

BADENOCH, STRATHSPEY, ARDERSIER & NAIRN DISTRICT PARTNERSHIP

ACTION NOTE FROM THE MEETING HELD ON: Wednesday 11th June, 2014 at 2.00pm at the Court House, Nairn.

PRESENT: Gillian McCreath NHS - Chair (GM); Cllr Jaci Douglas (JD); Cllr Liz MacDonald (LM); Margaret Kinsella, THC (MK); Liz Cowie, THC (LC); Margaret
http://www.highland.gov.uk/directory_record/82473/kingussie_recycling_centreWalker, NHS (MW); Callum Mackintosh, THC (CM); Fiona Smith, NHS (FS); Katrina Beaton, NHS (KB); Kate MacLean (KM); Jackie Stevens (JS); Lita Leslie, HLH (LL); Roy Anderson, RCOP (RA).

APOLOGIES: Dr Adrian Baker, Dr Boyd Peters, John Rainy Brown, Nigel Small, Maimie Thompson, Graham Crerar, Cllr Roddy Balfour, Ann Howe and the Scottish Ambulance Service.

IN ATTENDANCE: David Haas (DH), Chris Meecham

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1	Welcome and Introductions	GM welcomed everyone and thanked them for attending. Round the table introductions were given.		
2	Apologies	Apologies noted from Dr Adrian Baker, Dr Boyd Peters, John Rainy Brown, Nigel Small, Maimie Thompson, Graham Crerar, Cllr Roddy Balfour and Ann Howe.		
3	Action note from previous meeting	Request to amend the previous action note – Graham Crerar was in attendance at the previous meeting and will be taking over as Chair as of the September meeting. Re-design of physiotherapy services – agreed to take off agenda. National Musculoskeletal re-design ongoing. The project aim is to provide patient self-referral via a centralised system which will re-direct patients to the most appropriate services. Reducing complications with early intervention and providing greater primary care provision through multi-disciplinary teams is a key aim. Further information will be relayed back in due course.		

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4	District Partnerships: Overview and update – Gillian McCreath	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ DP's are means of opportunity in local areas to meet and find solutions to issues. ◦ DH – key aim is to get the local communities to recognise the worth of DP's and to get them involved in bringing forward issues. ◦ Nairn Locality Group is well established. BSAN was the last DP to be fully formed. ◦ Third Sector role should be embedded and have more involvement in DP meetings. ◦ Employability, Substance Abuse and Transport Issues are examples of topics discussed at DP meetings. National themes should also be considered. ◦ Community Safety agenda to be brought in to DP's. ◦ Discussions are ongoing with regards to the resourcing of meetings. 		
5	Adults Services – Margaret Walker: Integrated Teams	<p><u>Nairn</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ New professionals employed for community enablement. 2 assessment referral officers and a Health & Safety co-ordinator. ◦ SDS funding live from 1st April 2014. ◦ December 2013 – Emergency Planning. Lists of vulnerable adults were produced and given to the local police. RAG Rating put to the list to show those most vulnerable. A&E contacted daily to find out if anyone on the list has contacted A&E overnight. <p><u>B&S</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Team is widely spread due to facilities and geography. Working to bring the services together in Aviemore but there are some problematic issues to overcome. ◦ JD - Had hoped for progression with the single point of access in B&S but the location at Ruthven, Aviemore, was not large enough to accommodate. There are also difficulties finding out who to contact as the Web is not the easiest to use. ◦ MW - Hoped that Social work would be re-located to Ruthven but were advised by management to work with what they had until a new location became available to house everyone safely. 		

