

# Health and Care Transformation Programme

## August Bulletin

**Hello** – and welcome to this month's bulletin from the Health and Care Transformation Programme. This month key updates include news from the Establish Manx Care, Pathfinders, Legislation and Primary Care at Scale projects. For questions or suggestions, please contact the team at [HealthandCareTransformation@gov.im](mailto:HealthandCareTransformation@gov.im).

### A few words from Robin and Clair...



"The Transformation Programme continues to gather pace as we work with you all to deliver a transformed system that improves quality of care, organises care around patient and service-user needs; and delivers the right care, in the right place, at the right time, in the most affordable way.

Since our update last month, the Programme has made strong progress. The work to establish Manx Care in 2021 continues and important steps have been taken this month including the finalisation of the recruitment of the Chair of the Manx Care Board and the start of the recruitment process for the CEO, together with agreement of the key responsibilities and senior roles within both the DHSC and Manx Care.

We are also pleased to have continued greater involvement from clinicians and professionals in the Programme after recently welcoming the Independent Clinical/Professional Adviser and the Clinical and Professional Transformation Panel and are grateful for their valuable input. We want to and will do more to involve and engage different groups moving forwards, including working with colleagues in the Department for Health and Social Care. Should you have any comments or suggestions, please do get in contact with the team at [HealthandCareTransformation@gov.im](mailto:HealthandCareTransformation@gov.im).

Thank you for your support in making this a success."

*Robin O'Connor and Clair Barks, co-leads,  
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### August highlights

#### Work to establish Manx Care in 2021 continues at pace.

The recruitment of Manx Care Board members is progressing well, with that of the Manx Care Chair in its final stages. This appointment will be finalised in early September, subject to Tynwald approval. Meanwhile, applications for the post of Manx Care CEO closed on 16 August. There has been strong interest with interviews planned in September. The next stage will be recruitment for Non-Executive Member roles.

#### The high-level organisational structures of DHSC and Manx Care, have been agreed by the Transformation Programme Board last month.

These structures show the separation of functions between Manx Care and DHSC: the delivery of health and care services will be the responsibility of Manx Care, whilst DHSC will be responsible for the formulation of policy, strategy and legislation. The DHSC and Manx Care leadership, along with the Cabinet Office (including Public Health) and the Treasury, will continue to work together via a new Partnership Board. More information on these structures as well as some key facts on Manx Care will be provided in due course.

## August highlights continued...

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### The Transformation Programme continues to benefit from the valuable input of health and care colleagues. From next month we will be seeking further involvement from staff across DHSC.

We are pleased to share some information about engagement sessions being planned from September:

- The Pathfinders team will be working closely with colleagues in the seven pathfinder areas via interviews and workshop sessions. The first workshop session in early September will focus on Diabetes services, gathering input to help shape the future of the care and treatment of these conditions and services on the Island.
- The Legislation Project is working with operational service leads, the DHSC Executive Team and other projects in the Transformation Programme to continue policy development for the National Health and Social Care Bill. Covering a wide range of policy areas across all health services and adult social care services, the Bill is being progressed by the DHSC and the Programme jointly. This follows an agreement from the Transformation Boards last month that the Bill will be introduced to the House of Keys on 9 November 2021.
- The Primary Care at Scale project team are planning to work with GPs and GP Practice Staff to develop the Primary Care at Scale operating models. The models will allow Primary Care services to be delivered collaboratively and at scale, supporting a core aim of the Programme to enable the delivery of the right care, in the right place, at the right time, in the most affordable way.

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### The Clinical and Professional Transformation Panel appoints its Vice-Chair.

We are pleased to announce that the Clinical and Professional Transformation Panel has appointed Dr Ishaku Pam as its Vice-Chair. A Clinical Director for Unscheduled Care at Noble's Hospital, Dr Pam has extensive experience as a Consultant and as a Member of several Clinical and Professional Committees and Bodies across the Isle of Man and previously in his roles in England. As Vice-Chair, Dr Pam will represent the views of the Panel and sit on the Transformation Programme Boards alongside the Chair. The Panel provides clinical/professional guidance and input to Transformation Programme project outputs and their implementation. The Panel members also help to engage their colleagues with the Programme.

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### Health and Social Care staff are invited to seminars about international health and care transformation initiatives.

Working with colleagues in the Education team, Professor James Kingsland, Independent Clinical and Professional Adviser to the Transformation Programme, is developing a series of seminars with eminent speakers who will share their experiences about health and care reform. Open to everyone working in health and care, the first one-hour session will take place from 8am on Wednesday 2 September on the topic of Value-Based Healthcare with Sir Muir Gray and Dr Tim Wilson. The seminars will be held on Microsoft teams at [this link](#). They will also be recorded and shared following the event.



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