



**Health and Wellbeing Board
9 April 2014**

**Report from the Assistant Chief
Executive**

For Action

Wards Affected:
ALL

Better Care Fund Plan

1. Summary

- 1.1 The Health and Wellbeing Board held a development session on 12th March 2014 to consider the draft Better Care Fund Plan. This session followed on from previous discussions of the plan at the Board's meetings over the last few months. Since the development session took place further changes were made to the plan to take account of the Health and Wellbeing Board's suggestions and in preparation for its submission on 4th April. The final version of the plan, performance metrics and finance tables are appendices to this covering report.
- 1.2 The Health and Wellbeing Board is asked to endorse the Better Care Fund Plan and agree that regular updates on its implementation should be presented to the Board throughout 2014/15. Given the Health and Wellbeing Board's role in overseeing health and social care integration, this will form an important part of the Board's work programme in the coming year.

2. Recommendations

- 2.1 The Health and Wellbeing Board is recommended to:
- (i). Endorse the Better Care Fund Plan.
 - (ii). Agree how it wishes to monitor the implantation of the plan in 2014/15.

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