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	Delayed Discharges	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Numbers have risen significantly due to the lack of care at home provision. ◦ Looking into alternative approaches to getting patients out of hospital like covering in-house services with 'blended' posts and bringing in agency staff. ◦ Blended post - recruited to provide Care at Home but also work at hospitals and care homes along with other various jobs, as required. ◦ Kate MacLean is currently working with community companies and on initiatives to provide care at home within their local community. Update requested for next DP. ◦ JD - short term action plan? Money needs to be put in place to employ agency staff to help get people out of hospital and back into their own homes. Also local training initiatives such as 'Grow your own' and Pathways to Employment/Employability could be considered. ◦ MW - Agency staff being used and there is money available, however getting access to suitable agency staff is proving difficult. Every opportunity is being looked at. ◦ LM – what are the delayed discharge figures? Nairn - 11, Grantown - 6, MW advised that these were the current figures but can change regularly. <p>JD requested for delayed discharges to be kept on the agenda for future meetings.</p>	<p>KM</p> <p>LC/LMac</p>	<p>Ongoing</p> <p>Ongoing</p>
6	Children's and young people's services – Margaret Kinsella: Family Nurse Partnerships	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Catriona Beaton, District Manager for Nairn and Culloden was introduced. ◦ Family Nurse Partnerships. US Initiative. Intensive home visiting programme for first time mums, 19 years and under, being rolled out across Scotland. ◦ Voluntary programme which recruits clients by 28 weeks of pregnancy. Mothers are worked with until their child is 2 years old. ◦ 107 clients have been notified throughout the Highland area. 60% target has been achieved. Calman Trust are involved. ◦ Mothers are taught all aspects of health & caring for their child and given advice/help on securing a tenancy. ◦ Contraception after the birth is a high priority, and to date there have been no second pregnancies before the first child is 2 years old. ◦ Nairn have 11 clients, Badenoch & Strathspey have 8 clients. ◦ The programme is a pilot; however, many have been asking when the next programme will start. ◦ Fathers have shown a keen interest in being included, which is very positive. 		

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	Substance Abuse / Youth Action Teams	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Multi-disciplinary team working with 12 to 18 year olds. Children can be worked with from 8 years old, but this is dependent on behaviour. ◦ Social Workers, Substance abuse workers, Forensic assessment workers. ◦ A police co-ordinator works with schools. He also provides boxing classes for children who may be struggling with school. ◦ Youth worker accompanies a Police Officer every third Friday night, to offer advice to any young people that may be hanging around the streets or perceived to be causing trouble. If the child is detained, help and advice is offered to the parents. ◦ Youth worker is due to be involved in a B & S Biker event. Based in the Police Station, they will be available to offer advice and give support to any young people detained for underage drinking. Support for the parents is also offered. ◦ North team have a Health Co-ordinator, however the post is yet to be filled for the South Team. Steve James (North Health Co-ordinator) does a lot of health events and awareness work. ◦ <u>Action for Children</u>: a children's charity that work directly with over 300,000 children, young people, parents and carers. 650 services across the UK, tackling issues such as child neglect and abuse. Evening programmes being run in Inverness with a programme being developed to run in Nairn. Programmes involve parents of young children who are clients of the Youth action team and other similar groups. The programme is hoping to get established in Badenoch & Strathspey. 		

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7	Update on B&S Healthcare Redesign Process	<p>An update on the consultation phase of the project was provided. It was noted that to date the consultation and preferred option outlined has generally been well received.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ The mid way consultation review was referred to and that in response to feedback, additional consultation activity was to be undertaken including further involving young people, schools and Highlife Highland. ◦ All the information from the questionnaire, drop-in's and community liaison meetings will be collated to input to the process and to inform the decision on the preferred site. ◦ MK – Childcare Partnership, Physiotherapy for children - focusing on the need for care and improvement. Issues at present are due to locality. ◦ MW – looking to have an outreach facility to provide a service that local people can get access to. Finite details for this facility are still to be discussed. Eileen Walker, Consultant, is working to identify which services – Clinical Services/GP Practices etc. – should be included. ◦ Transport and access noted as a key issue. Stakeholder group to be formed. ◦ The interim report on consultation activities was noted. ◦ It was agreed that further reports on the consultation outcomes be brought back to the DP. ◦ MW asked that the excellent work that Mamie Thompson (NHSH Head of Public Relations & Engagement) had carried out to date, in both the redesign and consultation process, be noted. 	LC	
8	AOB	<p>Delayed discharges requested to be kept on future agenda's (as above)</p> <p>JD highlighted Health Walks – these took place last year with children and families. Schools in B&S run them more often than other areas. Presentation was given at the Area Committee but it is not linked in with the DP. There is a lot more engagement with the young and outdoors in the school curriculum than there has ever been.</p>		
9	Public Views / Suggestions	No public views/suggestions put forward.		
10	Date of next meeting	Thursday 25th September 2014 in Talla nan Ros, Kingussie		