

**DIRECTION FROM THE SCOTTISH BORDERS INTEGRATION JOINT BOARD**

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

<b>Reference number</b>	SBIJB-240124-1
<b>Direction title</b>	Reprovisioning of Adult Social Care Night Support Service
<b>Direction to</b>	Scottish Borders Council
<b>IJB Approval date</b>	TBC – direction to be considered at IJB on 24 January 2024
<b>Does this Direction supersede, revise or revoke a previous Direction?</b>	Yes – supersedes direction SBIJB-170523-3 (Night Support pathfinder in Duns)
<b>Services/functions covered by this Direction</b>	Adult Social Care
<b>Full text of the Direction</b>	<p>To implement the ‘Reprovisioning of night support service’ report recommendations considered by the Integration Joint Board. This includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Reducing the number of Night Support Teams from 5 to 2 Rapid Response teams.</li><li>- These Rapid Response teams providing planned and critical overnight care, as well as responding to any Technology Enabled Care activations.</li><li>- The introduction of a strict eligibility criteria for essential overnight support provide by the Rapid Response teams will ensure that only required visits are provided.</li><li>- Technology Enabled Care should be used to support this model, along with a change in visiting hours to include dawn / twilight visits to ensure a more person-centred approach to care, which not only increases choice and control, but improves service user safety by providing constant monitoring and an immediate response if urgent support is required, rather than a time-specific face to face visit</li><li>- Supporting staff and ensuring good communications with service users through the reprovisioning process</li></ul>
<b>Timeframes</b>	To start by: With immediate effect To conclude by: April 2024
<b>Links to relevant SBIJB report(s)</b>	January 2024 IJB papers: <a href="https://scottishborders.moderngov.co.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=218&amp;MId=7033&amp;Ver=4">https://scottishborders.moderngov.co.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=218&amp;MId=7033&amp;Ver=4</a>
<b>Budget / finances allocated to carry out the detail</b>	Further savings of £158,035 beyond the first phase are anticipated, bringing the total recurring saving to £343,692 per annum.
<b>Outcomes / Performance Measures</b>	It is expected that the proposal will improve National Health and Wellbeing outcomes 2, 3, 4, 6, 8 and 9.
<b>Date Direction will be reviewed</b>	Progress report to be provided in the HSCP Performance and Delivery Plan. No expectation for review, unless escalated by the HSCP Joint Executive, or requested by IJB / IJB Audit Committee members.