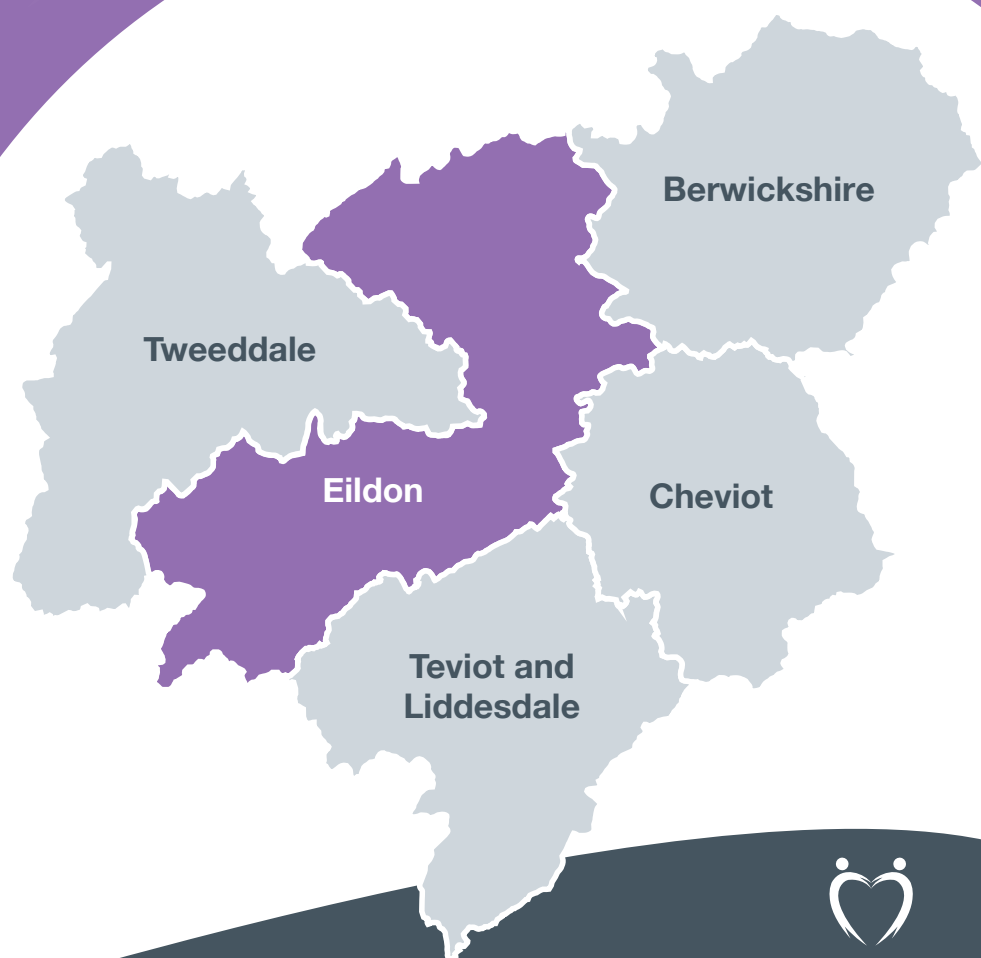


HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE LOCALITY PLAN **EILDON**

for consultation

2017-2019



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1. FOREWORD



In April 2016, following an extensive period of consultation with local people, we published the Scottish Borders Health and Social Care Partnership's Strategic Plan. The Strategic Plan sets out the Partnership's objectives for improving health and social care services for the people in the Scottish Borders and lays the foundation for the key priorities for improvement going forward.

In parallel to this, Community Planning Partnerships (CPP) are also required to produce Locality Plans under the requirements of the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015. In the future our aspiration is to bring these plans together within one plan.

Guidance from the Scottish Government is clear that local representatives – including health and social care professionals, third and independent sectors, housing, service users and their carers - are given the opportunity to influence and inform service planning as we move towards achieving the objectives set out in the Strategic Plan.

As a result local working groups across the five localities in the Scottish Borders have been established. These working groups are made up of local representatives and they have made a significant contribution to the development of this Locality Plan which focuses on local needs and key priorities for improvement from the perspective of local people who use and deliver health and social care services.

