Item 10: Moorfields Eye Hospital

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To: Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee, 29 January 2020

Subject: Moorfields Eye Hospital Relocation

Summary: This report invites the Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee to consider the information provided by Camden CCG.

It provides background information which may prove useful to Members.

1) Introduction

a) Moorfields Eye Hospital NHS Foundation Trust provides eye health services for adult and children patients, as well as a centre for excellence for ophthalmic research and education.

- b) The services provided by the Trust are commissioned by 77 CCGs as well as NHS England Specialised Commissioning across 188 CCG areas. Of the 77 CCGs, only 14 in London and Hertfordshire hold contracts worth more than £2m per annum.
- c) According to 2017/18 data, ¹ Kent CCGs had the following spend at Moorfields:

CCG area	Specialised Commissioning		Clinical Commissioning Group	
	Spend	Patient numbers	Spend	Patient numbers
Ashford	24,457	76		
Canterbury & Coastal	67,850	108		
Dartford, Gravesham & Swanley	216,742	1,020	625,918	3,278
South Kent Coast	44,196	89		
Swale	32,706	78	59,869	352
Thanet	24,188	44		
West Kent	115,369	266	550,450	2,742

¹ Letter from Sarah Mansuralli, Camden CCG, to STP Accountable Officers, dated 25 Feb 2019

2) Oriel

- a) Moorfields Eye Hospital, the UCL Institute of Ophthalmology, and Moorfields Eye Charity have developed a proposal called "Oriel", which would see the Moorfields Eye Hospital move its City Road, London, services to the St. Pancras Hospital site in Camden, where a new integrated facility housing the three partners would be built.² The vision is for the new centre to bring together "excellent eye care, ground-breaking research and world-leading education in ophthalmology".³
- b) NHS Camden CCG, in partnership with NHS Specialised Commissioning, has been leading the consultation on behalf of all CCGs.
- c) A consultation on the proposal ran from 24 May to 16 September 2019.
- d) HOSC members were given the opportunity to comment on the draft summary of the consultation findings in October (via email).
- e) On 2 January 2020 HOSC members were notified via email that the Joint HOSC (comprised of five local authorities in north central London) would be considering the findings of the consultation on 31 January.
- f) The CCGs Committee-in-Common will consider the final Decision-Making Business Case at its meeting on 12 February 2020.
- g) Today's meeting is the final opportunity for Kent HOSC members to provide their comments to Camden CCG for inclusion in their decision-making case.

3. Recommendation

RECOMMENDED that the Committee consider and comment on the report.

Background Documents

No documents

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² <u>https://www.moorfields.nhs.uk/news/consultation-launched-proposal-move-moorfields-eye-hospital-king-s-cross</u>

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