

Attachment

Report to: NEL CCG Joint Co-Commissioning Committee

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Date of Meeting: 28 July 2016

Subject:

Status: OPEN CLOSED

Complies with latest CCG Strategy for Primary Medical Services, if not, please give a brief reason why:

OBJECT OF REPORT:

This report is to update the committee on matters pertaining to the Transformational Fund.

STRATEGY:

N/A

IMPLICATIONS:

None to report

RECOMMENDATIONS (R) AND ACTIONS (A) FOR AGREEMENT:

To receive and note the update.

		Yes/ No	Comments
	Does the document take account of and meet the requirements of the following:		
i)	Mental Capacity Act	Yes	
ii)	CCG Equality Impact Assessment	Yes	
iii)	Human Rights Act 1998	Yes	
iv)	Health and Safety at Work Act 1974	Yes	
v)	Freedom of Information Act 2000 / Data Protection Act 1998	Yes	
iv)	Does the report have regard of the principles and values of the NHS Constitution? www.dh.gov.uk/en/Publicationsandstatistics/Publications/PublicationsPolicyAndGuidance/DH_113613	Yes	

The guidance for the Estates and Technology Transformation Fund (ETTF) has now been published. The scheme has previously been called the Primary Care Infrastructure Fund (PCIF) and the Primary Care Transformation Fund (PCTF). The purpose of the ETTF programme is to help GP Practices establish infrastructure which enables extra capacity for appointments in hours and at evenings and weekends to meet locally determined demand.

CCGs will be required to submit their proposals using the secure access programme portal which closes on 30th June 2016. CCGs will also be required to prioritise their recommendations. NHS England will then complete an initial review of all submissions and feedback to CCGs by the end of August 2016. Schemes will either be assessed as meeting the criteria and moving to the due diligence stage or not meeting the criteria and therefore not progressed

A further update will be provided at the next meeting

Recommendation

The Committee is asked to note the update given.