Our aim is that we plan, commission and deliver services in a way that puts people at the heart of decision making as well as meets the needs of local communities. As such we want to continue to work in partnership with everyone who has an interest in improving health and social care services at a local level and seek your view on this Locality Plan.

Together, with you, we know we can make a real difference.

Elaine Torrance

Chief Officer for Health and Social Care Integration
Scottish Borders

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2. CONTEXT FOR THIS PLAN

The Scottish Government, through the Public Bodies (Joint Working) (Scotland) Act 2014 has two very clear aims.

Better **outcomes and experiences** for individuals and communities

Better **use of resources** across health, care and support systems at national and local levels.

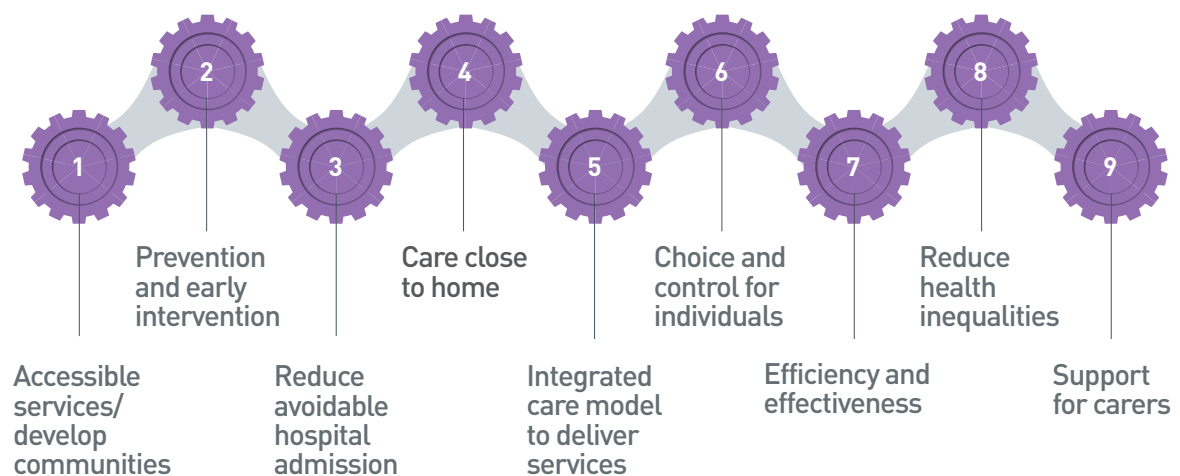
In order to address these aims and after extensive consultation during 2015-2016, the Scottish Borders Health & Social Care Partnership published its Strategic Plan where the following vision and objectives are outlined.

Scottish Borders Strategic Plan 2016 -19

“work together for the best possible health and well-being in our communities”

