

## SUMMARY OF WHCCG CANCER STRATEGY AND WORK PROGRAMME

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#### PREVENTION

Work in partnership with PHE / NHSE to commission high quality, evidence based prevention services and use education / awareness to improve uptake.

Introduce opportunities to promote smoking cessation and other brief interventions to reduce known risk factors

#### SCREENING

#### AWARENESS & EARLY DETECTION

Work with partners in NHS England and local practices to take targeted actions to increase screening rates in areas of low uptake and reduce inequalities.

Reduce the number of cancers diagnosed in A&E Departments

Work with partners to reiterate national awareness campaigns at a local level in relation to early signs of cancer, through messaging and support for early / direct access diagnostics.

#### ACCESS TO SERVICES

With a focus on pathway improvements, increase the productivity and capacity in face of rising demand, WHCCG will:

- ensure routes to diagnostics are clear, effective and have sufficient capacity to accommodate demand
- hold providers to account for attainment (and ideally exceed) national cancer waiting time standards
- work with providers to identify pathway improvements, one-stop clinics, patient activated follow up appointments, remote surveillance.

#### PATIENT EXPERIENCE & SURVIVORSHIP

WHCCG will encourage and support GP practices and providers to implement elements of the National Survivorship Initiative (Recovery packages/ stratified pathways) and cancer reviews in Primary Care.

#### END OF LIFE

End of Life care will be integrated across health, social care and hospice provision to maximise choice outside of hospital. End of life care will be integrated into CCG locality plans and will underpin the way care is delivered within primary care.

#### Overseen through the following governance arrangements

- Wessex Cancer Alliance - shared system leadership
- WHCCG Clinical Cabinet / Governance
- Alignment with Locality Plans
- Sharing improvement practices

#### The following success criteria will measure improvements to prevention, treatment and care:

- Direct patient involvement in co-design of service redesign and improvements
- National Cancer Patient Experience Survey
- National Cancer Diagnosis Audit
- Significant events analysis included within Primary Care Quality Progression Scheme
- Providers attain and exceed all mandated access standards
- Improvements to one year survival rates
- Reduce cancer diagnosis via emergency routes
- Earlier diagnosis and staging

Evidence collated via national programmes and reporting, and locally generated intelligence from health & social care system.

#### System values and principles

- We will maximise value by seeking the best outcomes for every pound invested
- We work cohesively with our colleagues to build tolerance, understanding and co-operation to achieve collective ambitions for our population