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Duty to Promote Integration	Each ICB must exercise its functions with a view to ensuring that health services are delivered in an integrated way and that their provision is integrated with that of health-related or social care services, where this would: improve quality of those services reduce inequalities in access and outcomes	Yes	SEL ICB is committed to integrating health services, social care and health-related services to improve quality and reduce inequalities. Our JFP sets out actions to progress local integration through local care partnerships, building on our ICS strategy and JLHWS ambitions. We have a range of provider collaboratives to support horizontal collaboration and integrated approaches. Our care pathway programmes seek to ensure integrated end to end care pathways and our enabler board joined up approaches to enabling infrastructure, recognising there are further opportunities across all these areas.
Describing the health services for which the ICB proposes to make arrangements	The plan must describe the health services for which the ICB proposes to make arrangements in the exercise of its functions.	Yes	Our Joint Forward Plan sets out how SEL ICB will meet the health needs of our population, across key pathway and population groups, reflecting work done at a system level and within our boroughs driven by our understanding of population health need, patient/public feedback and service challenges and opportunities. Our plans focus on all areas of ICB commissioned services with an integrated borough and end to end care pathway focus.

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Duty to consider wider effect of decisions	In making decisions about the provision of healthcare, an ICB must consider the wider effects of its decisions, also known as the triple aim of: (a) health and wellbeing of the people of England (including by reducing inequalities with respect to health and wellbeing) (b) quality of healthcare services for the purposes of the NHS (including by reducing inequalities with respect to the benefits obtained by individuals from those services) and (c) sustainable and efficient use of resources by NHS bodies.	Yes	SEL ICB is committed to the “triple aim” and our JFP includes sections covering our plans to reduce inequalities with respect to health and wellbeing, improve quality of services and ensure sustainable and efficient use of resources by NHS bodies.
Duty to patient choice	Each ICB must act with a view to enabling patients to make choices with respect to aspects of health services provided to them.	Yes	SEL ICB is committed to enabling patient choice and has a patient choice policy to underpin this commitment. All work and decisions around commissioning plans, contracting arrangements and delivery of services are completed within this framework, with a wide ranging portfolio of contracted providers to embed choice for patients. Engagement insights and coproduction are embedded into service development processes and we have a Working With People and Committees Strategy recently developed which provides a framework for how we engage, work with and coproduce plans with partners

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Financial duties	The plan must explain how the ICB intends to discharge its financial duties.	Yes	Our JFP includes a section on our medium term financial strategy. SEL ICB is committed to complying with the NHS England financial objectives, directions and expenditure limits, and progressing work to enhance productivity and value for money to ensure a sustainable cost base within the SEL NHS system. Our medium term financial strategy is focussed on our strategic approach to the allocation of the ICB's resources to support the delivery of our integrated care strategy and JFP objectives, plus an ambition around securing financial sustainability over this same period.
Duty to improve quality of services	Each ICB must exercise its functions with a view to securing continuous improvement in: the quality of services provided to individuals for or in connection with the prevention, diagnosis or treatment of illness outcomes including safety and patient experience.	Yes	This is covered throughout the plan but specifically in the quality section outlining the shared commitment across the system.

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Duty to promote involvement of each patient	Each ICB must promote the involvement of patients, and their carers and representatives (if any), in decisions that relate to: (a) the prevention or diagnosis of illness in the patients or (b) their care or treatment.	Yes	SEL ICB has multiple programmes of work to implement a comprehensive and consistent approach to Personalised Care which promotes the involvement of each patient in decisions about prevention, diagnosis and their care or treatment. The duty to promote involvement of each patients is covered in multiple sections including context, engagement, personalised care, Local Care Partnerships, and SEL
Duty to involve the public	ICBs and partner trusts have a duty to involve people and communities in decisions about the planning, development and operation of services commissioned and provided.	Yes	SEL ICB has continued to undertake significant engagement with people and communities through the year, as set out in the engagement section of our plan. The ICB has a Working With People and Communities Strategic Framework in place which outlines our for building effective partnerships with people and communities. The ICB has developed a range of tools to support engagement including an online engagement platform, a People's Panel, approaches to community engagement and an engagement toolkit.