9 Scottish Borders Local Objectives

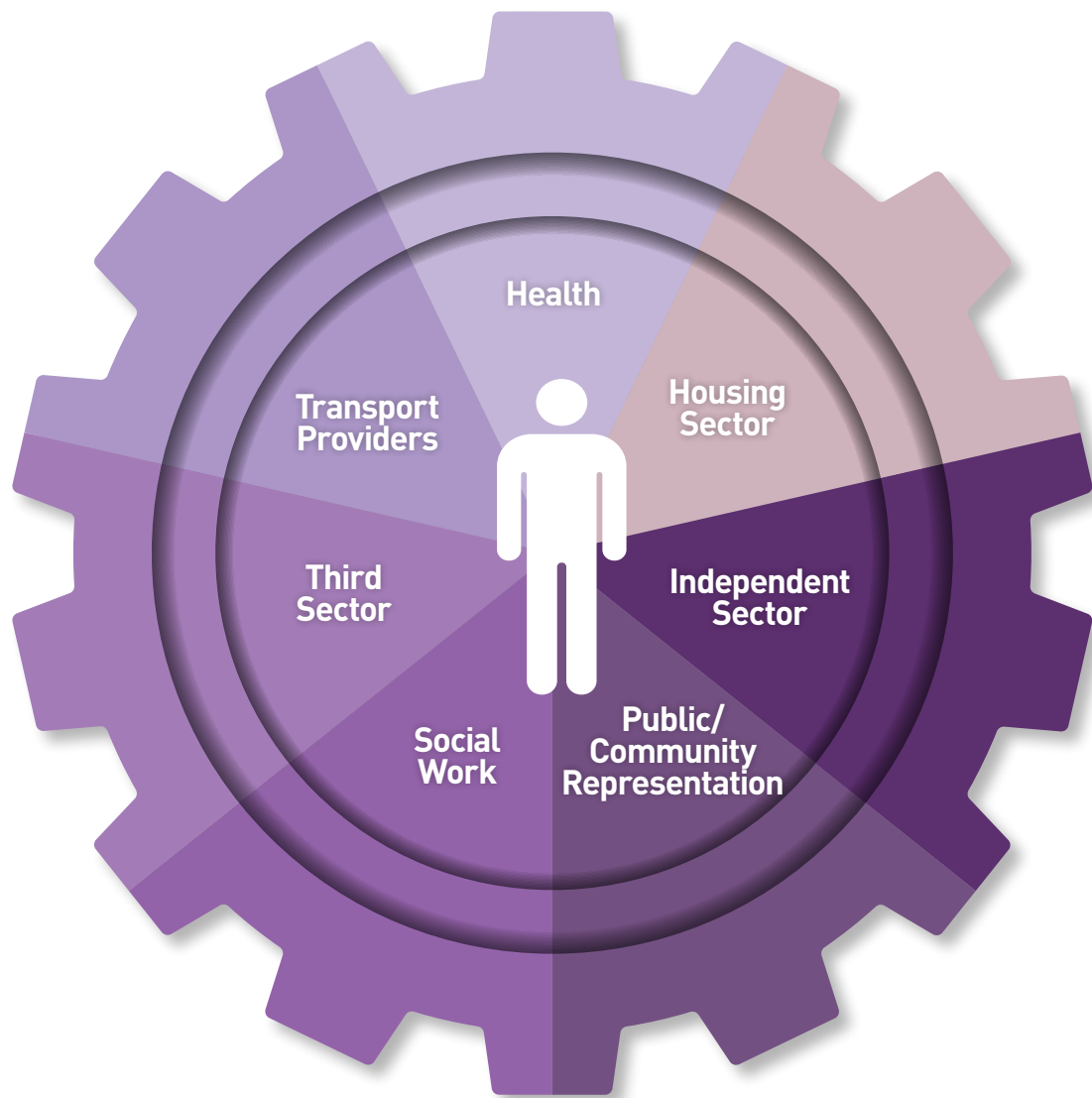
(defined during consultation on our Strategic Plan in 2015)



The Borders Health & Social Care Strategic Plan can be accessed [here](#)

How the Partnership seeks to meet the Objectives laid out in the Strategic Plan at a local level requires to be demonstrated in a local plan. The Scottish Borders already has five localities - Berwickshire, Cheviot, Eildon, Teviot & Liddesdale and Tweeddale. **This plan is for Eildon.**

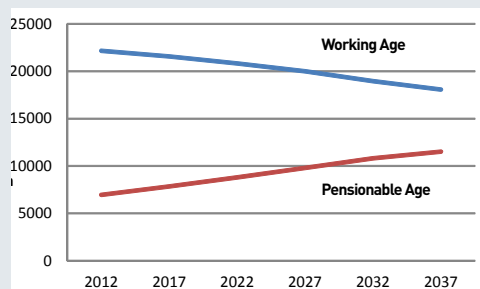
Five Locality Working Groups have been established and have contributed to the development of the five local plans. All key stakeholders are represented on the locality working groups as indicated below:



Details of the Eildon Locality Working Group can be found [here](#)

3. THE EILDON AREA - AREA PROFILE

PROJECTED POPULATION 2012-2037 FOR EILDON



65%

increase in
pensionable age

18.4%

decrease in
working age

POPULATION

35,000 population*
(31% of the Scottish Borders)

17.8% aged 0-15
(Scottish Borders = 16.7%)

