
STATES OF JERSEY



TRANSFERS BETWEEN HEADS OF EXPENDITURE UNDER THE PUBLIC FINANCES (JERSEY) LAW 2019: ARTICLE 18 – 2ND MAY 2025

**Presented to the States on 2nd May 2025
by the Minister for Treasury and Resources**

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REPORT

Decision(s): Under Article 18(4) of the [Public Finances \(Jersey\) Law 2019](#) (the Law), the Minister for Treasury and Resources hereby notifies the States, and having consulted with any relevant Minister under Article 18(5) of the Law; that she has agreed to the following –

Transfers between Heads of Expenditure under Article 18 of the Law

Year	Department		£	Funding of –
	From – Public Health	To – Strategic Health Policy		
2025	6,868,000	543,000	7,411,000	Health and Care Jersey
2026	6,359,000	511,000	6,870,000	Health and Care Jersey
2027	6,359,000	511,000	6,870,000	Health and Care Jersey
2028	6,359,000	511,000	6,870,000	Health and Care Jersey

After the expiry of 4 weeks following the presentation to the States of these transfers, the Minister hereby authorises the Treasurer of the States to action the transfers outlined in the table above.

Background

From 1 January 2025, Public Health will transfer from the Cabinet Office (Strategic Policy, Planning & Performance (SPPP)) to Health and Care Jersey. Simultaneously, Strategic Health Policy will transfer from SPPP's Policy team into Health and Care Jersey.

This is in accordance with a decision by the Minister for Health and Social Services, which was confirmed in early December 2024.

During October and early November 2024 Deputy Tom Binet, Minister for Health and Social Services ("MHSS") consulted key stakeholders on proposals to develop a more integrated health and care system for Jersey, following a presentation to Council of Ministers in July 2024.

A restructure of key health and care functions, including Public Health and Strategic Health Policy, Health and Care Jersey, is the outcome of this consultation. The restructure aims to address the historic issues caused by Government's health and care functions sitting in multiple Departments and being the responsibility of different Ministers. From 1 January 2025, many of those functions will be brought together into a single Department - Health and Care Jersey. This will include public health, health

policy, community development, hospital, mental health, adults social care and community care services. Health and Care Jersey will work to protect and improve the health and wellbeing of local people by working to embed health promotion and disease prevention and improve the effectiveness of all health and care services, not just government services.

This decision can be found on www.gov.je under the following Ministerial Decision references –

- *MD-TR-2025-332*

which were signed on 2nd May 2025.