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STPs: opportunities for joint working

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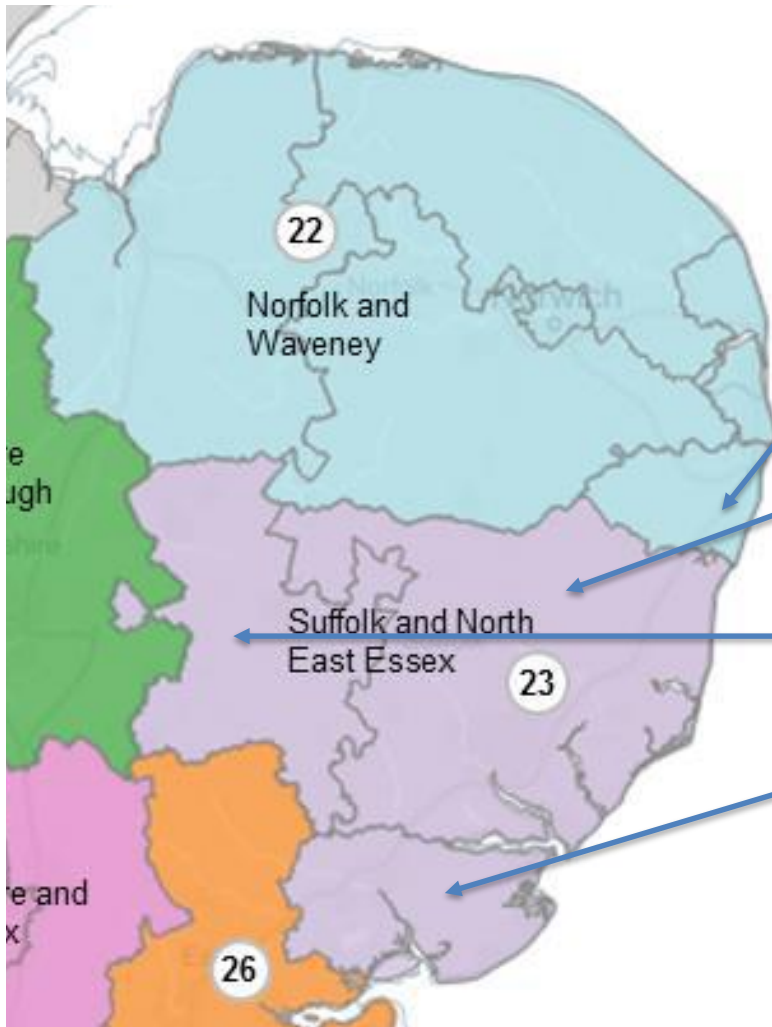
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STP footprints covering Suffolk



CCG	Local Authority Scrutiny Area
Great Yarmouth and Waveney CCG	Crosses the Norfolk/Suffolk boundary
Ipswich and East CCG	Suffolk
West Suffolk CCG	Suffolk
North East Essex CCG	Essex

STP Partners

Suffolk and North East Essex STP

- North East Essex CCG
- Ipswich and East Suffolk CCG
- West Suffolk Clinical Commissioning Group
- Suffolk Community Healthcare
- Anglian Community Enterprise
- East of England Ambulance Service NHS Trust
- Colchester Hospital
- Ipswich Hospital
- West Suffolk Hospital
- Suffolk County Council
- Essex County Council
- Mid Suffolk, Forest Heath, Tendring, St Edmundsbury, Suffolk Coastal, Colchester, Ipswich and Babergh district and borough councils
- Suffolk GP Federation and GP Primary Choice
- Essex GP Federation
- Norfolk and Suffolk NHS Foundation Trust
- North Essex Partnership Trust
- Healthwatch Suffolk
- Healthwatch Essex
- Suffolk and Essex local medical committees

Norfolk and Waveney STP

- NHS Great Yarmouth and Waveney Clinical Commissioning Group
- NHS North Norfolk Clinical Commissioning Group
- NHS Norwich Clinical Commissioning Group
- NHS South Norfolk Clinical Commissioning Group
- NHS West Norfolk Clinical Commissioning Group
- East Coast Community Healthcare CIC
- East of England Ambulance Service NHS Trust
- James Paget University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
- Norfolk County Council
- Suffolk County Council
- Norfolk Community Health and Care NHS Trust
- Norfolk and Norwich University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
- Norfolk and Suffolk NHS Foundation Trust
- Queen Elizabeth Hospital Kings Lynn NHS Foundation Trust
- Norfolk Independent Care
- Norfolk and Waveney Local Medical Committee
- Healthwatch Norfolk
- Norfolk and Waveney district, borough and city Councils

How does scrutiny navigate this?