60.9% aged 16-64
(Scottish Borders = 60.2%)

21.3% aged 65+
(Scottish Borders = 23.1%)

*(est 2014)

AREA

19.3% live in an area of
less than 500 people
(Scottish Borders = 27.4%)

43% live in rural areas
15% Remote rural
32% Accessible rural

Settlements with more than 500 people:

TOWN	POPULATION
Galashiels	12,670
Selkirk	5,586
Melrose	2,457
Tweedbank	2,073
Lauder	1,773
Earlston	1,766
Newtown St Boswells	1,347



HEALTH OF THE LOCALITY

LIFE EXPECTANCY RANGE

74.7 to 82.5 yrs men
(Scottish Borders = 78.1)

79.1 to 89 yrs women
(Scottish Borders = 82)

Higher rate of **coronary heart disease**
hospitalisations
(Compared to Borders and Scotland)

700.5 per 100,000 **Higher** rate of **alcohol**
related hospitalisations and deaths
(compared to Borders = 566)

108.9 per 100,000 **Higher** rate of **drug**
related hospitalisations and deaths
(compared to Scottish Borders = 88.1)

A&E ATTENDANCE

59.4% non-emergencies
could be cared for within **Locality**
(last year 56.8%)

40.6% emergencies
(last year 43.2%)

Higher rate of **emergency**
hospitalisations
(compared to Scottish Borders)

3.74 rate of **Over 75 Falls**
per 1,000
(Scottish Borders = 5.62)

LONG TERM CONDITIONS

2,050 on **Diabetes Register**
6.14 % of **GP Register****

315 on **Dementia Register**
3.82% of **GP Register*****

5684.8 per 100,000 **Multiple**
emergency hospitalisations
Patients 65+
(Eildon has the highest rate)
(Scottish Borders = 5122.5
Scotland = 5159.5)

** over 15 yrs
*** over 65 yrs



NEIGHBOURHOOD AND COMMUNITY INFLUENCES ON HEALTH

16.6% report **accessibility** to
public transport as an issue
(lower than any other Locality)

5.5% feel **lonely** or **isolated**
(Scottish Borders = 6.1%)

28 culture and sport facilities
operated by the public sector
(Scottish Borders = 69)

Eildon has a **proportion** of its
population living in each of the **ten**
deprivation deciles, demonstrating
the large degree of variance in
deprivation profile within the **locality**

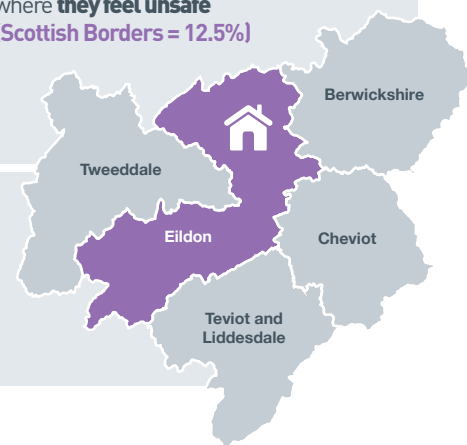
Eildon has the **highest** rate of **suicide**
21.7 per 100,000
(Scottish Borders = 15.7. Scotland = 14.7)



SAFETY

0.80 rate of **fires in homes**
per 1,000
(Scottish Borders = 0.74)

15.3% say there are **areas**
where **they feel unsafe**
(Scottish Borders = 12.5%)

