Ashford Health & Wellbeing Board (AHWB)

Partner Quarterly Update for the Clinical Commissioning Group – Quarter 4: January to March 2015

| What's going on in our world | Local Referral Unit now operational giving alternative pathways to A&E attendances and admissions |
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| | 7 Day working in Ashford Rural Network has continued to offer in excess of 200 additional appointments per month as alternative to A&E attendances. |
| | During winter months we have also offered similar service across Ashford town as part of national approach to reducing winter pressures of hospital A&E depts. |
| | Currently awaiting outcome of PM Challenge Fund bid for extended 7 day working |
| | Refresh of Annual Operating Plan for 2015-16 being written. |
| Success stories since last AHWB | Achieving IAPT national recovery rate |
| | Winter surge funding has reduced attendances and admissions through A&E |
| | Increased care plans, through IT system, available to all health providers |
| | Dementia diagnosis rate increased to over 50% but currently behind planned trajectory |
| | Whilst underachieving against national target for A&E waiting times, remained the only health economy in Kent to achieve zero-breach of 12-hour target |
| What we are focusing on for the next quarter specific to the key projects | Continued development of community network over winter period to test model assumptions |
| | Implementing revised specification for Westview to support creating of capacity for GP beds and non-weight bearing patients |
| Anything else relevant to AHWB priorities NOT mentioned above | |
| Strategic challenges & risks including horizon scanning? | Ensuring that implementation of community networks is balanced with current demands of capacity |
| Any thing else the Board needs to know | |

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