

**Report title: Joined up Hospital Services in Kirklees**

<b>Meeting</b>	<b>Health and Adults Social Care Scrutiny Panel</b>
<b>Date</b>	<b>21<sup>st</sup> August 2024</b>
<b>Cabinet Member</b> (if applicable)	<b>Councillor Beverly Addy</b>
<b>Key Decision Eligible for Call In</b>	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>Purpose of Report:</b> To provide members of the Health and Adults Social Care Scrutiny Panel with a brief update on joined up hospital services in Kirklees.	
<b>Recommendations</b> That the Panel considers the information provided and determines if any further information or action is required.	
<b>Reasons for Recommendations</b> To ensure that the Panel are content with the collaboration and partnership working between Calderdale and Huddersfield NHS Foundation Trust and Mid Yorkshire Teaching NHS Trust	
<b>Resource Implication:</b> Not applicable	
<b>Date signed off by <u>Executive Director</u> &amp; name</b>  <b>Is it also signed off by the Service Director for Finance?</b>  <b>Is it also signed off by the Service Director for Legal Governance and Commissioning?</b>	The report has been produced to support the discussion with Calderdale and Huddersfield NHS Foundation Trust and Mid Yorkshire Teaching NHS Trust.

**Electoral wards affected:** None Specific

**Ward councillors consulted:** Not Applicable

**Public or private:** Public

**Has GDPR been considered?** Yes. The report does not include any personal data that identifies an individual.

**1. Executive Summary**

- The work of the Health and Adults Social Care Panel includes a focus on the two hospitals within Kirklees which are Calderdale and Huddersfield NHS Foundation Trust and Mid Yorkshire Teaching NHS Trust.
- The two trusts have a long track record of working together and in 2022 the trusts decided to form a joint partnership board to formalise the arrangement, and to have a more strategic outlook on what could be achieved together.
- In 2023, the two executive teams reflected on the successes and strengths of joint working and developed a high-level three year forward plan.
- Current joint work areas include non-surgical oncology, community diagnostic centres, a strategic maternity partnership, shared leadership on digital services and a joint pharmacy model as part of a wider West Yorkshire Association of Acute Trusts.
- Future improvements have been identified, spotting future opportunities for collaboration by developing a more detailed forward plan and sharing best practices with joint partners.

**2. Information required to take a decision**

Not Applicable

**3. Implications for the Council**

Not Applicable

**3.1 Council Plan**

No specific implications

**3.2 Financial Implications**

No specific implications

**3.3 Legal Implications**

No specific implications

**3.3 Other (e.g. Risk, Integrated Impact Assessment or Human Resources)**

No Specific implications

**Integrated Impact Assessment (IIA)**

Not Applicable

**4 Consultation**

Not Applicable

**5 Engagement**

Not Applicable

**6 Options**

Not Applicable

**6.1 Options Considered**

Not Applicable

**6.2 Reasons for recommended Option**

Not Applicable

**7 Next steps and timelines**

That the Health and Adults Social Care Scrutiny Panel takes account of the information presented and considers the next steps it wishes to take.

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**9 Background Papers and History of Decisions**

Not Applicable

**10 Appendices**

Attached

**11 Service Director responsible**

Samantha Lawton – Service Director, Legal Governance and Commissioning.