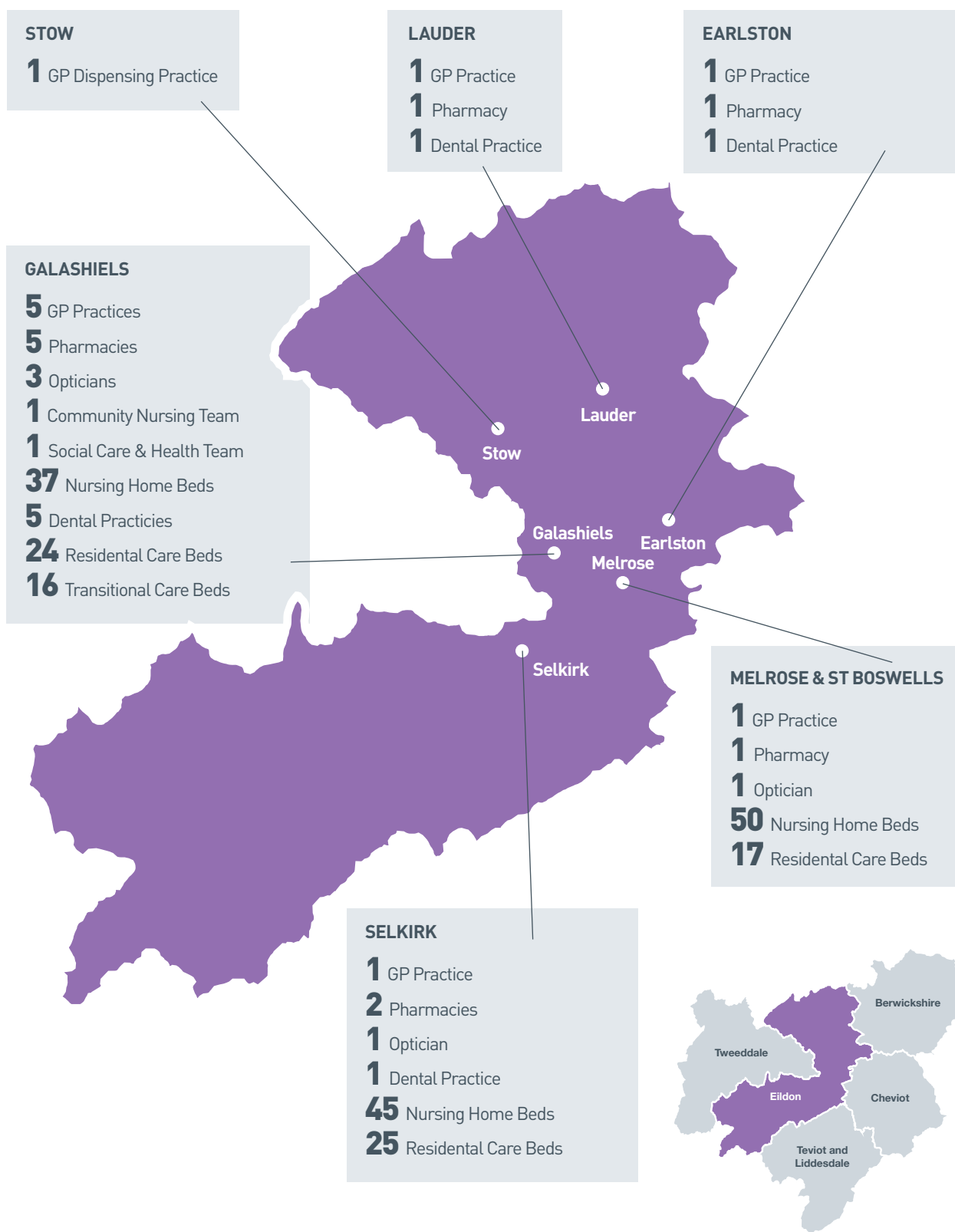


PROPOSED HOUSING DEVELOPMENTS

AFFORDABLE HOUSING		EXTRA CARE HOUSING
2017-2018	54 units	-
2018-2019	181 units	-
2019-2020	84 units	24 units

3. THE EILDON AREA

SERVICES & SUPPORT 2017-2019



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4. PRIORITIES FOR EILDON 2017-2019

Our understanding of Eildon is taken from:

- our analysis of both national and local data and statistics (e.g. Area Profile),
- the knowledge and experience of our service users and carers
- the views of the Locality Working Group
- the knowledge and experience of staff working within the community

The following priorities for Eildon have been identified and will contribute to the 9 local objectives for Integration:

