LCHS Stakeholder Update - Healthwatch Provider Forum

Trust Board changes

As of Monday 1^{st} of July, our Chief Executive Andrew Morgan went on secondment to ULHT as their Chief Executive from 1 July, 2019 to 31 March, 2020 and Maz Fosh will become our Chief Executive for this period.

Also from Monday, Tracy Pilcher, Director of Nursing, AHPs and Operations will take on Deputy CEO duties and Ceri Lennon will be stepping into part of Maz's director role.

• Lincs NHS staff shortlisted for national awards

A nurse and an allied health professional (AHP) from two of Lincolnshire's NHS trusts have been announced as finalists in the prestigious HEAT (healthcare, education and training) Awards.

Staff nurse Deborah Faulkner, from Lincolnshire Community Health Services NHS Trust (LCHS) joins Polly Blaydes, Allied Health Professional Lead and Recovery Services Advisor from Lincolnshire Partnership NHS Foundation Trust (LPFT) in making the shortlist.

The HEAT Awards, organised by Health Education England, celebrate the importance education, training, leadership and workforce planning play in delivering high-quality compassionate healthcare in the NHS.

• Service project team shortlisted for NHS Parliamentary Award

A team from Lincolnshire Community Health Services NHS Trust (LCHS) has been announced as finalists in the national Parliamentary Awards.

The NHS Parliamentary Awards were created to celebrate NHS staff, carers and volunteers for their hard work, innovative ideas and unwavering efforts to put patients first.

The Urgent Care Streaming service and Clinical Assessment Service team is down to the final seven in their category, The Excellence in Urgent and Emergency Care Award for their work on the Urgent Care Streaming service.

The team is made up of staff from across Lincolnshire who have specialist roles in urgent care, such as Advanced Nurse Practitioners, GPs, Practitioners and Health Care Support Workers.

This service allows patients requiring urgent care to be assessed and advises on the most appropriate care for that patient, thus reducing the number of people needing to attend A&E and helping to decrease waiting times for those patients that do need to be seen at A&E.

- #NHS100Challenge beats ambitious target for enrolling new apprentices
 An innovative challenge to employ 100 new apprentices in 100 days into the local NHS system has proved a runaway success with a total of 117 new recruits signing up to the three NHS Trusts in Lincolnshire.
- Supporting the wider Lincolnshire NHS system with Healthy conversion 2019
 Healthy Conversation 2019 is Lincolnshire NHS wide. This is a discussion about what, and how, we need to change to ensure that our health, and health service is fit for the future.

LCHS have been supporting the Healthy Conversation 2019 with social media posts, supporting engagement events and briefing staff members.