

Lochaber Health & Social Care Redesign Stakeholders Group

Thursday, 28th September 2023 at 2pm – 3pm
Via MS Teams



Present:	Louise Bussell, Board Nurse Director, NHS Highland
	Alan Wilson, Director of Estates, Facilities and Capital Planning, NHS Highland
	David Campbell, UHI
	Serena Bannister, Project Officer
	John Grafton, Highland Councillor
	Lyn Kilpatrick, Voluntary Action Lochaber
	David McArthur, Senior Nurse
	Stuart MacPherson, Head of Strategic Projects, LSWR, Highlands & Islands Enterprise
	Willem Nel, Rural Emergency Physician
	Iain Macniven, Chair Arisaig & District Community Council
	Ian Langley, Community Councillor, Spean Bridge, Roy Bridge and Achnacarry Community Council
	Ruth Fry, Head of Communications and Engagement
	Brian Murphy, Chair of the Transport and Access Sub-Group
	Agne Bankauskaite, Accountant
	Thomas MacLennan, Highland Councillor
	Carmen Morrison, Local Officer, Community Engagement & Improvement Support
	Donald Stewart, Director, South Lochaber Community Company
	Karen-Anne Wilson, District Manager
	Stephen Gilbert, Consultant Anaesthetist
	Josie Thomson, Clinical Advisor, Estates Team, NHS Highland
	John Hutchison, Chair, Kilmallie Community Council
Apologies:	Gordon MacLeay, Clinical Advisor, NHS Highland
	David Sedgwick, Belford Appreciation Group representative
	Denise Anderson, Sunart Community Council representative
	John Gillespie, Chair, Caol Community Council
	Patricia Jordan, Secretary, Fort William, Inverlochy & Torlundy Community Council
	Gavin Sell, Area Manager, NHS Highland
	Robert Cargill, Deputy Medical Director (Acute)
	Helen Fairlie, Chair, Glencoe and Glen Etive Community Council
Minutes:	Anna Chisholm, Personal Assistant

1.	Welcome and apologies: Louise Bussell welcomed everyone to the meeting and the above apologies were noted.
2.	Minutes from the previous meeting of 6th September 2023 and matters arising: It was confirmed the Appendices provided were to reiterate the position following the IA submission. Lochaber Redesign: Service Model Questions and Answers Appendix 1 – Rehab Model Appendix 2 – Clinical Model

	<p>It was confirmed this is the RGH core model however, further work is underway to develop the clinical output specification.</p> <p>Alan confirmed the programme issued at the in-person meeting on 6th September was inaccurate and an accurate programme will be issued to the Stakeholders.</p> <p>Action: Alan will reissue an accurate programme to the Lochaber Stakeholder Group.</p>
3.	<p>Community Services Planning Group update – Karen-Anne Wilson</p> <p>The 1st workshop in Caol Community Centre was positive and focussed on the services being provided in Lochaber, together with the pros and cons. A full update has been circulated for all attendees who could not participate in the workshop.</p> <p>Karen-Anne confirmed the 2nd workshop will take place on Monday, 2nd October for NHS staff and the associated services. This will develop the information provided by the services at the 1st workshop, together with the longer-term plans. The 3rd and 4th workshops will include members of the public and GP colleagues.</p> <p>Louise confirmed the link up with health and social care including care homes.</p> <p>It was confirmed the hospital at home funding bid unfortunately was not successful.</p>
4.	<p>Follow up on 6th September meeting and Q & A Update – Alan Wilson / Louise Bussell</p> <p>Louise gave assurance the place of safety suite model will provide the optimum service and support for individuals requiring this service.</p> <p>Louise confirmed updates and information/source links will be included in all Q&A documents to enable the wider public, who may not be familiar with the progress of the Lochaber redesign, to have a full understanding.</p> <p>Louise confirmed the following points:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There will be an MRI scanner point in the new hospital. • Health Improvement Scotland have confirmed no signage is required for an HDU. • A process is required for specifying the outpatient clinics therefore they will be confirmed in due course. • GP engagement is ongoing with representation at this meeting and in all elements of the Lochaber Redesign process. <p>It was confirmed an update on care home provision will be added to non-clinical accommodation on a future Q&A document.</p> <p>Alan confirmed following surveys in all of the NHS Highland estate no RAAC has been identified.</p> <p>John confirmed the end of term for some of the community councillors.</p> <p>Louise asked the group to provide comments on the Q&A document by 13th October so they can be incorporated.</p>
5.	AOCB
6.	<p>Agenda items for the next meeting</p> <p>Community Services Planning Group update – Gavin Sell</p>
7.	<p>Date of next meeting</p> <p>Thursday, 23rd November at 3pm – 4pm</p>

8. Date of future meetings:

Thursday, 21 st December 2023	3pm – 4pm
2024	
Thursday, 25 th January 2024	2pm – 3pm
Thursday, 29 th February	2pm – 3pm
Thursday, 28 th March	2pm – 3pm
Thursday, 25 th April	2pm – 3pm
Thursday, 30 th May	2pm – 3pm
Thursday, 27 th June	2pm – 3pm
Thursday, 25 th July	2pm – 3pm
Thursday, 29 th August	2pm – 3pm
Thursday, 26 th September	2pm – 3pm
Thursday, 31 st October	2pm – 3pm
Thursday, 28 th November	2pm – 3pm
Monday, 23 rd December	2pm – 3pm