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## Pressures on public sector funding

KCC has had to find major savings and there has been considerable pressure on budgets. The Government has identified additional funding for Adult Social Care on a time limited basis but the workforce has depleted in recent years and there is less capacity to deliver services. Partner agencies have also experienced funding challenges potentially putting joint working at risk. Financial pressures in the health sector having repercussions for social care.

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| Pressures on public sector funding impacting on revenue and capital budgets. The Government identified additional funding for adult social care but there continues to be a need to achieve significant efficiencies for the foreseeable future. | Major funding pressures impacting on the delivery of social care services. The capital strategy putting specific projects at risk. Business viability of independent providers could be impacted with providers going out of business and a very fragile care market. Vulnerable people could be without support if there is insufficient resource in the system including sufficient staffing across the care sector to deliver services. | High <br> 25 <br> Major (5) <br> Very Likely <br> (5) |  | - Resource allocation taskforce to focus on specific financial pressure areas. <br> - Continued drive to deliver efficient and effective services through the transformation and the modernisation agenda. <br> - An increased focus on prevention, enablement and independence for vulnerable adults. <br> - Continue to work innovatively with partners, including health services, to identify any efficiencies across the wider sector. <br> - Draft Business Plans produced for 2018/19 <br> - Robust financial and activity monitoring regularly reported to DMT and the Div Management Teams. <br> - A Management Action Steering Group in place in OPPD to review and ensure savings are on track for delivery. Monthly reports are shared with OPPD Div Mt and updates are provided through reporting for corporate reports <br> - Robust debt monitoring arrangements in place. | Anu Singh <br> Anu Singh <br> Anu Singh <br> Anu Singh <br> Anu Singh <br> Anu Singh <br> Anne Tidmarsh <br> Michelle <br> Goldsmith | A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> Control <br> Control <br> Control <br> Control | $01 / 10 / 2018$ $31 / 03 / 2018$ $30 / 03 / 2018$ $31 / 03 / 2018$ |  | High 16 |

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| - More efficient use of assistive | ASCH |
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| technology and equipment to help | Directorate |
| people to live independent lives and | Management | people to live independent lives and reduce dependence on service.


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## Managing and working with the Social Care Market.

The Adult Social Care and Health Directorate commissions about $90 \%$ of services from outside the Directorate. Although this offers efficiencies and value for money it does mean the Directorate needs the care market to be buoyant to achieve best value and to give service users real choice and control. A risk is the residential, nursing and home care care markets not being sustainable and it is becoming increasingly difficult to obtain provider supply at affordable prices. The introduction of the Living Wage and Pension increases has impacted on the care market. There is evidence of an increase in the rate of closure of care homes. Also, there is a need to ensure there are mechanisms in place to monitor the quality of care provision


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| Safeguarding - Protecting adults at risk of abuse or neglect <br> If there are not robust and effective safeguarding arrangements in place it could place vulnerable people at risk. |  |  |  |  | ASCH Directorat Management T | 12/02/2018 |  | 12/05/2018 |  |
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| Statutory responsibility of the Corporate Director and her staff to ensure effective safeguarding arrangements are in place to protect adults at risk of abuse or neglect. | Failure to achieve this could lead to the well-being of vulnerable people being compromised and put at risk. |  |  | - Corporate Audit of adult safeguarding practices. Management action plan in place to follow up. <br> - Implement on going programme of safeguarding audits and follow up actions from audits. Review audit programme and plan further review. <br> - Awareness raising taking place and on going review and dissemination of key information including lessons from reviews. <br> - Project work to develop service user involvement linked to ADASS national Making Safeguarding Personal project. Initial project completed and has been rolled out. Review of MSP literature feedback mechanism and reporting processes. Safeguarding leaflets reviewed and disseminated. <br> - The Safeguarding and MCA capability framework in place and being implemented. A comprehensive, mandatory, staff training programme has been rolled out for staff to complete the appropriate level of training. <br> - The Kent and Medway Safeguarding Adults Board (KMSAB) in place with key agencies. Financial agreement between partnership agencies. | Annie Ho <br> Michael Thomas-Sam <br> Michael Thomas-Sam <br> Michael Thomas-Sam <br> Annie Ho <br> Anu Singh | A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> Control <br> Control | 31/03/2018 <br> 31/03/2018 <br> 31/03/2018 <br> 31/03/2018 |  | Medium <br> 15 |

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With the significant increase in Deprivation of Liberty applications, increasing numbers have not been processed within the statutory time frame. There
are an increasing number that have been screened but not prioritised for assessment.

