuse is wrong. No-one should be abused.
- An investigation took place and some staff went to prison and hospital was closed down.
- The Government set up the Winterbourne View Improvement Programme to make sure these bad things did not happen again. This is now called the Transforming Care Programme.

What the Government said



Winterbourne View:

- ✗ Not person centred
- ✗ People living too far from home
- ✗ No outcomes
- ✗ Expensive care
- ✗ Institutional
- ✗ Poor communication between agencies



Government policy:

- ✓ Person centred
- ✓ Local care
- ✓ Outcomes are important
- ✓ Value for money
- ✓ In the community
- ✓ Joint working between all partners

People should be able to get support close to home and only go to hospital when they really need to.

People who should not have been put in a hospital must be moved back into the community.

People must be safe if they do need to be treated in hospital.

Nobody should be in a hospital longer than they need to be there.

What the Government said



- Health and Social care must work together and know how many people with learning disabilities are in a hospital or treatment unit and why they are there.
- They want to support people in their homes and close some hospitals or treatment units. Those hospitals that stay open should have less beds than they do now.
- The work is taking longer than the Government would like it to, so they have asked areas across the country to set up Transforming Care Partnerships to make it happen.

What we are doing in our area?



- Our Better Care Together Learning Disability Steering Group has become the Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland Transforming Care Partnership.
- We have written a plan to show how we will make things happen.
- The plan is similar to the Better Care Together plan that we have been working on for the last 2 years.
- The plan is about people with a learning disability, people with autism and people with a mental health problem



What the plan says?



- Who from our area is in a specialist hospital.
- How people with behaviours that challenge are supported at the moment
- How we will change the way that people with behaviours that challenge are supported.
- What services we will change and how we will do that.
- How we will plan and buy new services to offer better support that is closer to peoples families.

Our big ideas



1. From April 2016, the Outreach Team that supports people with behaviours that challenge in the community will be bigger and work 7 days a week instead of 5 days.

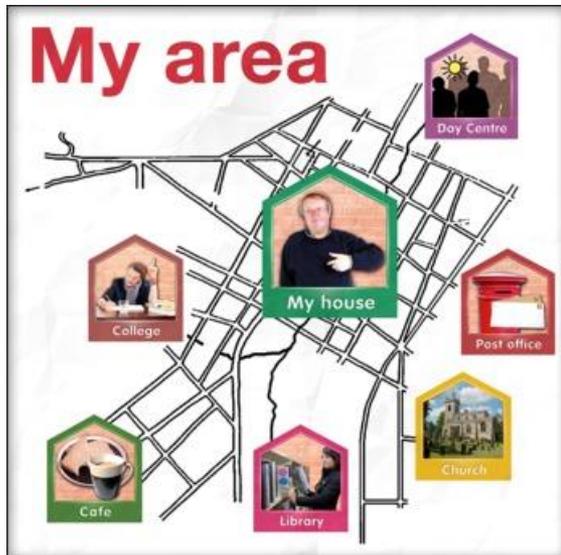


- This means more people will get the support they need at home, in the community or if they are leaving hospital.
- This will help us to close some of the hospital beds at the Agnes Unit.



- Children's mental health services will develop a similar service to help young people stay in the community

Our big ideas



2. We will work with providers to develop services that can offer people support and a place to stay when they leave hospital. This will help them as they get used to living in the community again.

- The providers will also be able to support people who might be at risk of going into hospital as way of trying to keep them in the community.
- This is called a Step Through Service.

Our big ideas



3. We will offer better support, advice and information to carers to help them do the things they want to do and to carry on caring for their loved ones at home if they want to .



- We will listen to carers and involve them more in planning local services.
- The short break services (respite) we offer will be improved so there is more choice and the services are affordable through people's Personal Budgets.
- This work will start in 2017.



Our other ideas



- More people will be supported to use personal budgets
- The Specialist Autism Service will be bigger and provide more ongoing support.
- Health facilitators will work with community groups to help people understand more about their health needs and how to look after their health.
- Together with people with learning disabilities, families and providers, we will think about and plan the type of services and support needed now and in the future.
- People will have access to local services and will only move out of the area if they really need to.
- We will work with all services in the community to provide opportunities for people with learning disabilities
- We will work with children's service to get a better understanding of young peoples needs as they become adults and to stop young people going into hospital.

What happens next



- NHS England will check our plans and tell us what is good and what more we need to do
- We will set up a service user and carers group to help us make changes to our plan.
- The final plan with any changes will go back to NHS England in April.
- We will work with people with learning disabilities, carers and providers to use the money we spend better to improve people's lives.
- We will work in partnership to start to do the things we have said we will do in our plan.