

Scope of Joint Working Arrangement

1. Adult Services

The strategic planning, commissioning, performance management and procurement of health, social care and housing services for adults, including the across the following range of services:

- Health services for the whole population including acute care, primary health care and other community services
- Older people services
- Mental health services for adults of working age
- Services for adults with physical and sensory impairments
- Services for adults with learning difficulties
- Strategic housing services for the whole population including Supporting People Services

2. Children Services

The strategic planning, commissioning, performance management and procurement of strategic education, health, and social care services for children, across the following range of services:

- Early Years, Schools, inclusion support and extended services
- Health services for children including acute services and therapy services
- Mental health services for children
- Social care services for children and families
- Youth services

3. Public Health

Assessing the health needs of the local population; strategic planning, commissioning and procurement of services which will help to promote the health and well-being of the population and reduce health inequalities including:

- Services and initiatives to deliver priority health improvement objectives
- Drugs and alcohol services through the Responsible Authorities Group's pooled budget
- A range of health improvement services in partnership with other services and agencies