

**LEICESTER CITY HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD**  
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<b>Subject:</b>	<b>General Practice 5 year Forward View</b>
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**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

Primary medical care is the foundation of a high performing health care system and as such is critical to the successful implementation of the LLR Sustainability and Transformation Plan. Ensuring the development and resilience of Primary Care will assist in bringing about the system-wide transformation required to focus on prevention and the moderation of demand growth.

Whilst there are three separate CCGs with distinct geographical, political, social and economic environments, with very differing health needs, we are committed to the development of our response to the GP 5 Year Forward view as a collective. As such, throughout this plan there will be a focus on what brings us together and how we will jointly tackle the challenge, whilst also highlighting locally sensitive solutions.

Board GPs from each CCG have actively engaged in the development of the plan and fully support it. This is not going to be an easy task, there are many challenges facing General Practice, including workforce, funding and rising demand. In the city as well as the county we will work together to develop and co-design a resilient and sustainable model in which general practice can thrive.

We have a clear direction for the future of primary care in which general practice is the foundation of a strong, vibrant, joined up health and social care system. The new system is patient centred, engaging local people who use services as equal partners in planning and commissioning which results in the provision of accessible high quality, safe, needs-based care. This is achieved through expanded but integrated primary and community health care teams, offering a wider range of services in the community with increased access to rapid diagnostic assessment and, crucially, patients taking increased responsibility for their own health.

**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

The Health and Wellbeing Board is requested to:

- **RECEIVE** the narrative plan which has been submitted to NHS England.
- **COMMENT** on the draft narrative document which may be considered for future iterations.