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1.0 CONTEXT

1.1 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

In order that it can ensure the provision of safe, effective and value for money services, the Department must function as a "fit for purpose" business within the States of Jersey. It must be able to evidence and operate efficient and effective systems and processes of corporate, clinical and financial governance. This Plan sets out the actions already taken and those that are programmed to be delivered during 2011 that will further strengthen the structures, systems and processes that underpin the operation of a well governed, fit for purpose, States Department. It should be noted that, some actions can only be delivered by the acquisition of additional capacity and skill sets and, at this point in time, those resources have yet to be identified.

The Department is now at a critical juncture, where, having absorbed and reacted to the recommendations made as a result of the independent external reviews by Williamson and Verita, it now needs to move on. It is welcome, therefore, to read the positive endorsement by Verita on the progress made since they conducted their review, during their recent re-visit to review the implementation of their recommendations they commented on how impressed they have been by the changes they have observed and that it is clear that significant progress has been made on a wide range of fronts.

In their recent inspection report they also note:

"We would be among the first to recognise that the hospital has long comprised of dedicated, talented and skilled individuals, providing high quality care and safe patient care. This remains the case today"

Building on this platform, the Department's Corporate Management Executive has recognised the need for reform, of both the organisation and the services it delivers, in fundamental ways if we are to meet the challenges faced, whether posed by a new economic reality, the demands of an aging population or the need to develop a more sustainable workforce model. Change on this scale requires effective partnerships with our staff, the commercial and voluntary sectors, other States Departments, politicians and members of the public. In addition, as the steward of a considerable amount of tax payer's money and the employer of some 3000 local residents, the Department must function in a business-like manner ensuring "fit for purpose" corporate, clinical and financial governance.

Our work over the last six months, and our proposals for 2011, are set out in the following chapters of this report.

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Chief Executive

1.2 STRATEGIC CONTEXT

Health and Social Care has to provide a full range of services 24/7, 365 days a year. Delivering this to a relatively small population will always pose difficulties in achieving sufficient economies of scale to make this as efficient as it would be for a larger organisation in the UK. Whilst good quality patient and client care are the overriding imperatives the delivery of efficient services, and the good stewardship of public monies, are also key objectives for the Department.

Jersey faces many challenges, not least agreeing a clear strategic direction for how health and social care will be provided in the future. The Island has not maintained parity of investment with other European and North American Jurisdictions in respect of its health and social care facilities. The differential on pay and conditions of service which Jersey has traditionally enjoyed has also narrowed with pay modernisation in the NHS. It is now harder to compete with and attract doctors, qualified nurses and social workers in a global economy where demands for these skill sets has increased as the population for all western economies ages.

Jersey also has an aging population and it is well established that demand for health and social care services towards the end of life increase dramatically. Health technologies have improved significantly over the last 20 years, with treatments which can considerably extend life expectancy in conditions which once would have resulted in death. These treatments and new technologies come at a price, and required skilled staff to deliver them.

The Department needs to become more efficient to support increased demand on its services without necessarily consuming a proportionately greater amount of resources. However to meet rising expectations from the public and provide care in appropriate settings will require investment. Managing this change will also require effective, appropriately skilled leaders, a well motivated and engaged workforce and efficient business systems and processes.

1.3 FITNESS FOR PURPOSE

This section provides an initial assessment of the fitness for purpose of the organisational design and capability of the business to manage successfully in this new environment.

The inherited senior management arrangements for the Department in June 2010 involved 14 direct reports to the Chief Executive. The corporate and clinical governance systems were also found to be underdeveloped, meaning that performance and service risks in key parts of the business were neither as corporately owned nor as effectively managed as might be expected.

Weaknesses in the architecture and systems for managing the business had been highlighted in both the Verita Report and a near contemporaneous report by PricewaterhouseCoopers, commissioned by the Comptroller and Auditor General in 2009.

Given the scale of the changes which were required in the Department, management capacity was also under developed and inappropriately targeted to address these urgent priorities. In seeking to address this, the Department reviewed its corporate, clinical and financial governance arrangements so as to be able to strengthen these moving forward. Improvements were sought in the following key areas:

No.	Action	Lead	Target Completion Date (month, year)
1.	Appointing an experienced Managing Director for the Hospital and putting in place a turnaround plan to reduce unsustainable overspends.	Chief Executive	May 2010 COMPLETED
2.	Establishing a new Corporate Management Executive (CMEX) to improve corporate and performance management across the business with a renewed focus on key strategic and operational priorities.	Chief Executive	July 2010 COMPLETED
3.	Assigning specific responsibilities for both corporate and clinical governance development to named directors.	Chief Executive	July 2010 COMPLETED
4.	Reducing the number of direct reports to the Chief Executive to provide a more effective management span of control.	Chief Executive	July 2010 COMPLETED
5.	Bringing together adult, children's and mental health services into a new directorate of Community and Social Services and appointing an experienced exdirector of social services to lead the integration of these services and the establishment of this new directorate.	Chief Executive	September 2010 COMPLETED
6.	Securing greater clinical engagement in managing the business, not least through the appointment of new Joint Medical Directors tasked to develop key areas of clinical leadership.	Chief Executive Managing Director Hospital	November 2010 COMPLETED
7.	Enhancing clinical governance in the hospital through appointment to suitable senior clinical leadership roles.	Managing Director Hospital	November 2010 COMPLETED
8.	Developing a revised scheme of financial delegation for budget holders.	Director of Finance & Information	December 2010 COMPLETED
9.	Securing additional capacity in critical functional areas of the business, such as Human Resources.	Chief Executive States Director of Human Resources	December 2010 COMPLETED

