

Meeting of South Ayrshire Health and Social Care Partnership	Strategic Planning Advisory Group	
Held on:	25th June 2024	
Agenda Item:	5	
Title:	Caring for Ayrshire in South Ayrshire	
Summary:		
This paper summarises the Caring for Ayrshire programme across Ayrshire and the South Ayrshire HSCP related activity.		
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Recommendations:		
SPAG members are asked to note the report.		
Route to meeting:		
Directions:		
1. No Directions Required	<input type="checkbox"/>	
2. Directions to NHS Ayrshire & Arran	<input type="checkbox"/>	
3. Directions to South Ayrshire Council	<input type="checkbox"/>	
4. Directions to both SAC & NHS	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Implications:		
	Financial	<input type="checkbox"/>
	HR	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Legal	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Equalities	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Sustainability	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Policy	<input type="checkbox"/>
	ICT	<input type="checkbox"/>

CARING FOR AYRSHIRE IN SOUTH AYRSHIRE

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

This paper summarises the Caring for Ayrshire Programme across Ayrshire and the South Ayrshire HSCP related activity.

2. RECOMMENDATION

SPAG Members are asked to note the contents of this paper.

3. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

3.1 Caring for Ayrshire is the overarching Ayrshire and Arran reform programme.

3.2 Whilst the original context for Caring for Ayrshire has changed in relation to significant planned capital investment, there is ongoing work led by the Caring for Ayrshire Programme Management Officer (PEO) that related to potential reform of the clinical and care models that support people in Ayrshire and Arran.

4. REPORT

4.1 The PMO supported by the Caring for Ayrshire Professional Advisory Group, identified a number of key priority themes to begin to consider collectively and with a view to identifying high impact changes that could then be developed.

4.2 The issues identified were Diabetes (Type 2), Respiratory (COPD), Frailty, Rehabilitation and Palliative and End of Life.

4.3 In late 2023 (and into early 2024) a series of workshops took place facilitated by Buchan and Associates (Health Care Planners) on each of these issues (usually at least 2 half day workshops per theme) and attended by a wider range of acute and HSCP staff.

4.4 The parameters set for these workshops were to identify priority and high impact activities that could take place without additional investment.

4.5 The outputs for each of the themes were then considered by the Professional Advisory Group with the view to 'leads' being identified for the actions and the beginnings of an Ayrshire programme.

4.6 In South Ayrshire, a workshop took place in March to consider these identified actions within a South Ayrshire context in order to come to a common understanding of our collective response at a South Ayrshire level, notwithstanding any Ayrshire work.

The purpose of this workshop was:

- To get a better overall collective understanding of the outputs and priorities identified from all of the thematic work.
- Identify our overall response to these priorities.
- Identify areas where the SA HSCP plans can contribute to these Ayrshire-wide priorities.
- Identify areas of overlap and inter-dependencies.
- Begin to shape our own idea of the C for A priorities and how we play into Ayrshire-wide work.
- Begin to prioritise key areas of improvement (and potential short-term investment) from a South Ayrshire perspective.
- Understand local opportunities (for example, within localities) but with an understanding of the strategic needs of our population.
- Identify key leads that might progress work and feed into the next iteration of the C for A programme.

4.7 Appendix A sets out the key areas identified for South and includes those areas thought to be better progressed at an Ayrshire level – for example, much of the Diabetes work.

4.8 It should be noted that some of the areas identified at an Ayrshire level were already well progressed within the South HSCP. An example would be our Frailty work where the other 2 HCPs identified key actions that really replicated what we already have in South e.g., Ahead of the Curve Team.

4.9 The existing Driving Change Meeting will act as a reporting body in relation to these key priority actions.

4.10 It should also be noted that there are also other key clinical issues that were not included within the Caring for Ayrshire programme but that might be priorities for either South Ayrshire as a whole, or as priorities within the localities, for example, Coronary Heart Disease, Asthma and other Long-Term Conditions.

5. STRATEGIC CONTEXT

5.1 We work together to give you the right care in the right place.

6. IMPLICATIONS

6.1 Financial Implications

6.1.1 No implications

6.2 Human Resource Implications

6.2.1 No implications

6.3 Legal Implications

6.3.1 N/A

6.4 Equalities implications

6.4.1 N/A

6.5 Sustainability implications

6.5.1 No implications

6.6 Clinical/professional assessment

6.6.1 No assessment needed

7. CONSULTATION AND PARTNERSHIP WORKING

N/A

8. RISK ASSESSMENT

N/A

APPENDICES

Appendix 1 – Caring for Ayrshire in South Ayrshire

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