Overview

More than money: closing the NHS quality gap
That the NHS faces a significant financial challenge is well known and much discussed. This ‘financial gap’ has been projected to reach £30bn by 2021. This is due to the disparity between the pressures on the NHS and the projected resources available to it. More than money: closing the NHS quality gap discusses the implications of this financial gap for quality of care in the NHS.

Children’s and Young People’s Health

National Child Measurement Programme operational guidance
National child measurement programme operational guidance is issued as part of the government’s commitment to tackling the public health challenge of excess weight. This guidance advises local commissioners and providers of the national child measurement programme on its implementation.

Guidance

0 to 25 SEND code of practice: a guide for health professionals
This guide is for clinical commissioning groups, health professionals and local authorities. It explains the duties and responsibilities of health professionals who deal with children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) and their families.

Guidance

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Infection Control and prevention

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Long Term Conditions

Government response to the House of Commons Health Select Committee report into long-term conditions
The government’s response to the Health Select Committee’s report explains the measures in place to improve the care, support and treatment of those with long term conditions, including: improving personalised care and support, mainly through the house of care (HOC) approach; guidance and tools for commissioners to implement and monitor HOC approach; and system changes to improve efficiency and patient outcomes.
Response

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Strategic commissioning of long-term care: can we get more for less?
This white paper seeks to analyse the state of the UK market in care services for older people, to identify the market failures (and achievements) and to ask if there are any ways to correct the failures – especially the key issue which dogs providers of care services working for a publicly funded clientele, which is the mismatch between public sector commissioners’ need to contain costs in an extended period of austerity, and providers’ need to earn an adequate return in order to sustain existing services and develop the new ones.

Patients in control: why people with long-term conditions must be empowered
This report argues that more should be done to recognise and support the amount of self-management done by people with long-term conditions and their carers, and to enable people to work in partnership with healthcare providers to agree the services that fit their needs.

Maternity/Breastfeeding

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Pressure points: postnatal care planning
This report found that over a third (40%) of women were discharged from hospital before they were ready after having a baby. It also argues that women are not getting the level of postnatal care recommended by NICE and that continuity of care is suffering, leading to poorer care for women and their babies.

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Sexual Health

Barriers and facilitators to HPV vaccination of young women in high-income countries: a qualitative systematic review and evidence synthesis
This systematic review and evidence synthesis examines decision-making relating to the human papillomavirus vaccination of young women in high-income countries.
  Systematic review

C-Card condom distribution schemes: why, what and how
This updated guide showcases 6 years of practitioners’ experience commissioning, developing and providing local schemes to reduce unprotected sex, rates of STIs and unplanned pregnancies.
  Guide

Components of chlamydia screening and the impact of screening on behaviour: 2014 National Chlamydia Screening Programme web survey report
This report presents the results of a cross-sectional anonymous online survey of 1218 young adults. The aim of the survey was to examine how chlamydia screening affects young adults' subsequent knowledge, healthcare-seeking or sexual behaviour.
  Report

Growing older positively: the challenge of ageing with HIV
This report reviews how HIV is strategically planned for and managed in the UK today and develops recommendations for Government and the NHS in light of changes in the patient profile.
  Report

Making it work: a guide to whole system commissioning for sexual health, reproductive health and HIV
This guidance aims to help commissioners ensure that service users experience integrated, responsive services that deliver the best outcomes. It highlights the importance of putting service users and their needs at the heart of commissioning to ensure they experience integrated, responsive services, and emphasises the importance of tackling the wider determinants of health.
  Guidance

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