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Paper Title:	Accountable Officer Report	Session (Tick)									
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Responsible Governing Body Member Lead Amanda Bloor, Accountable Officer		Report Author and Job Title Amanda Bloor, Accountable Officer									
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Has the report (or variation of it) been presented to another Committee / Meeting? If yes, state the Committee / Meeting: No.											
Executive Summary The purpose of this report is to provide a brief update from the Accountable Officer of the North Yorkshire CCG to members of the Governing Body on areas not covered on the main agenda.											
Recommendations The Governing Body is being asking to: Review this report as assurance.											
Monitoring The Accountable Officer will provide a report at each Governing Body meeting.											
Any statutory / regulatory / legal / NHS Constitution implications		Any implications will be detailed in the report as required in the individual sections.									
Management of Conflicts of Interest		No conflicts of interest have been identified prior to the meeting.									
Communication / Public & Patient Engagement		Not applicable.									
Financial / resource implications		Any financial implications will be detailed in the report as required in the individual sections.									
Outcome of Impact Assessments completed		Not applicable.									

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Accountable Officer Report June 2021

1.0 ICS Developments

Conversations continue with colleagues across regional health and care, local authorities and delivery partners to actively transform the way that health and care is planned and delivered to better integrate services and improve people's experience at all stages of health and care. This work is part of a national transformation programme for healthcare to integrate decision making and align delivery.

The White Paper has yet to start its progress through Parliament, and once it does additional information will be available locally. In North Yorkshire and York we are currently progressing activities where we can, without pre-empting the outcome of the legislative process.

From a CCG perspective, we continue to work together to develop the operating model for the North Yorkshire and York Strategic Partnership and we expect to operate in shadow form from October this year.

2.0 COVID-19 Update

Government Announcement

The Government announced on Monday, 14 June 2021 that there will be a delay of 4 weeks with the easing lockdown restrictions, which were expected to lift on 21 June 2021.

Integrated working

We are continuing to maintain our Incident Response and ensure that we have robust arrangements in place to respond to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic and other concurrent incidents including Winter pressures. At a strategic level, the Gold Command meeting, comprised of Chief Executives and Accountable Officers across the North Yorkshire and York health system, continue to meet regularly to ensure we have the right resources in the right place.

COVID-19 Vaccination Programme

The vaccination programme continues to make strong progress:

- Total NY&Y:
 - 1st doses –519,280
 - 2nd doses –409,026
- For North Yorkshire this is:
 - 1st doses –289,650
 - 2nd doses –238,633

3.0 NY CCG End of Year Assessment for 2020/21

The CCG's year-end assessment with NHS England took place on 9 June 2021.

Colleagues across the CCG have worked together to completed self-assessment and a slide deck for the year-end meeting. The work included a strong narrative describing how we have worked across the system during 2020-21.

The assessment was based on the operational priorities set out in July and December 2020 and the review focussed on the CCGs' contribution to local delivery of the overall system plan for recovery, with emphasis on the effectiveness of working relationships in local systems.

The assessment results will be notified by letter identifying areas of good/outstanding performance, areas for improvement, including areas of particular challenge across the five priority areas:

1. Improve the quality of service
2. Reduce health inequalities
3. Involve and consult the public
4. Comply with financial duties
5. Leadership and governance

This assessment reflects the phenomenal efforts from everyone in response to COVID-19 and keeping the wheels turning over the last year.

4.0 Ways of Working and Staff Wellbeing

Opening the offices

Following the latest government announcement, on Monday 14 June 2021, to delay the easing of lockdown restrictions by 4 weeks, the CCG offices remain closed with all staff working remotely. The CCG will continue to monitor the situation and will plan to open offices as soon as it is safe to do so.

The CCG is committed to supporting the health and wellbeing of all its employees and following feedback from staff surveys, the CCG is developing a home working framework to support colleagues to have a better work-life balance.

Staff Wellbeing

The CCG has continued to conduct staff surveys to monitor the health and wellbeing of staff during the pandemic. The latest survey was conducted in late April and feedback was positive and reflected that remote working has continued to work well for the majority of staff. Staff requiring additional support are being supported by line managers and HR where appropriate.

A new Resilience Hub has launched to support health, care and emergency services workers across the Humber, Coast and Vale area. The Humber, Coast and Vale Resilience Hub provides independent and confidential health and wellbeing support for health, care and emergency service workers who may be struggling with the impact of Covid-19.

More information about the Resilience Hub can be found by following the link:
<https://www.hcvresiliencehub.nhs.uk/>

5.0 Humber, Coast and Vale Health and Care Partnership Update

The latest HCV ICS stakeholder newsletter is available at: https://humbercoastandvale.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/Partnership-Newsletter_May_2021_FINAL.pdf

Highlights of the report include:

HCV ICS Annual Report 2020/21

The annual report captures the Partnership's work and achievements during 2020/21 in line with the requirements of the Humber, Coast and Vale Partnership Long Term Plan, which provides an overview of the work we are undertaking to improve the health and wellbeing for our population.

You can read about these achievements, and more, by following the below link:
https://humbercoastandvale.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/HCV-Annual-Report-20-21-FINAL_compressed_compressed-1.pdf

6.0 Recommendation

The Governing Body is asked to receive this report as assurance.

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