

Press release

Your views on future of health and social care

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People are being given the chance to learn more about plans to join up health and social care in Greater Nottingham.

A public briefing and feedback event is being held by the Greater Nottingham Transformation Partnership – which is made up of local NHS organisations and other health providers, Nottingham City Council and Nottinghamshire County Council.

As well as asking questions and giving feedback, the event on Wednesday 1 November will allow the public to get involved to help to shape the work.

Plans are underway after the NHS named Greater Nottingham as an ‘accelerator’ site to find ways to remove barriers between organisations and create what could look like an Accountable Care System. This is part of the wider Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Sustainability and Transformation Partnership (STP).

Hospitals, GPs, councils and other health teams are working with a shared vision for delivering services to benefit patients and citizens, focusing on:

1. Helping people to live healthy lives and to be independent and well
2. Ensuring that when people need help and support, they can easily access the right care, in the right place and for the right length of time
3. Enabling health and care to be close to home in the community, with hospitals for those who need to be there for planned care and emergency care

No one in England has tried this before on such a large scale across all of health and social care in one place, so the views of the public are vital in making sure this work moves forward in the right way. This event is the chance for people to find out all about the plans and better understand what is trying to be achieved.

The event details are:

- **Date:** 1 November 2017
- **Time:** 10am-midday (with an hour after for refreshments and further questions)
- **Location:** Albert Hall, North Circus Street, Nottingham

To reserve a place, contact the Patient Experience Team at nnestccg.pet@nhs.net or call 0800 028 3693 (Option 2).

Further public events are being planned in 2018. For more information about these and the wider work, visit: www.GreaterNottinghamTransformation.co.uk

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Background

The STP for Nottingham and Nottinghamshire has been produced in response to recent NHS England planning guidance and to deliver the NHS Five Year Forward View.

Local NHS providers, clinical commissioning groups (CCGs), councils, and other health and care services have formed the Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Sustainability and Transformation Partnership - one of 44 in England - to collectively plan how local services will work to improve the quality of care, and their population's health and manage finances across the system.

More detail about the plan – as well as recent public feedback – can be found at www.stpnotts.org.uk.

The planning footprint locally covers Nottingham and Nottinghamshire. Nottinghamshire comes under two separate NHS England regional areas: 'Greater Nottingham' and 'Mid Nottinghamshire' are part of Midlands and East, and Bassetlaw is part of North of England. NHS England following local discussions determined that Greater Nottingham and Mid Nottinghamshire formed the STP footprint, with Bassetlaw as an associate. The STP footprint for Nottingham and Nottinghamshire covers six CCG areas, eight local authorities and a population of slightly more than one million people.

There are more than one million patients and citizens who live in Greater Nottingham and Nottinghamshire and more than 50,000 staff that work across the different organisations, who work as part on an annual health economy worth £3.7bn across Nottingham and Nottinghamshire.

The Greater Nottingham Transformation Partnership

The Greater Nottingham Transformation Partnership consists of:

- NHS Nottingham City Clinical Commissioning Group
- NHS Nottingham North and East Clinical Commissioning Group
- NHS Nottingham West Clinical Commissioning Group
- NHS Rushcliffe Clinical Commissioning Group
- Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust
- Nottinghamshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust
- Nottingham CityCare Partnership
- Circle Nottingham Limited
- Nottingham City Council
- Nottinghamshire County Council

It's being coordinated by Greater Nottingham Transformation Partnership Board – which has representatives from every organisation, as well as citizen and patient groups, such as Healthwatch and the Greater Nottingham Citizen's Advisory Group.

The Greater Nottingham footprint covers Nottingham City, Nottingham North and East (covering parts of Gedling, South Ashfield and Eastwood), Nottingham West (Broxtowe and Eastwood) and Rushcliffe. So, Greater Nottingham is important to you if live in Nottingham City, Rushcliffe Borough, Beeston, Chilwell, Stapleford, Eastwood, Hucknall, Gedling, Lowdham, Arnold and Carlton.

For more information about the partnership, visit

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