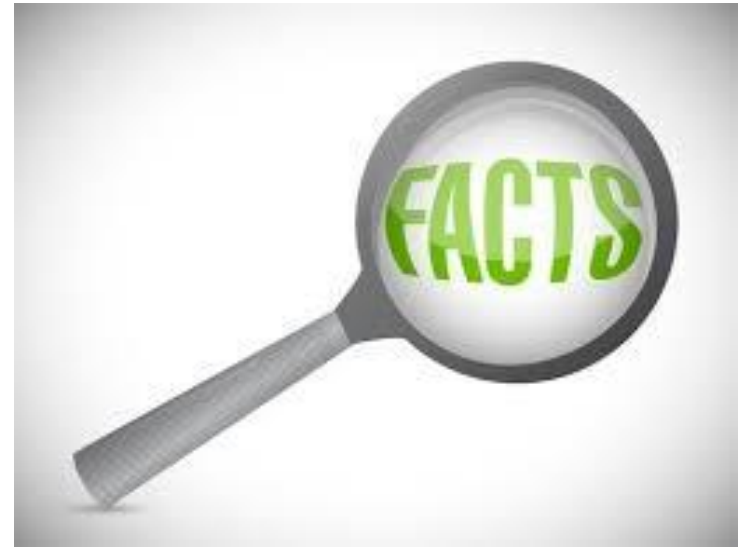
Timeline

Date	Event
March 2016	STP Footprints and Leaders announced;
April 2016	Information Bulletin Update received (public meeting)
July 2016	Formal scrutiny of Suffolk and North East Essex STP (public meeting)
July-Oct 16	Informal discussion with Essex HOSC
October 2016	Formal scrutiny of Colchester/Ipswich Hospital Partnership (public meeting)
November 2016	Informal briefing for Essex and Suffolk councillors (closed workshop session)

Informal Briefing for Essex/Suffolk JHOSC members – November 2016

First half of session (with NHS Leaders):

- Governance and accountability;
- Progress;
- Identifying the elements of STP which cross county boundaries;
- Consultation and engagement;
- Identifying potential substantial variations;
- Next steps and timescales



Informal Briefing for Essex/Suffolk JHOSC members – November 2016 (2)

Second half of session (councillors and supporting officers)

- What elements of STP should be within scope of a formal JHOSC;
- What should remain with the “home” Committee;
- What further information is required;
- Practicalities of establishing a JHOSC
 - membership and substitution arrangements;
 - constitutional arrangements;
 - chairmanship;
 - officer and other support requirements;
 - powers of referral.

Timeline (2)

Date	Event
November 2016	Post briefing - final Suffolk and North East Essex STP document made public.
December 2016	Suffolk HOSC members invited to sit on Norfolk HOSC meeting to consider Norfolk and Waveney STP (public meeting)
February 2017	Second informal meeting JHOSC members to receive an update on progress and undertake scoping for the first formal meeting (closed workshop session).

Informal Briefing and Scoping Workshop – February 2017

With the STP Leaders:

- Update on progress and timescales for implementation;
- Plans for public and patient engagement activity;

With JHOSC members and officers:

- Draft JHOSC Terms of Reference
- Scope and focus for formal meeting;
- Key lines of enquiry;
- Written evidence and witnesses;

Essex Suffolk JHOSC on the Suffolk and North East Essex STP - 10 March 2017

- Formal public meeting;
- Audio broadcast;
- Wide scope looking at the full STP – key lines of enquiry around:
 - Governance;
 - Financial;
 - Consultation and Engagement;
- Input from Suffolk and Essex Healthwatch
- Recommendations relating to:
 - Colchester/Ipswich hospitals partnership;
 - Consultation and engagement;



What has been helpful?



- Relationships with neighbouring authorities
- Relationships with the NHS locally
- CfPS support
- Previous experience of JHOSCs (but not on this scale)

Challenges

- Scale and complexity of the STPs
- Getting clarity about timescales
- Ensuring the JHOSC Terms of Reference are fit for purpose
- The County Council elections – continuity over time
- Resourcing additional Committee work



Next steps

- Suffolk and Essex HOSCs - 12 July 2017
- Suffolk HOSC to consider draft Terms of Reference for work with Norfolk on the Norfolk and Waveney STP;
- Suffolk/Essex JHOSC Informal briefing – July 2017