

Health and Wellbeing Overview and Scrutiny Committee May 2018

Initial feedback from engagement about possible integrated hospital and leisure development for Berwick

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Background

- During 2009 NHS North of Tyne carried out a formal public consultation on a package of proposals
 - Following the consultation engagement continued about the redevelopment of Berwick Infirmary
 - In the Summer of 2016 the redevelopment was paused



Reasons for the pause

Medical advances

More care provided at home

National and local policy

New Clinical model

Scope of the engagement

- To share new thinking and seek views about the possibility of the new hospital in Berwick being part of an integrated development including health, social care and leisure services
- To share and seek views about some existing sites that might be suitable for such a development



Why an integrated model?

 A drive in Northumberland by the NHS and the county council to work more closely together

 Northumberland County Council committed to redevelop Berwick Leisure Centre and NHS committed to develop a new hospital

 Holistic approach to health and wellbeing benefits patients and the public



Other integrated models.....

- This joint development is an exciting new concept
- We believe our concept is the only development to include hospital beds
- There are a small number of joint health and leisure developments in the country

Other integrated models







Site options

- A: Swan Centre
- B: Newfields Playing Fields
- C: Robert's Lodge
- D: Current Berwick
 Infirmary Site





Summary of engagement

- Engagement events promoted widely
- 5 facilitated drop in sessions across council wards and venues
- 3 drop in sessions on Northumbria
 Healthcare's 'Join Our Journey' trailer
 roadshow in Marygate, Belford and Wooler



Summary of engagement

- Meetings facilitated by Healthwatch with 90 people in 'seldom heard groups'
- Meetings with Berwick Regeneration Commission and Berwick Local Area Committee

Feedback

Comments noted at all drop in sessions

All other feedback will also be considered

 Full engagement report will be produced and considered by the CCG and Northumbria Healthcare

The feedback report will be made public



Themes

- Services
- Increasing services at Berwick
- Transport
- Cost for development
- Sites



Way ahead

 Conclude engagement feedback report findings and make public

 Business case planned for completion Summer 2018

 Public consultation potentially Autumn 2018



Thank you

