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HOW WELL DID CAMBRIDGESHIRE AND PETERBOROUGH PROVIDE SERVICES FOR ADULTS WITH LEARNING DISABILITY 2012-2013?

R E C O M M E N D A T I O N S	
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<p>The HWBs of Cambridgeshire and Peterborough are asked to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Have a named Board level Executive Lead with responsibility for learning disabilities 2. Support the CCG in signing up to Mencap’s “Getting it right charter” which sets out the key principles of care for people with learning disabilities. http://www.mencap.org.uk/CCGcharter 3. Ensure the local JSNA includes a needs assessment and corresponding plans are in place, which reflect policy and best practice guidelines. 4. Ensure there are well functioning partnership agreements between health and social care organisations. 	

1. ORIGIN OF REPORT

This report is submitted to Board following a request from GP Member Mike Caskey.

2. PURPOSE AND REASON FOR REPORT

2.1 The purpose of this report is for the committee to reflect on how well as a region we have been delivering services for adults with learning disabilities, in order to further our commissioning processes to improve these services, and for consideration of the proposed recommendations.

2.2 This report is for Board to consider under its Terms of Reference No. 2.1, To bring together the leaders of health and social care commissioners to develop common and shared approaches to improving the health and well being of the community.

3. MAIN BODY OF REPORT

A report is attached that includes the following headers:

1.1 Context

- 1.2 The HWB of Cambridgeshire and Peterborough are asked to:
- 1.3 Review the summary of how services for people with learning disability were delivered in 2012-13 across:
- 1.3 1. Primary Care
 - 1.3 2. Acute Providers
 - i Areas of good practice across the Trust
 - 1.3 3. Local Disability Partnerships
 - i Areas identified for improvement

4. CONSULTATION

Adults with learning disabilities are consulted with during the annual LD self-assessment to ensure that our RAG ratings are an accurate reflection of service experience.

5. ANTICIPATED OUTCOMES

To improve our commissioning of and service delivery for adults with learning disabilities.

6. REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS

It is a statutory requirement to ensure that we meet the needs of our population and make reasonable adjustments for individuals with learning disabilities to ensure equitable provision. Individuals with learning disabilities often have poorer health than the general population, (Confidential Inquiry into premature deaths of people with learning disabilities CIPOLD 2013), experience health inequalities due to the barriers people with learning disabilities face in accessing health care and health screening and are 25% more likely to be admitted to hospital as an emergency compared to other people (Admissions for Ambulatory Care Sensitive Conditions (ACSCs) for people with learning disability in the UK 2013).

7. ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED

Status quo is an alternative option to the recommendations; however we feel that this will not progress the need to continually improve our commissioning of learning disabilities and ensure that adequate attention is given to this important area in line with the Winterbourne Review Report 2012.

8. IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial or legal implications expected as a result of the proposed recommendations.

9. BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

Used to prepare this report, in accordance with the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985)

- Getting it Right for People with a Learning Disability, a Charter for Clinical Commissioning Groups, Mencap, March 2013 (attached).
- Peterborough 2012 LD Self-Assessment
- Cambridgeshire 2012 LD Self-Assessment