

Better Care Fund

Health and Wellbeing Board **update**

10 December 2014

Overview

- ◆ NCAR and plan resubmission
- ◆ Pooled budget arrangements
- ◆ Links to Peterborough workshops

NCAR Review

- ◆ Approved – but with four conditions
- ◆ Support for our general approach
- ◆ Acceptance of arguments for lower emergency admissions target
- ◆ Plan to be redeveloped and resubmitted by 9 January
- ◆ Delegated authority and consultation with HWB Members

Pooled budget arrangements

- ◆ Strong steer not to enter into formal arrangements before conditions are addressed
- ◆ However, we will need to begin process in early January
- ◆ Update to be brought to HWB in January

Links to Peterborough

- ◆ Peterborough's BCF Plan also approved with conditions
- ◆ Steer from assurance review for the two areas to collaborate
- ◆ Many issues are similar across the two areas
- ◆ Many partners on CEPB (particularly in health) serve both areas
- ◆ Opportunities for collaboration

Suggested areas for discussion

- ◆ Comments and questions on:
 - ◆ BCF plan feedback
 - ◆ BCF Plan changes
 - ◆ Delegated authority and process for engaging HWB members
 - ◆ Proposed joint work with Peterborough