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Duty to obtain appropriate advice	Each ICB must obtain appropriate advice to enable it to effectively discharge its functions from persons who (taken together) have a broad range of professional expertise in: (a) the prevention, diagnosis or treatment of illness and (b) the protection or improvement of public health.	Yes	<p>The ICB has a range of structures for engagement and obtaining advice from partners e.g. Healthwatch and voluntary, community and social enterprise sector (VCSE). The formal governance fora also include a wide range of perspectives including clinical and care professionals to ensure appropriate advice is sought and considered in decision making processes.</p> <p>The ICB's Board includes a Chief Nurse, Medical Director and membership from providers including one nominated by primary care.</p> <p>To increase collaboration with public health and embed public health expertise in ongoing system-wide strategy development and implementation, the south east London Directors of Public Health will attend ICB Partnership Board and ICB Partnership meetings.</p>

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Duty to promote innovation	Each ICB must promote innovation in the provision of health services (including in the arrangements made for their provision).	Yes	SEL ICB works closely with a range of partners to promote local innovation. This includes work with Kings Health Partners and our Health Innovation Network, to support adoption and spread, with further work to develop our ICB approach to research and innovation.
Duty in respect of research	Each ICB must facilitate or otherwise promote: (a) research on matters relevant to the health service and (b) the use in the health service of evidence obtained from research.	Yes	SEL has a number of large provider organisations that are heavily involved in research and adoption of practice based on evidence generated through research, with clear links to our service planning and delivery to ensure we are optimising the opportunities to embed evidence based practice. SEL ICS is currently in the process of developing and implementing its research strategy and an evaluation framework.

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Duty to promote education and training	Each ICB must have regard to the need to promote education and training so as to assist the Secretary of State and Health Education England (HEE)-in the discharge of the duty under that section.	Yes	Education and training is an essential lever of SEL's integrated workforce strategy which aligns with the NHS Long Term Workforce Plan. A summary of the workforce strategy and how it supports delivery of services in the short, medium and long term is set out in our JFP.
Duty as to climate change	Each ICB must have regard to the need to: (a) contribute towards compliance with (i) section 1 of the Climate Change Act 2008 (UK net zero emissions target) and (ii) section 5 of the Environment Act 2021 (environmental targets) and (b) adapt to any current or predicted impacts of climate change identified in the most recent report under section 56 of the Climate Change Act 2008.	Yes	SEL ICB is committed to the green agenda, minimising our environmental impact and achieving net zero. The sustainability section of our plan sets out the key actions as part of our plan.

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Addressing the particular needs of victims of abuse	The plan must set out any steps that the ICB proposes to take to address the particular needs of victims of abuse (including domestic and sexual abuse, whether children or adults). It must have due regard to the provisions of the Domestic Abuse Act 2021 and accompanying statutory guidance, and relevant safeguarding provisions.	Yes	Addressing the needs of victims of abuse is covered within the CYP section of our JFP. SEL ICB safeguarding policy covers the provisions of the Domestic Abuse Act 2021 and accompanying statutory guidance, and relevant safeguarding provisions for both Adults and Children and Young People. As part of our statutory duties the ICB is committed to delivery of the Safeguarding Accountability and Assurance Framework and the following safeguarding programmes; Child Protection Information Systems, Female Genital Mutilation, Prevent, Working Together, Modern Slavery and Human Trafficking, Domestic Abuse and Liberty Protection Safeguards/Mental Capacity Act protections.
Addressing the particular needs of children and young persons	The plan must set out any steps that the ICB proposes to take to address the particular needs of children and young persons under the age of 25.	Yes	Our JFP includes a section on our plans related to Children and Young People (CYP).

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Duty to reduce inequalities	Each ICB must have regard to the need to: (a) reduce inequalities between persons with respect to their ability to access health services and (b) reduce inequalities between patients with respect to the outcomes achieved for them by the provision of health services. There is also a duty to have regard to the wider effects of decisions on inequalities.	Yes	SEL ICB is committed to delivering high-quality healthcare for all, through equitable access, excellent experience and optimal outcomes. Reducing inequalities is a golden thread throughout our JFP and contains specific objectives and priority actions to achieve this. Our plans set out our focus on the delivery and further development of integrated, holistic and personalised care. In addition our medium term financial strategy sets out an approach through which we will secure dedicated additional investment to target our work on reducing inequalities. SEL ICB complies with the requirements of the Public Sector Equality Duty, section 149 of the Equality Act 2010.
Implementing any JLHWS	The plan must set out the steps that the ICB proposes to take to implement any JLHWSs to which it is required to have regard under section 116B(1) of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007.	Yes	The plan has a section for each of our Local Care Partnerships which clearly references the alignment across the 6 boroughs

Glossary (1)