PRIORITIES FOR EILDON	WHAT MAKES THIS A PRIORITY FOR EILDON
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Increase the range of care and support options across the locality to enable people to remain in their own homes and communities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• difficulty recruiting and sustaining capacity in provider organisations• lack of paid carers across locality• lack of domiciliary care provision• lack of transitional care beds in Eildon• increased reliance on residential and nursing home placements• tendency to pilot different models and approaches within one locality with no roll out to other localities
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Increase the availability of Locally based rehabilitation services	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• limited allied health professional services in the community• limited rehabilitation support workers in the community• no domiciliary physiotherapy services in the community• limited access to day hospital services
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Improve the availability and accessibility of services for people living in rural areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• limited access to transport networks in rural areas• tendency for services to be located in large settlement areas• lack of care at home providers in rural areas
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Increase the range of housing options available across the locality	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• significant projected increase in people of pensionable age• limited options for housing in rural/outlying areas
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reduce the number of people admitted to hospital with drug and alcohol related problems	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• increased number of people using drugs and alcohol in the larger Eildon settlements
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reduce the number of people attending the Borders General Hospital on multiple occasions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• no community hospital in the locality• limited options for GP's to maintain people at home• evidence of increased attendance at BGH possibly due to proximity• limited access to day hospital services

Work is currently underway to support the delivery of the 9 Local Objectives and an action plan has been developed which identifies work required to ensure the ongoing delivery of the priorities for Eildon. This is summarised in **Appendix 1**.

There are some actions which are common across the whole of the Scottish Borders and will be progressed at a Scottish Borders Partnership level, for example the provision of IT access within integrated sites. These actions can be viewed in the Borders wide summary plan in **Appendix 2**.

These actions will be continually evaluated and the plan updated annually.

APPENDIX 1

ACTION PLAN FOR EILDON

PRIORITY: Increase the range of available care and support options across the locality to enable people to remain in their own homes and communities

WORK UNDERWAY	ACTION REQUIRED	HOW THIS CONTRIBUTES TO THE PRIORITY	OWNER	TIMEFRAME
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ettrick "What matters" hub launch 7th June • Ongoing communication in relation to Carers act • Increased awareness and usage of self directed supported 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work with community led support steering group to establish "what matters" hubs across Eildon locality • Ensure "What matters" hubs have relevant information on carers act and self-directed support 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • People are able to access information and services earlier • People are supported to be as independent as possible • Community resources are key to support people at home • People are supported to self-manage • Reduced waiting times 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community led Support Steering group 	March 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased recruitment by providers • Frailty redesign programme to ensure people are supported to stay at home • Work with care providers to identify opportunities for development of care services • Long term conditions pathway work across the partnership • My Home Life initiative 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work with providers in the development of available support services • Support the implementation of new ways of working through the frailty redesign pathways • Support the independent sector to implement "My Home life" 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reduce care home admissions • reduce waiting lists • support people to remain at home • People are supported to remain at home • People are engaged with at an earlier stage to prevent crisis occurring • Helps to fully engage the skills and expertise of the voluntary and third sector partners 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Locality working group • Commissioners • Frailty group • Independent sector • Scottish Care 	March 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reablement provision through red cross 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support the further development of reablement services within the third sector 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • People are supported to stay at home • People are supported to self-manage • Less reliance on home care provision 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Locality working group • Red Cross 	March 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Equipment provision being reviewed • Satellite equipment stores being reviewed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support the redesign of the Borders Ability Equipment service to support people in the community 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improved access to equipment at point of need • People are supported to stay at home 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Borders Ability Equipment service 	October 2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development of new Community resources 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support development of community capacity building initiatives 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • People are supported to self manage • Training and development to empower individuals • Building capacity to form stronger communities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Borders Community capacity building team 	2017/18