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| A Supreme Court Judgement led to a significant increase in demand for Deprivaton of Liberty Assessments. There is no further funding from central government, resulting in significant pressures on DOLs resources. There are also increasing numbers of Court of Appeal cases. | This could result in some people living in circumstances where they are deprived of their liberty based on the legal interpretation but without the legal safeguards being in place. <br> If DoLs assessments are not undertaken or outcomes issued in accordance with the statutory framework it could be detrimental to the individual and could result in a legal challenge, complaints from family members, financial and reputational damage. | High <br> 20 <br> Serious (4) <br> Very Likely <br> (5) |  | - Close monitoring of budget situation in relation to assessment costs. It is anticipated that there will be some additional funding in the 2018/19 budget to tackle the backlog of cases. <br> - On-going implementation and review of management action plan in response to Internal audit. <br> - As this risk is the result of a national judgment - most Local Authorities are facing similar challenges. To keep abreast of any national (DH) and local developments or further court judgments. <br> - The government has released streamlined assessment documentation which will assist as one of the forms includes a streamlined assessment form for re-referral application for existing people who are under DOLS protection. <br> - MCA/DoLs Business Plan produced. <br> - Briefings provided to DMT/Members on the current DoLS activity and legal challenges.. <br> - BIA manager supervising and supporting the work of the BIAs and reviewing rota capacity. . <br> - Capability Framework developed for adult social care including MCA and DoLs for KCC. <br> - The BIA rota is regularly reviewed and BIA training has been commissioned. There are 5 FTE BIA Assessors and 1 DOLS Senior Practitioner. Recruitment is underway for 2 FT BIAs and 1 Senior Practitioner. | Michael Thomas-Sam <br> Michael Thomas-Sam <br> Michael Thomas-Sam <br> Michael Thomas-Sam <br> Annie Ho <br> Annie Ho <br> Annie Ho <br> Michael Thomas-Sam <br> Michael Thomas-Sam | A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> Control <br> Control <br> Control <br> Control <br> Control | $\begin{aligned} & 31 / 03 / 2018 \\ & 31 / 03 / 2018 \\ & 31 / 03 / 2018 \\ & 31 / 03 / 2018 \end{aligned}$ |  | Medium <br> 8 |

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Increasing demand for social care services. Risk that demand will outstrip available resources.
Fulfilling statutory obligations and duties becomes increasingly difficult against rising expectations and increased demand for services. Increased
demand due to: - demographic changes in population i.e. more people living longer, more people with dementia and an increase in clients with complex needs.


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## New Operating Model for ASCH

A phased approach has been adopted to the change Programme in Adult Social Care. The new operating model is being implemented to move to an asset based approach to improve outcomes. Savings also need to be made through more efficient and effective ways of working. There will be challenges in implementing and embedding new ways of working. There are also interdependencies including the introduction of the TEC programme.

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| Implementing a new operating model for ASCH, adopting new ways of working and implementing a programme of significant change is not without risk. | If the change programme does not meet targets this will lead to significant pressures on the service and on the directorate and local authority budgets. How the new operating model is implemented is crucial as it expected to have a major impact on service delivery including efficiency and effectiveness. | High <br> 20 <br> Serious (4) <br> Very Likely <br> (5) |  | - Ensure effective two way communication re the Transformation of Services to the new operating model. Need to ensure staff are informed and there is "ownership" of the message. A communication bulletin is produced and disseminated and local communication channels are actioned. <br> - Manage the interdependencies and relationship between the changes to the new Operating Model and other Corporate and Directorate programmes such as the system replacement project. <br> - Progression through to completion of the Projects in L.D services through project management arrangements. <br> - Governance for programme reporting is in place across ASCH and regular meetings are held to monitor whether the programme is achieving expectations. <br> - A Portfolio Management office is in place to ensure the right change intiatives are being delivered in the right way. <br> - A sustainability programme is in place and evolving in OPPD to monitor the impact of change and ensure the performance management measures are achieving intended outcomes. A virtual Transformation Engagement Team continues to ensure staff are engaged and leading change and improvement at a local level. | Anu Singh <br> Anu Singh <br> Penny Southern <br> Anu Singh <br> Anu Singh <br> Anne Tidmarsh | A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> Control <br> Control <br> Control | 31/03/2018 <br> 28/09/2018 <br> 31/03/2018 |  | Medium |


