Refreshing the Strategic Plan for Adults in Moray

The background
Health and Social Care Moray are committed to shifting the balance of care and changing the way services are delivered, with greater emphasis on supporting people in their own homes and communities and less inappropriate use of hospitals and care homes. The strategic plan 2016-19 set out the plans for carrying out the integrated functions, and how these arrangements are intended to meet the changing needs of adult population. There is a requirement to review the strategic plan every three years as a minimum.

A programme of work to review the strategic plan has been developed by the established Strategic Planning and Commissioning Group on behalf of the Integrated Joint Board (IJB). Strategic commissioning is crucially about establishing a mature relationship between different partners from across the public, third and independent sectors in a way which will help to achieve the best services for the population. This wider commissioning partnership will work together to refresh the Strategy for all adults in Moray to ensure better integrated care becomes a reality, and well-co-ordinated care that is timely and appropriate to people’s needs is planned and delivered in response to the needs and expectations of Moray’s population.

Who will be involved?
The Strategic Planning Commissioning Group includes members with a balance of skills, knowledge and experience in all areas, across third, independent and health and social care sectors.
The Strategic Planning Reference Group will continue to operate as an advisory group in support of the Strategic Planning Group and will provide wider engagement with the existing community groups and organisations across Moray.

The groups will work actively with the adult population of Moray to ensure their needs and expectations are being understood and responded to.

What will the project look like?
There will be a range of workshops and other activities undertaken during the course of the project which aim to:

Develop an integrated approach to commissioning in Moray where health and social care partners share an understanding of:

- Clear description of the size and nature of the adult needs
- Known oversupply, shortfall or pressure point in the provision now or in the future and areas of poor performance
- The outcomes that are being sought for the adult population
- What evidence suggests could be effective service models to achieve these outcomes
• Develop a credible commissioning strategy for health and social care services for adults which reflects the shared priorities of key stakeholders and sets out the direction for future commissioning decisions and service development.

When will this happen?
The project will take place from March 2018 – March 2019, with the Moray strategic plan due to be completed by April 2019.

How do I find out more?
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