PRIORITY: Increase the availability of locally based rehabilitation services

WORK UNDERWAY	ACTION REQUIRED	HOW THIS CONTRIBUTES TO THE PRIORITY	OWNER	TIMEFRAME
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Investigating integrated working across Health, Social care and Third sector. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scope out the gaps in community rehabilitation services across the partnership and devise and implement a structure to address these Increase access to Allied Health professionals and support staff to manage peoples rehabilitation needs within the community Work with the Rapid assessment and discharge team (RAD) re potential to support people post discharge 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support peoples rehabilitation at home Reduce hospital admissions Improve people's outcomes Support safe discharge from hospital Reduce the reliance on home care provision Reduce delayed discharges Reduce the admissions to bed based care facilities Supports positive risk taking Links to Frailty Pathway Provides limited Follow-up Post Discharge Supported Discharge Model 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Locality working group with Allied Health Professional leads Rapid Access And Discharge team 	September 2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rehabilitation approach ongoing with care providers across SB cares and Third/ Independent sector 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Link with third sector re development of the model and roll out 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support the reablement work within SB Cares and independent home care providers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Red Cross Independent Providers SB cares 	March 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Day services review 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Link with the programme and input into service redesign as required from the Locality 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supports the redesign of day services Increased options to support people to remain at home 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Day services review project manager Locality working group 	September 2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transitional care beds in Waverly care home within the Independent sector 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support the further development of transitional care beds within Waverley 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supports local needs to remain managing at home Supports the health inequalities agenda 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health and Social partnership operational leads 	September 2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Live Borders "Active Ageing Programme 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support and inform future developments within the locality 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supports self-management Prevents hospital admissions Maintains people's current abilities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Locality working group Live Borders 	March 2018

PRIORITY: Improve the availability and accessibility of services for people living in rural areas across Eildon

WORK UNDERWAY	ACTION REQUIRED	HOW THIS CONTRIBUTES TO THE PRIORITY	OWNER	TIMEFRAME
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Investigating integrated team working between Health, Social care and Third sector 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop three Integrated teams covering all areas across the Eildon Locality Implement joint staff meetings and training for Health, Social care and Third sector staff 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supports people from rural areas to access services equitably Reduced inequalities for people within the rural areas Supports staff joint working 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health and Social care Partnership leads 	March 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Working with the Transport Hub to improve rural transport 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop a link with the transport hub to establish rural needs and potential solutions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support people from rural areas to access services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transport Hub 	September 2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establishing "What Matters" Hub in Ettrickbridge 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with Community led support steering group to establish appropriate "What Matters" Hubs across the Eildon locality 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support people from rural areas to access information, support and services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community led support 	2017/18

PRIORITY: Increase the range of housing options available across the locality

WORK UNDERWAY	ACTION REQUIRED	HOW THIS CONTRIBUTES TO THE PRIORITY	OWNER	TIMEFRAME
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Local housing providers represented on locality working group 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with registered social landlords to develop alternative accommodation across all areas of the locality 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase availability of affordable housing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Registered social landlords Housing Strategy team 	2017-2019
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strategic Housing Investment Plan (SHIP) 2017-22 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with Eildon and Trust housing associations to support the development of appropriate extra care housing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> People are able to access appropriate supported housing within their own communities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Housing Strategy Team 	2019-2020

PRIORITY: Reduce the number of people admitted to hospital with drug and alcohol related problems

WORK UNDERWAY	ACTION REQUIRED	HOW THIS CONTRIBUTES TO THE PRIORITY	OWNER	TIMEFRAME
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health Living network localities activity plan for Langlee, Galashiels 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support individuals with drug and alcohol problems 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support people to access appropriate services within the community 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Borders Alcohol and drug partnership 	2019-20
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health inequalities provision and establishing new ways to reach all groups 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with health inequalities to support people at home 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides alternatives for people other than attending the acute hospital 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Borders Alcohol and drug partnership 	2019-20

PRIORITY: Reduce the number of people attending the Borders General Hospital on multiple occasions

