

Introducing the Network

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AHSN core purpose – health and wealth



Academic Health Science
Networks

- Licensed by NHS England for 5 years to deliver four objectives:
- **Focus on the needs of patients and local populations:** support and work in partnership with commissioners and public health bodies to identify and address unmet health and social care needs, whilst promoting health equality and best practice.
- **Speed up adoption of innovation into practice** to improve clinical outcomes and patient experience - support the identification and more rapid uptake and spread of research evidence and innovation at pace and scale to improve patient care and local population health.
- **Build a culture of partnership and collaboration:** promote inclusivity, partnership and collaboration to consider and address local, regional and national priorities.
- **Create wealth** through co-development, testing, evaluation and early adoption and spread of new products and services.

What and where

Oxford AHSN – 1 of 15 in England
 3.3M population
 Annual NHS spend circa £5bn
 NHS employees 65,000
 13 Clinical Commissioning Groups
 12 Local Enterprise Partnerships
 12 Councils
 Major international companies
 Leading location for Life Sciences



Complex landscape with many providers and agencies

Our healthcare and academic partners

NHS Trusts within the Network



- 1 Oxford University Hospitals NHS Trust
- 2 Oxford Health NHS Foundation Trust
- 3 Royal Berkshire NHS Foundation Trust
- 4 Berkshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust
- 5 Heatherwood and Wexham Park NHS Foundation Trust
- 6 Buckinghamshire Healthcare NHS Trust
- 7 Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
- 8 Milton Keynes Community Services
- 9 Bedford Hospital NHS Trust
- 10 Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust (wef 1 November 2012)
- 11: South Central Ambulance Service FT

Universities within the Network



- 1 Buckinghamshire New University
- 2 The Open University
- 3 Oxford Brookes University
- 4 University of Bedfordshire
- 5 University of Buckingham
- 6 University of Oxford
- 7 University of Reading
- 8 University of West London (Reading campus)
- 9 Cranfield University

The Oxford AHSN – our vision

- To deliver best care through a sustainable population centred system that ensures excellence in healthcare and equity of access for our patients using continuous learning and research to lead to new opportunities to create wealth by healthcare innovation.

The Oxford AHSN – our work programmes

- **Best Care**

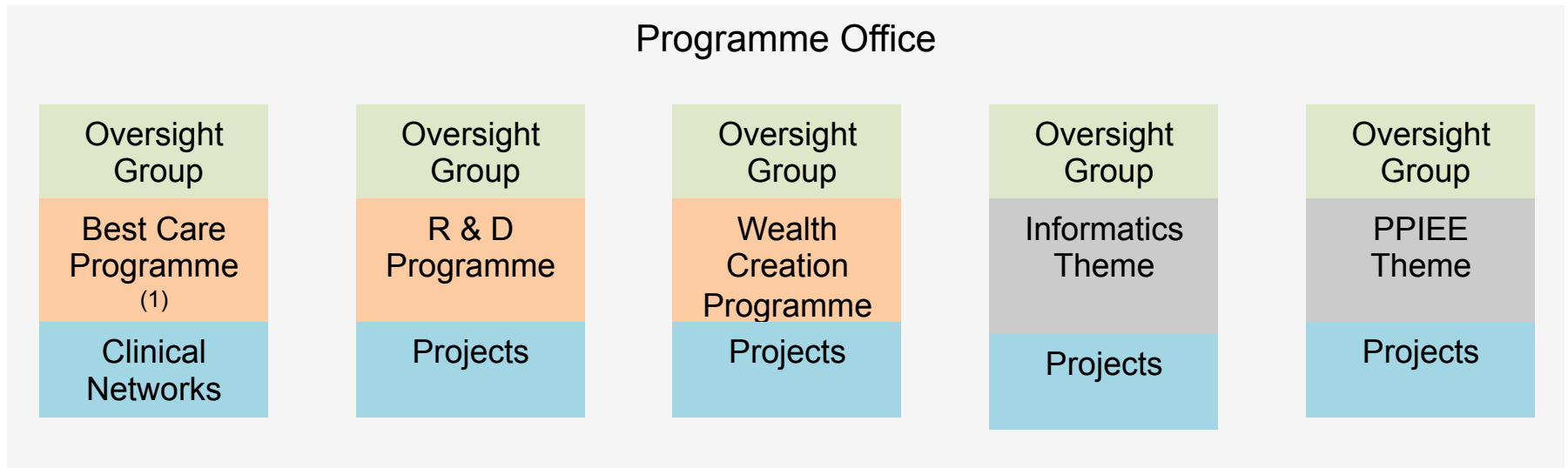
Clinical networks, sustainability, integration and population healthcare - working with Thames Valley Strategic Clinical Networks

Continuous learning – working with Health Education Thames Valley

- **Research and Development** work with Thames Valley and South Midlands Local CRN NIHR, CLAHRC, life science industry and other research infrastructure

- **Wealth creation** through partnering with industry to support co-development, evaluation and spread of new products and services

The Oxford AHSN Governance



(1) Best Care Programme – Clinical Networks incorporates Integration and Sustainability and Population Healthcare Themes and the Continuous Learning programme

The Oxford AHSN – our values

- We will be inclusive, transparent and fair
- We exist to:
 - Improve the health of our patients through speeding up adoption of innovation into practice
 - Support wealth creation in the Oxford AHSN partners and wider English economy
- We will achieve this by helping our partners be more successful through facilitating and supporting collaboration and partnership working

Making it happen

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Oxford AHSN Funding Priorities

- Best Care Programme – 9 Clinical networks:
 - Diabetes
 - Dementia
 - Depression and anxiety
 - Mental and physical co-morbidity
 - Early intervention in mental health
 - Imaging
 - Medicines optimisation
 - Maternity
 - Children
- Continuous Learning with funding from Health Education Thames Valley
 - 7 Fellowships (MScs) in Evidence Based Medicine and
 - the Patient Safety Academy Themes – PPIEE and Informatics

Oxford AHSN mobilisation

- Put in place Funding Agreements with Networks and Projects
- Appoint Core team
 - Programme Office to support programmes
 - Network Managers to support clinical networks
 - Innovation Adoption Manager
 - Wealth Creation Lead
 - Informatics Lead
 - Wealth Creation Managers for Reading and Milton Keynes
- On-going PPIEE, Communications, Website, event and programme support to the networks and projects
- Establish working relationships with key stakeholders
- Establishing Programme Boards
- Establish Oversight Groups
- Launch Clinical Networks
- Finalise Wealth Creation strategy