



Northern, Eastern and Western Devon
Clinical Commissioning Group

Success Regime

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Introduction

- On 3rd June 2015, the NHS England Chief Executive Simon Stevens announced in a speech at a major health conference that Devon would be one of three areas in England where local health and care organisations would work together to make improvements for patients as part of the new Success Regime.
- The NHS Five Year Forward View, published last year, set out a vision for the future of the NHS, including how it will need to evolve to meet the challenges of the future on health and wellbeing; care and quality; and funding and efficiency. The Success Regime aims to help create the conditions for success in areas facing challenges in transforming the system.

Purpose

- The purpose of the Success Regime will be to protect and promote services for patients in local health and care systems that are struggling with financial or quality problems, or sometimes both. It will provide increased support and direction and aims to secure improvement in three main areas:
 - Short-term improvement against agreed quality, performance and financial metrics
 - Medium and longer-term transformation, including the application of new care models where appropriate
 - The development of leadership capacity and capability across the health system, ensuring collaborative working

Purpose

The Success Regime will seek to address deep-rooted and systemic issues that previous interventions have not tackled across the whole health and care economy. It provides local organisations with the means and opportunity to work together to improve services for patients and they will benefit from support and resource to achieve this.

Success Regime in Devon

- Devon has been identified as one of three areas that will benefit from the Success Regime. This Regime will build upon existing approaches to providing support and challenge to local systems by working across whole health and care economies in a more joined-up way to fix the current problems rather than focusing on a single organisation when trying to solve systemic problems.
- As well as identifying the issues and any changes required, it will provide both support and challenge to health and care organisations, and work with them to implement any necessary changes. This will include working with organisations to develop and strengthen leadership, with a particular focus on leaders working together to drive improvements for patients and for their organisations.

Success Regime in Devon

- In Devon the arrangements will build on collaborative work that is already under way between NHS and organisations and their partners on planning strategically for the future. Those involved include:
 - the hospital trusts
 - community and mental health services
 - commissioners and local authorities that serve the whole county except Torbay and South Devon.
- The new support from NHS England, Monitor and the Trust Development Authority will provide additional leadership and resources, working across organisational boundaries to help make the changes that are needed. It will also help each of the organisations involved to tackle the underlying issues behind rising deficits.