

DIRECTIONS FROM THE SCOTTISH BORDERS INTEGRATION JOINT BOARD

Directions issued under S26-28 of the Public Bodies (Joint Working) (Scotland) Act 2014

Reference number	SBIJB-160222-5
Direction title	Health Board development of the Oral Health Plan
Direction to	NHS Borders
IJB Approval date	IN DRAFT AND NOT YET APPROVED: PENDING APPROVAL AT THE INTEGRATION JOINT BOARD ON 16 FEBRUARY 2022
Does this Direction supersede, revise or revoke a previous Direction?	No – new Direction
Services/functions covered by this Direction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Dental Services • Public Dental Services, including Oral Health Improvement <p>Hospital Dental Services are out with the scope of the Integration Joint Board, but it is requested to NHS Borders that these are included within the Oral Health Plan to ensure that there is a comprehensive approach to planning across the Oral Health pathway</p>
Full text of the Direction	<p>To provide planning and performance, communications and public engagement support for the development of the Oral Health Plan, which will be based upon the 2020 Oral Health Needs Assessment. This includes support for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The production of an Oral Health Plan based on the priorities identified by the Oral Health Needs Assessment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Planning and Project Management support (NHS Borders) ○ Re-establishment of the Dental Services and Oral Health Strategy Group ○ Consultation and engagement with stakeholders, staff and partners on the draft plan (NHS Borders) ○ Communications support (NHS Borders) <p>It is expected that the plan will be referred to in the broader revised IJB Strategic Commissioning Plan once complete.</p>
Timeframes	<p>To start by: March 2022</p> <p>To conclude by: October 2022</p>
Links to relevant SBIJB report(s)	TBC – as IJB papers for 16 February 2022 have not yet been published online
Budget / finances allocated to carry out the detail	The core budget for programme support is as per the scheme of integration
Outcomes / Performance Measures	<p>The development of the plan will be focused on</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the Integration Planning Principles: https://www.legislation.gov.uk/asp/2014/9/section/4/enacted. - the National Public Health Priorities - the National Oral Health Improvement Plan <p>The plan will also be financially sustainable, within the resources available</p>
Date Direction will be reviewed	Progress will be reviewed at the IJB Audit Committee in June 2022, September 2022 and December 2022.