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| Facilities Management <br> The implications of this are Health and Safety risks to residents and service users and the possibility of a KCC provider unit failing an inspection by CQC or OFSTED. |  |  |  |  | ASCH Directorat Management Tea | 12/02/ | 2018 | 12/05/2018 |  |
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| Delays by the contracted service provider to complete maintenance work required within the in house care provision service. This includes works to the building and the maintenance of facilities and equipment within the buildings such as lifts and hoists. | The consequences are Health and Safety risks for service users and staff. It is also a reputational risk for the Council if a registered unit should fail an inspection by CQC or OFSTED. A further risk is if parts of buildings are not accessible while essential safety work is awaited. | High 16 Serious (4) Likely (4) |  | - FM updates to be shared with ASCH service representatives and communicated further within the Directorate as required <br> - FM dashboards to be discussed at infrastructure Stakeholder Group ASCH representatives to be consulted on relevant dashboards. <br> - Engagement sessions to be arranged with GEN2 (FM Managing Agent) and relevant Assistant Directors in order to establish outstanding items, clarification of the FM specification for each site and explanation of the call log and escalation process. <br> - Escalation of cases to Directors where urgent works are required and the completion of risk assessments where required. | Helen Bond <br> Helen Bond <br> Helen Bond <br> ASCH Divisional Directors | A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> Control | $31 / 03 / 2018$ <br> 30/03/2018 <br> 30/03/2018 |  | Low |

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## ICT and Systems Replacement.

There is a risk that failure of critical systems or networks will impact significantly on the delivery of services. There is also a risk if systems do not have a disaster recovery plans arrangements in place. Cygnum (system used by KEaH) does not have disaster recovery - has been looked into but cannot be implemented.
Replacing the SWIFT/AIS system and implementation of a new system is also a risk for the Directorate. Several associated risks : organisational change may affect the new system configuration causing rework, delay and data migration issues. Secondly, the ability to resource the implementation project due to other/competing priorities in the Directorate could impact on project deadlines. A third Risk that the business does not fully adopt the change so that the business benefits are not fully realised. A fourth risk is that suppliers (Servelec, BSC ICT) cannot provide resources to meet project deadlines.

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| Need to ensure that information and Communication systems are fit for purpose and support business requirements. The replacement of SWIFT is also a risk. | Information Systems need to be fit for purpose to assist service delivery and performance management - if systems are not fit for purpose this could have a significant impact on the service. For example a problem with systems could impact on client billing. If there is a lot of down time or if systems are slow it can impede staff from accessing key information about service users and carers. <br> The Adult Social Care client database is an essential requirement and needs to be fit for purpose. | High 16 Serious (4) Likely (4) |  | - Clear and appropriate communication to be provided ahead of any planned ICT system change/maintenance that may impact ASCH Information Systems. <br> Helen Bond to oversee communication from BSC to ASCH. <br> - Liaison with the Technology Commissioning Team regarding Disaster Recovery Testing to be coordinated. <br> - A risk area associated with the system replacement project is the data migration from one system to another. An experienced contractor has been commissioned to assist with the Data Migration. <br> - CCGs working towards local health and care economies being paper free by 2020. Expected that Local Authorities will participate. <br> - A risk associated with the system replacement project is the changing operating environment. The TEC Programme Board has oversight of the project and relationships with other changes taking place. Links are also in place with the modernisation leads involved in changes to the operating framework. | Helen Bond <br> Helen Bond <br> Linda Harris <br> Linda Harris <br> Linda Harris | A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted | $\begin{aligned} & 31 / 03 / 2018 \\ & 31 / 03 / 2018 \\ & 01 / 01 / 2019 \\ & 31 / 03 / 2018 \\ & 01 / 01 / 2019 \end{aligned}$ |  | Low |

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| Working with Health, Integration, Pioneer, STP and BCF |

## Working with Health, Integration, Pioneer, STP and BCF

There is a need to develop integrated health and social care services, there is a risk if services do not become fully integrated. Local Authorities are required to put a plan in place and to be be ready for integration by 2020. There are risks associated with joint working including ensuring commitments to Section 75 agreements. Pressures on NHS Trusts particulalry at winter having repurcussions for social care. A risk to BCF with funding only agreed
for two more years. There is no information about what funding will be available after 2020.


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| Failure to | et the requirements of | vent Duty" could lead to more | wn into ter | nd terrorist |  | ASCH Directorate Management Tea | 12/02 | 2018 | 12/05/2018 |  |
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| The Gove requires prevent $p$ into terror needs to Terrorism | ent's "Prevent Duty" ocal Authority to act to e from being drawn The Local Authority ply with the Counter 2015. | Could lead to more terrorism and terrorist activity. | Medium <br> 12 <br> Serious (4) <br> Possible (3) |  | - Awareness raising "Prevent" training for those working with people directly at risk. <br> - Mandatory training being rolled out. <br> - Briefings produced and communication on Knet regarding the PREVENT agenda. Mandatory training package produced. <br> - Kent Channel Panel (early intervention mechanism providing tailored support to people who have been identified as at risk of being drawn into terrorism) established at County Level, chaired and managed by KCC. <br> - Prevent Duty Delivery Board established to oversee the activity of the Kent Channel Panel, co-ordinate Prevnet activity across the County and report to other relevant strategic bodies in the county such as the Kent Safeguading Boards, Kent Community Safety Partnership and Joint Kent Chiefs meeting. | Anu Singh <br> Nick Wilkinson <br> Anu Singh <br> Anu Singh <br> Anu Singh | A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> Control <br> Control <br> Control | $30 / 03 / 2018$ $31 / 03 / 2018$ |  | Low |
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KCC KMPT partnership agreement

