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To commission the Section 7a public health programmes to secure good population health for the residents of South Yorkshire and Bassettaw. We will commission - a Healthy Child programme for 0-5s and screening and immunisation programmes that drive improving and protecting the publics health, ensure the best possible start in life, reduce health inequalities and contribute to a sustainable public health care system. We will also commission a Child Health Data system that supports sustainable improvements in both the commissioning and delivery of the services.

Delivered through: Service Specifications

Assessment of compliance against the national service specifications will translate into a clear work programme for both providers and commissioners to take forward

Delivered through: a framework of performance management and integrated commissioning with other key commissioners.

Delivered through: increases to services

Numbers of Health Visitors and FNP nurses to be increased in line with National Trajectories.

Delivered through High Quality Data and Business intelligence

Access to and effective use of data and intelligence held regarding services and population need.

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System Objective Three

Identify and mitigate against risk and learn from incidents

Delivered through: Risk and Incident management

A systematic approach to risk assessment, incident notification, management and learning locally and nationally

Delivered through QIPP

Consistent application of the QIPP (quality, improvement, prevention, productivity) methodology to all commissioned services, to move us into the transformational agenda

System Objective Four

Commission services which are clinically and financially sustainable and Value for money

Overseen through the following governance arrangements

1. National –Public Health Commissioning Oversight Group in place, with Area Team Director membership; National Health visiting Transition board
2. Regional –Regional Heads of Public Health Commissioning and Screening and Immunisation Leads Group, Regional Health Visiting Transition board.
3. Local (provider) –Local FNP Boards, local integrated Commissioning forum, a framework of Screening and immunisation programme boards which report into a AT wide Screening and immunisation Advisory Group.
4. A strong performance management structure of the Health Visiting Trajectory performance

Measured using the following success criteria

- Full provider compliance against national specifications and standards
- Well-defined service models and pathway
- Performance which is at or exceeding national targets
- Successful management and mitigation of risks in the system
- Services which are able to learn from incidents
- Reduction in variation of price for services between different providers
- Reduction in variation of uptake both geographically and across hard to reach groups

System values and principles

- Patients and the public are at the heart of everything we do
- Commissioning initiatives must always be underpinned by a clear and robust evidence base
- Commissioners across the system will work together in pursuit of optimal commissioning of Childrens services to maximise the quality improvement, efficiency of services and patient and Family experience.
- QIPP principles are applied consistently across commissioning
- Transparency in decision-making & clear accountability

Delivered through: Partnership working

To develop transitional shadow commissioning arrangements throughout 2014/15 to ensure the integration of the commissioning strategies with those of the LA .

System Objective Five

To ensure the safe transition of the commissioning responsibility of the healthy Child programme to the LA by October 2015

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