

Policy Forum for Wales Keynote Seminar: Next steps for integrating health and social care services in Wales

Timing: Morning, Wednesday, 17th July 2013

Venue: Ballroom, Hilton Cardiff, Kingsway, Cardiff CF10 3HH

Agenda subject to change



- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chairman's opening remarks**
Elin Jones AM, Member, Health and Social Care Committee, National Assembly for Wales
- 9.05 - 9.25 **Outlining the delivery plan for local integrated care**
Professor Marcus Longley, Director, Welsh Institute for Health and Social Care; Professor, Applied Health Policy, University of South Wales and Vice-Chair, Cardiff and Vale University Health Board
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.25 - 10.25 **Implementing integrated health services in Wales**
Perspectives from key stakeholders on the NHS Wales Delivery Framework 2013-14 and its implications for staff, patients and others across Wales.
Parry Davies, Strategic Director, Care, Protection and Lifestyle, Ceredigion County Council
Ewan Hilton, Executive Director, Gofal Cymru
Mary van den Heuvel, Policy and Assembly Officer, Leonard Cheshire Disability
Steve Bartley, Regulatory Responsible Individual, Ludlow Street Healthcare and Vice-Chair, Welsh Independent Healthcare Association (WIHA)
John Skipper, Representative, Community Health Councils in Wales
Questions and comments from the floor with **Professor Marcus Longley**, Director, Welsh Institute for Health and Social Care; Professor, Applied Health Policy, University of South Wales and Vice-Chair, Cardiff and Vale University Health Board
- 10.25 - 11.05 **Integrating health and social care: finance, structures and technology**
What are the organisational challenges that remain for achieving an effective integrated health and social care system in Wales? What are the potential financial implications of moving to a fully integrated system, particularly issues of 'who pays?' between health and social care budgets and effective forecasting across services? How can Local Health Boards (LHB), and Government - local and national - balance the need for reorganisation and efficiency savings in local care services, with the demands of local communities to keep community hospitals and other services open? What are the potential benefits and challenges of using cross-border services when appropriate? In what ways can technology be used more effectively to help with multidisciplinary working, and how can staff and patients be trained and encouraged to engage with telehealth in Wales?
Mel Evans, Chairman, Powys Teaching Health Board
Simon Brindle, Corporate Director, Wellbeing, Bridgend County Borough Council
Dr Sabarna Mukhopadhyay, Chief Executive Officer, SymIConnect
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.05 - 11.10 **Chairman's closing remarks**
Elin Jones AM, Member, Health and Social Care Committee, National Assembly for Wales
- 11.10 - 11.35 Coffee
- 11.35 - 11.40 **Chairman's opening remarks**
Mick Antoniw AM
- 11.40 - 12.05 **Local integrated care: the next steps for NHS Wales**
David Sissling, Chief Executive, NHS Wales and Director General, Health and Social Services, Welsh Government
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.05 - 12.20 **Regulating health and social care**
Imelda Richardson, Chief Inspector, Care and Social Services Inspectorate Wales
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.20 - 12.55 **Raising standards of healthcare: improving outcomes to achieve high quality**
What are the implications for Wales of the Mid Staffordshire Inquiry and will the Annual Quality statements required of NHS organisations from 2013 be an effective way to monitor quality and standards of healthcare in Wales? In what ways can regulation of health services be made more rigorous and how would this affect the new 'integrated framework' for standards and responsibilities? What steps need to be taken to ensure a patient-centered high-quality care system - particularly with regard to handover processes between health and social care staff, including single assessment of patients? What steps can be taken to improve workforce development and standards - the recruitment, training and retention of highly-skilled staff - within the sector in Wales? What direction should the Welsh Government provide to ensure more effective clinical leadership across NHS Wales?
Peter Watkin Jones, Partner, Eversheds and Solicitor, Mid Staffordshire NHS Foundation Trust Public Inquiry
Professor Derek Gallen, Postgraduate Dean, The Wales Deanery
Susan Morris, General Manager, Wales, Macmillan Cancer Support
Ruth Walker, Executive Director of Nursing, Cardiff and Vale University Health Board
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chairman's and Policy Forum for Wales closing remarks**
Mick Antoniw AM
Jonny Roberts, Senior Producer, Policy Forum for Wales