Abbrev	Description	Abbrev	Description	Abbrev	Description
A&E	Accident and Emergency Department	BCF	Better Care Fund	CQC	Care Quality Commission
ACP	Advanced Care Practitioners	BFI	Baby Friendly Initiative	CVD	Cardiovascular Disease
AHC	Adult Health Check	BP	Blood pressure	CYP	Children and Young People
AHSN	Academic Health Science Network	CAMHS	Children and Adolescent Mental Health Services	DASS	Director of Adult Social Services
AI	Artificial Intelligence	CDC	Community diagnostic centre	DES	Directory of Enhanced Services
ALD	Adult Learning Disability	CETR	Care Education Treatment Review	DSR	Dynamic Support Register
AHP	Allied Health Professional	CESEL	Clinical Effectiveness South East London	ECH	Eltham Community Hospital
APC	Acute Provider Collaborative	CHC	Continuing Health Care	ED	Emergency Department
ARI	Acute Respiratory Infections	CHD	Coronary Heart Disease	EDI	Equality Diversity and Inclusion
ARRS	Additional role reimbursement scheme	CKD	Chronic Kidney Disease	EHCNA	Education Health Care Needs Assessment
ASC	Adult Social Care	CMHS	Community Mental Health Services	ENT	Ears Nose and Throat
ASD/A DHD	Autistic Spectrum Disorder / Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder	COPD	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease	EPEC	Empowering Patients Empowering Communities
BAU	Business As Usual	CPES	Cancer patient experience survey	FIT	Faecal Immunochemical Testing

Glossary (2)

Abbrev	Description	Abbrev	Description	Abbrev	Description
G&A	General and Acute hospital beds	ICS	Integrated Care System	LCP	Local Care Partnership
GIRFT	Getting it right first time	INT	Integrated neighbourhood teams	LDA	Learning Disability and Autism
GLA	Greater London Authority	IPC	Infection prevention and control	LeDeR	Learning from the lives and deaths of people with learning disability and autistic people
GSTT	Guys and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust	IUC	Integrated Urgent Care	LFPSE	Learn From Patient Safety Events
HCAI	Healthcare associated infections	JFP	Joint Forward Plan	LGA	Local Government Association
HGP	Healthier Greenwich Partnership	JLHWS	Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategy	LGBTQ+	Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer and other sexual identities
HVLC	High volume low complexity	JSNA	Joint Strategic Needs Assessment	LGT	Lewisham and Greenwich NHS Trust
HWB	Health and Wellbeing	JWA	Joint Working Agreement	LHCP	Lewisham Health and Care Partnership
HWS	Health and Wellbeing Strategy	KCH	Kings College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	LIP	Local Implementation Plan
IAPT	Improving Access to Psychological Therapies	KCL	Kings College London	LMHS	Local maternity and neonatal system
ICB	Integrated Care Board	LA	Local Authority	LOS	Length of Stay
ICHM	Integrated Child Health Model	LARC	Long Acting Reversible Contraception	LTC	Long Term Condition
ICP	Integrated Care Partnership	LBL	London Borough of Lambeth	LWNA	Living Well Network Alliance

Glossary (3)

Abbrev	Description	Abbrev	Description	Abbrev	Description
MH	Mental Health	OD	Organisational Design	PTL	Patient tracking list
MDT	Multi-disciplinary Teams	PCN	Primary Care Network	PTSD	Post Traumatic Stress Disorder
MHMD S	Mental health minimum dataset	PEOLC	Palliative and end of life care	QEH	Queen Elizabeth Hospital
MMN	Maternal medicines network	PHB	Personal Health Budget	QMS	Queen Mary's Sidcup
MSP	Market Sustainability Plan	PHC	Physical Healthcare Check	QOF	Quality Outcomes Framework
MSK	Musculo Skeletal	PIFU	Patient Initiated Follow Up	SACT	Systemic anti-cancer therapy
MSW	Maternity support worker	PHM	Population Health Management	SDEC	Same Day Emergency Care
MTFS	Medium Term Financial Strategy	PMO	Programme Management Office	SEL	South East London
MVP	Maternity voice partnership	PODs	Pharmaceutical, general optometry and dental services	SELCA	South East London Cancer Alliance
NAPC	National Association for Primary Care	PReP	Pre-exposure prophylaxis	SEND	Special Educational Needs and Disabilities
NICE	National Institute for Health and Care Excellence	PROMs	Patient reported outcome measures	SLAM	South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust
NVQ	National Vocational Qualification	PRS	Private Rented Sector	SLP	South London Partnership
NWL	North West London	PSIRF	Patient Safety Incident Response Framework	SMI	Serious Mental Illness

Glossary (4)

Abbrev	Description	Abbrev	Description	Abbrev	Description
STI	Sexually Transmitted Infection				
SWL	South West London				
TBC/D	To be confirmed / determined				
TLHC	Targeted lung health check				
UCR	Urgent Community Response				
UEC	Urgent and Emergency Care				
UKHSA	UK Health Security Agency				
UTC	Urgent Treatment Centre				
UTI	Urinary tract infection				
VCSE	Voluntary, community and social enterprise sector				