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Report title	Update on Commissioning of Primary Care Services – Expression of Interest from BaNES CCG to Co-Commission with NHS England
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Background papers	Press Release on 1 st May 2014
Summary	 On 1st May 2014, the Chief Executive of NHS England announced plans to allow CCGs to develop new models for co-commissioning of primary care services. The proposal was intended to bring a number of benefits including: - Bringing a holistic approach to the commissioning of services for local populations Achieve greater integration of health and care services and particularly out of hospital care Raising standards of quality within general practice services Enhancing public and patient involvement in developing local services To contribute to the agenda of tackling inequalities All CCGs were invited to submit an Expression of Interest (EOI) by the 20th June 2014 with EOIs based on individual CCG preferences. Following local discussions with NHS England it was agreed there were 3 options for CCGs i) to influence, ii) to jointly commission or iii) to have delegated responsibility. BaNES CCG submitted an EOI to jointly commission primary care services with NHSE. The attached paper sets out the CCG's submission. 183 EOIs were submitted from 211 CCGs.

	and governance process will vary according to which of the 3 categories of commissioning CCGs wish to undertake.
Recommendations	 The Board is asked to: Note that the CCG has submitted an Expression of Interest to be a Co-Commissioner of Primary Care Services Consider the opportunities that this presents for delivery of the Health and Wellbeing Board's agenda
Rationale for recommendations	The impact of co-commissioning of primary care commissioning has the potential to be significant for the delivery of the H&WBD's strategic priorities and should enable greater co-ordination of service planning.
Resource implications	CCGs are being asked to manage the impact of supporting the co- commissioning of primary care services within the existing running costs budget. This is challenging for a CCG the size of B&NES and in the context of a requirement to reduce its running costs budget by 10% in 2015/16.
Statutory considerations and basis for proposal	Appropriate frameworks will need to be developed for these new arrangements.
Consultation	The Expression of Interest Proposal sets out in section G the engagement with stakeholders that the CCG undertook in the period leading up to the submission on the 20 th June 2014.
Risk management	A risk assessment related to the issue and recommendations has been undertaken, in compliance with the CCGs and Council's decision-making risk management guidance.

THE REPORT

1.1 Please see attached – Banes CCG Expression of Interest to Co-Commission Primary Care Services.

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