Risk that a failure to meet mental health statutory requirements would have legal, financial and reputational risks for the Local Authority and would
impact on service quality for service users.


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## nformation Governance

The success of health and social care integration is dependent upon organisations being able to share information across agencies boundaries. Such working means that client information may be shared with other organisations which may have an implication on information sharing protocols. Also flexible working could lead to increased risk of loss of data or equipment. Delegated functions to other organisations raises issues about information sharing and what controls, systems and I.G assurance mechanisms the other organisations have in place. It is expected that the DP Regulations will change.
The IG toolkit is a DH requirement and is completed annually by KCC and submitted to the HSCIC. The toolkit is a self assessment of compliance against
IG requirements. Non completion means that access to NHS data is at risk and could be withdrawn.

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| With New Ways of Working, flexible working and increased information sharing across agencies there are increased risks in relation to data protection. General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) will be implemented from 25 May 2018. These will have an impact on social care. A current issue is that there is no portal providing safe access to the client system with AIS/SWIFT. Providing external access to KCC client systems - such for carers assessments could be a risk for the organisation. | This could lead to breaches of the Data Protection Act if protocols and procedures are not followed and the new regulations are not adhered to when issued. | Medium <br> 9 <br> Significant <br> (3) <br> Possible <br> (3) |  | - Need to continue to raise awareness across staff groups. all staff to undertake E-learning in information governance <br> - All projects need to have information protocols and agreements where information is to be shared across agencies. <br> - Information Governance reports to DMT on an annual basis with updates. <br> - CQC will introduce more rigour to IG inspection and it is expected this will have more power to hold organisations to account. <br> - The new Case Certificate will replace the I.G Tooolkit in April 2018. <br> - As part of the preparation for the new Regulations, there is a need to: <br> Review all privacy notices; ensure staff awareness; review the way consent is obtained; review data flows; consider how the right to erasure impacts on social care; check the rights of individuals within policies and guidance; ensure awareness of the new timeframes for Subject Access Requests and how this might impact on operational teams. <br> - On going work with health partners regarding information sharing through the Pioneer Programme. | Anu Singh <br> Anu Singh <br> David Oxlade <br> Janice Grant <br> Janice Grant <br> Janice Grant <br> Anne Tidmarsh | A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted <br> A -Accepted | 30/03/2018 <br> 31/03/2018 <br> 30/03/2018 <br> 30/03/2018 <br> 30/03/2018 <br> 01/05/2018 <br> 31/03/2018 |  | Low |

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|  |  |  |  | - The specification for the new client system includes reference to the need for safe access to the system by external organisations. <br> - Authority wide group in place to provide strategic leadership on Information Governance. <br> - Caldicott Guardian in place and Caldicott Guardian Guidance and register in place. The Caldicott Guardian officers have regular formal meetings. <br> - E Learning training for staff to raise awareness. All staff to complete the e-learning training on Information Governance and Data Protection. <br> - In Shared Offices there are designated areas for SCHW staff to ensure phone calls are not overheard. <br> - Clause in employment contracts requiring compliance with data protection requirements. <br> - Organisational policies on IT security and the principles of Data Protection in place. <br> - Information sharing agreements and protocols for specific projects are in place. I.G is considered during the PMO process. Where information sharing with non-government organisations then Egress can be used to lead to greater security | Janice Grant <br> Benjamin Watts <br> Michael <br> Thomas-Sam <br> ASCH <br> Directorate <br> Management Team <br> ASCH <br> Directorate <br> Management Team ASCH <br> Directorate <br> Management Team ASCH <br> Directorate <br> Management Team ASCH <br> Directorate Management Team | A -Proposed <br> Control <br> Control <br> Control <br> Control <br> Control <br> Control <br> Control |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  | A range of in-house and multi agency raining available to ensure all staff are aware of their roles and responsibilities in responding to business disruption, increased needs and/or service demands. | Penny Southern | Control |  |  |  |  |
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