

APPENDIX 6

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PRIORITIES FOR CTPLD

2009-10

Appendix 6 CTPLD - TEAM PRIORITIES

The Priorities in the **PCT Operational Plan 2009/10** relating to Learning Disabilities are as follows:

- By the end of January 2009, complete a self-assessment against the SW SHA's 'Learning Disability Performance and Self Assessment Framework, November 2008'.
- By the end of March 2009, return the completed assessment and action /delivery plan to the Strategic Health Authority.
- By June 2009, obtain validation of the action plan by SHA
- By the April 2009, ensure Valuing People NOW implementation plan is developed (that is linked to the SHA framework local plan).(NB this is dependent on Valuing People Now being received by the end of January 2009).
- Ensure recommendations contained within 'Healthcare for ALL' that require local action, the Valuing People NOW implementation plan and the SHA framework action plan are delivered.
- Ensure Speech and Language therapy services for people with learning disabilities are appropriately staffed and resourced to deliver the service required by April 2009.
- Continue to pilot the health checks with GP's practice in North Somerset and link outcomes to the action plan to deliver the SHA framework by April 2009.
- Continue to progress the LDP bid for additional resources to support the work of the Challenging Behaviour Team in supporting the needs of people with learning disabilities who challenge. This work will link to the development of a local action plan in response to the recommendations of the Mansell Report to be produced by September 2009.
- Continue to support the development of a joint action plan with Mental Health and Adult Social Services to support the needs of people with Autism & Aspergers in North Somerset.

- Improve access to services for people with learning disabilities by continuing to ensure the production of all health information provided by NHS North Somerset is produced in an accessible format to enable people with a learning disability to understand it.

Other Team Priorities

- To deliver the implementation plan from the learning disability Adult Social Care and Health review.
- To develop and consult on a North Somerset Joint Learning Disability Commissioning Strategy
- To deliver the allocated target of personalised budgets for Learning disabilities
- To continue to deliver the integration agenda within the Community Team for People with Learning Disabilities including:
 - Single Point of Access
 - Single Assessment Process
 - Joint case co-ordinators
 - Joined-up IT systems
- To develop service specifications for each professional area within the Community Team for People with Learning Disabilities.
- To develop an Information Strategy and continue to maintain existing formats e.g. website, newsletter etc.
- To maintain existing data systems and develop new data collection mechanisms to deliver against strategic priorities.
- To deliver the recommendations emerging from the review of engagement with people with a learning disability and their carers from BME communities
- To develop and implement a customer satisfaction audit tool that is accessible for people with learning disabilities.
- To continue to ensure people with learning disabilities are safe from harm and neglect in North Somerset