

	<p align="center">London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham</p> <p align="center">HEALTH & WELLBEING BOARD 9 September 2015</p>
<p>Better Care Fund Quarter 1 Submission</p>	
<p>Report of the Chair of Hammersmith and Fulham Clinical Commissioning Group</p>	
<p>Open Report</p>	
<p>Classification - For noting (delete as appropriate) Key Decision: No</p>	
<p>Wards Affected: All</p>	
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1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 1.1. The quarter one submission of the Better Care Fund deliverables against plan was submitted on 28 August. This is attached. The submission focusses on budget arrangements, the national conditions, payments for performance, income and expenditure to and from the Better Care Fund and performance on local metrics.

2. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 2.1. The Health and Wellbeing Board is asked to note the detail in the submission

3. REASONS FOR DECISION

- 3.1. N/A

4. INTRODUCTION AND BACKGROUND

4.1 The BCF is a single pooled budget for health and social care services to work closer in local areas, based on a plan agreed between the NHS and local authorities. The Better Care Fund came into effect this year. Quarterly returns on agreed parameters are required to be made in respect of the Better Care Fund.

5. PROPOSAL AND ISSUES

5.1. N/A

6. OPTIONS AND ANALYSIS OF OPTIONS

6.1. N/A

7. CONSULTATION

7.1. N/A

8. EQUALITY IMPLICATIONS

8.1. N/A

9. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

9.1. N/A

10. FINANCIAL AND RESOURCES IMPLICATIONS

10.1. There are no financial implications over and above those already approved within the Better Care Fund programme.

11. RISK MANAGEMENT

11.1. N/A

12. PROCUREMENT AND IT STRATEGY IMPLICATIONS

12.1. N/A

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 2000
LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS USED IN PREPARING THIS REPORT

No.	Description of Background Papers	Name/Ext of holder of file/copy	Department/ Location
1.	None		