WORK UNDERWAY	ACTION REQUIRED	HOW THIS CONTRIBUTES TO THE PRIORITY	OWNER	TIMEFRAME
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regular meetings between H&SC staff to coordinate services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Implement three integrated health and social care teams across Eildon Ensure joint staff meetings and training are in place between all relevant Health and Social care teams to support joint working Provide access to SBC IT system within NHS sites to support joint working Further develop the frailty pathways work across the partnership 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides services within the person's community to support them to remain at home Can support the prevention of admission and support discharge home Can provide a seamless approach to care provision Can provide alternatives to hospital attendance Sharing of information to support Improved staff understanding of roles and responsibilities Increased confidence between different professions Increase efficiency from staff Improved outcomes for people 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health and Social care team leaders Allied health professional leads Voluntary sector SBC Corporate Transformation Frailty group 	March 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pilot of Anticipatory Care Plans within the Galashiels Health Centre practice population 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with GP practices to roll out anticipatory care plans 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identifies people with long term conditions and frailty who require ongoing support provides alternative options when medical conditions change supports people to remain at home 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> GP Quality cluster lead 	April 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Locality working group established 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Further development of Locality working group to progress plans 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> cross organisations, professional approach to locality provision supports future service change agenda 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Locality working group 	September 2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community capacity building across Eildon 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with communities to engage support for people to remain at home 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> provides alternatives within the community to support people at home 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Capacity Building Team 	March 2018

APPENDIX 2

BORDERS WIDE SUMMARY ACTION PLAN

Devised in line with strategic plan together with national outcomes and local objectives.

PRIORITIES	ACTION PLAN
Increase the range of care & support options across the Scottish Borders to enable people to remain in their own homes and communities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work with providers in the development of available support services • Support the implementation of new ways of working through the frailty redesign pathway • Support the independent sector to implement “My Home Life” initiative • Support the redesign of Borders Ability Equipment Service to support people in the community • Support development of community capacity building initiatives to develop locality specific services • Development of further healthy living network activity plans • Provide joint training and development for staff • Develop “What Matters” hubs • Adopt the National Anticipatory care plan • Develop integrated teams within each Locality to improve outcomes for the people of that locality • Increase interventions to support people to remain at home and reduce the need for ED /GP attendance • Support discharge from hospital at an appropriate stage with the right service interventions • Early identification of people who require support through early interventions and screening • Establish SBC IT access within identified Health centres to enable NHS staff to access SBC systems and allow Social care & health staff to work from health office
Improve the availability and accessibility of services across the Scottish Borders	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bring together staff from NHS, SBC and Third sector to work together within integrated teams • Develop a link with the transport hub to establish rural need and potential solutions • Develop “What Matters” hubs
Increase the availability of locally based rehabilitation services across the Scottish Borders	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support the further development of reablement services within the Third sector • Scope out the gaps in community rehabilitation services across the partnership and devise and implement a structure to address these • Increase access to Allied Health Professionals and support staff to manage peoples’ rehabilitation needs within the community • Link with Third sector around development of the reablement model and roll out to all areas • Link with the Day services review programme and input into service redesign as required from each locality • Support and inform future developments within the locality
Increase the range of housing options available across the Scottish Borders	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work with registered social landlords to develop alternative accommodation across all localities • Support delivery of extra care housing

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WORK HAS BEEN INFORMED BY

This plan has been informed in consultation and dialogue with the stakeholders involved in developing the plans, strategies and programmes listed below:

- Community Learning and Development Strategic Plan 2015-2020
- Community Led Support
- Frailty Redesign Programme
- Living well with a disability - Future services for people with a physical disability 2013
- Reducing inequalities in the Scottish Borders 2015-2020 Strategic Plan
- Scottish Borders Alcohol & Drugs Partnership Strategy 2015-2020
- Scottish Borders Autism Strategy 2015
- Scottish Borders Council Local Housing Strategy 2012-17
- Scottish Borders Learning Disability Service Strategic Commissioning Plan 2016-19
- Strategic Housing Investment Plan (SHIP) 2017-22
- The Keys to life strategy 2013

This consultative approach will continue throughout the delivery of this plan.

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WHAT DO YOU THINK?

We want to know what you think about this plan.

Please answer these questions and send it back by **31 August** to:

SCOTTISH BORDERS HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE PARTNERSHIP
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Are you answering these questions....

☐ On behalf of yourself ☐ On behalf of a group or organisations - if so which one?

Q1. Do you think we have missed anything in your Locality plan that you feel is important?

☐ No ☐ Yes. If so – what is missing?

1. Where do you live?

2. What is your age?

3. Do you have a disability?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ I do not want to say

4. Are you a carer?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ I do not want to say

THANK YOU

Thank you for completing this questionnaire.

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