

Better Care Fund 2022-23 End of Year Template

6. Year-End Feedback

The purpose of this survey is to provide an opportunity for local areas to consider and give feedback on the impact of the BCF. There is a total of 5 questions. These are set out below.

Selected Health and Wellbeing Board:

Stockport

Part 1: Delivery of the Better Care Fund

Please use the below form to indicate to what extent you agree with the following statements and then detail any further supporting information in the corresponding comment boxes.

Statement:	Response:	Comments: Please detail any further supporting information for each response
1. The overall delivery of the BCF has improved joint working between health and social care in our locality	Strongly Agree	There has been continued collaboration between Health and Social Care partners within Stockport to deliver on the key objectives of the BCF plan
2. Our BCF schemes were implemented as planned in 2022-23	Strongly Agree	The Health and Social Care system continues to benefit from the BCF and the BCF Review which reinforced the need for a renewed focus on our approach for out of hospital care, with particular emphasis of home first principles
3. The delivery of our BCF plan in 2022-23 had a positive impact on the integration of health and social care in our locality	Agree	The BCF Review that was undertaken within the locality provided assurance on the delivery of the current plan whilst also creating opportunities for a continued focus on an integrated approach to most effectively meeting individuals outcomes.

<u>Checklist</u>
Complete:
Yes
Yes
Yes

Part 2: Successes and Challenges

Please select two Enablers from the SCIE Logic model which you have observed demonstrable success in progressing and two Enablers which you have experienced a relatively greater degree of challenge in progressing. Please provide a brief description alongside.

4. Outline two key successes observed toward driving the enablers for integration (expressed in SCIE's logical model) in 2022-23		
	SCIE Logic Model Enablers, Response category:	Response - Please detail your greatest successes
Success 1	9. Joint commissioning of health and social care	The locality jointly commissioned pathway 1 and pathway 2 Discharge to Assess provision to support patient flow out of the hospital and to ensure outcomes were being met in the most appropriate community setting, both from a short term and longer term commissioning perspective.
Success 2	2. Strong, system-wide governance and systems leadership	The locality wide review of the Better Care Fund has reinforced positive integrated working relationships across the Health and Social Care system. The locality continues to meet the challenges of the changing statutory framework of Health and Social Care within Greater Manchester, with relationships being maintained and developed, with the focus on benefits to patients and service users. We have built on positive working relationships and have capitalised on the establishment of our local ICB. We have also seen positive appointments to our full time post of Deputy Place Lead and Director of Adult Social
5. Outline two key challenges observed toward driving the enablers for integration (expressed in SCIE's logical model) in 2022-23		
	SCIE Logic Model Enablers, Response category:	Response - Please detail your greatest challenges
Challenge 1	6. Good quality and sustainable provider market that can meet demand	There has been a continued challenge aligned to quality within our residential care market, predominantly aligned to Nursing Care provision. The locality also had reduced nursing care capacity. We are seeking to address the challenges in quality across the care home sector through prioritising an increase in fees to increase sustainability. At the same time, there is cross system collaboration to drive the quality of provision within the care homes, building on strong working relationships with the sector.
Challenge 2	5. Integrated workforce: joint approach to training and upskilling of workforce	There are significant workforce challenges within the provision of nursing care, as part of residential care settings. This is recognised locally, regionally and nationally. Alongside this are workforce challenges in recruitment and retention of wider social care job roles, in part due to opportunities in other economic sectors. There is a cross system working group seeking to develop sustainable recruitment for both nurses and care staff, working as a system to highlight the career development and specialisation opportunities rather than competing for staff across the system. Alongside this the fee setting of adult social

Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

Footnotes:

Question 4 and 5 are should be assigned to one of the following categories:

1. Local contextual factors (e.g. financial health, funding arrangements, demographics, urban vs rural factors)
 2. Strong, system-wide governance and systems leadership
 3. Integrated electronic records and sharing across the system with service users
 4. Empowering users to have choice and control through an asset based approach, shared decision making and co-production
 5. Integrated workforce: joint approach to training and upskilling of workforce
 6. Good quality and sustainable provider market that can meet demand
 7. Joined-up regulatory approach
 8. Pooled or aligned resources
 9. Joint commissioning of health and social care
- Other