

Report to the Governing Body
5 July 2017

Report Title	Community Ultrasound Procurement
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Purpose of Report	<p>To seek approval by the Governing Board.</p> <p>The service specification was approved by the Integrated Adults Commissioning Board 28.06.17. It should be noted however that there may be changes to the specification resulting from the three caveats identified by the Board;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Addressing concerns related to the suitability of Akerman Health Centre as a service delivery site. • Future changes in sexual health service provision by the council and impact on tariff. • A market testing event planned before the start of procurement mid-July.
Summary	<p>The draft service specification attached outlines a new community based direct access, non-urgent and non-obstetric gynaecology ultrasound scan service that NHS Lambeth Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) will be procuring. The service is scheduled to commence on 1st March 2018 (recommendation that this is amended to 1 April 2018 to fit in with the new financial year – to be approved by the Integrated Adults Commissioning Board). The contract will run for a period of 3 years with an option to extend for a further 2 years.</p> <p>A similar service has been in place since April 2012 with services provided in two sites in the South East and South West localities.</p> <p>Following a service review by the CCG between July and October 2016 which included patient interviews from existing community service, the acute sector and GP surveys, the CCG agreed to re-procure a new service to cover the whole borough.</p> <p>Services will be offered from three geographically distributed sites mandated by the CCG: Gracefield Gardens, West Norwood Health and Leisure Centre and Akerman Health</p>

	<p>Centre.</p> <p>The draft service specification has been developed by a small project group including clinical, procurement, quality and finance representation. It has also been reviewed by an independent radiology consultant from East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust.</p> <p>High level timescales for the procurement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 July 2017 – seek approval of service specification by the Governing Body. • 17 July - Contract Notice will be published. • 1 November 2017 – approval of preferred bidder by the Governing Body. 				
Recommendation(s)	<p>The Governing Body is asked to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Approve draft service specification 				
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