2.0 IMPROVEMENT ACTIONS

2.1 FOCUS ON CORPORATE AND CLINICAL GOVERNANCE

This section looks at the process of creating the right governance arrangements for effectively managing a complex integrated health and social care business with a commissioning, regulatory and delivery agenda for the Island. It highlights the creation of CMEX, the Ministerial Advisory Panel and the management restructuring as well as concrete steps taken to deliver cost savings. Critical appointments into senior leadership roles have been made with emphasis given to clear accountabilities, improved risk management and an appropriate scheme of delegation to increase staff involvement.

Whilst much has been achieved in the development of the Corporate and Clinical Governance frameworks across health and social services, an opportunity has presented itself to strengthen this work further as the organisation is restructured.

Part of the restructuring includes the formation of key committees and groups that will support the corporate, clinical and financial governance framework through improved reporting and increased accountability. The development of a Ministerial Advisory Panel will provide the Minister and Assistant Ministers with independent expert advice regarding best practice in relation to health and social care delivery in the Island.

In addition to this the restoration of senior leadership roles provides clarity in relation to accountability and responsibility for service delivery across the key operational departments of Community and Social Services and the General Hospital.

It is important to ensure that throughout the restructuring the department continues to operate an effective system of internal control, and is able to demonstrate that principal risks to the achievement of the organisation's objectives are being managed and addressed. In order to strengthen the current and revised arrangements a number of key actions have been taken or are now required as set out below. These include identifying principal clinical and corporate risks and ensuring that timely and appropriate mitigating actions are put in place. In terms of assurance on delivery of the actions points, this will be monitored through the Integrated Governance Committee of HSSD.

No.	Action	Lead	Target Completion Date (month, year)
1.	Implementation of an Assurance Framework through the Integrated	Chief Nurse	October 2010
	Governance Committee.		COMPLETED
2.	Development of revised corporate	Director of Human	December 2010
	structure charts for the organisation.	Resources	COMPLETED
3.	Establish Care Quality Groups for both	Managing Directors of	December 2010
	the Hospital and Community & Social	the Hospital and	COMPLETED
	Services.	Community and Social	COMPLETED
		Services	

4.	Publication of Corporate Committee Structure within HSSD providing clear	Deputy Chief Executive and Chief Nurse	December 2010
	reporting lines and accountability for decision-making.		COMPLETED
5.	Development of HSSD Risk Management Framework that encompasses all components of integrated governance.	Chief Nurse	December 2010 COMPLETED
6.	Establishment of a single comprehensive risk register incorporating clinical and corporate risks. This will assign clear ownership for the risk and appropriate mitigation or control actions.	Chief Nurse	February 2011
7.	Develop external assurance by establishing clear memoranda of understanding or service agreements with outside regulatory bodies i.e. Nursing & Midwifery Council (NMC), Social Work Inspection Agency (SWIA).	Deputy Chief Executive Chief Nurse	March 2011
8.	Establishment of a Ministerial Advisory Panel to provide independent advice to the Minister of Health & Social Services.	Deputy Chief Executive	March 2011
9.	Development of a clinical audit strategy to include an annual audit programme, Multi- disciplinary team clinical audit days and the introduction of morbidity-mortality meetings twice yearly.	Associate Medical Director Governance	March 2011
10.	Development of strengthened governance arrangements within Community & Social Services.	Managing Director Community and Social Services	June 2011
11.	Development of strengthened governance arrangements within the Hospital.	Managing Director Hospital	June 2011
12.	Review operation of Independent second stage complaints procedure.	Deputy Chief Executive	July 2011
13.	Child Protection Inspection with SWIA completed.	Deputy Chief Executive and Managing Director Community & Social Services	November 2011

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	14.	Roll out of Jersey Induction and	Associate Medical	December 2011
		Mandatory training Academy	Director Governance	
		incorporating a locum doctor electronic		
		screening tool.		

2.2 FOCUS ON MANAGEMENT CAPACITY AND CAPABILITY

An effective Health and Social Services Department requires appropriate organisational arrangements and management capacity to ensure that safe and effective care is delivered. The Department has many managerial functions it must discharge including a planning and commissioning role, regulatory responsibilities and governance, health protection and delivery of services in hospital and community based settings. This section looks at the key delivery capabilities the Department requires moving forward.

Corporate Management & Management Capacity

All organisations require effective leadership and co-ordination between the various delivery and corporate support functions. A new Corporate Management Executive (CMEX) with a consistent management and clinical membership was established in July 2010. The previous Senior Management Team structure was not ideal in creating a common purpose with a varying membership and a large span of control for the Chief Executive. A conscious effort has been made to improve clinical engagement with the management of the organisation following the appointment of the joint Medical Directors and involvement of GPs to provide a primary care perspective.

The Corporate Management Executive will need to progressively improve the performance and benchmarking information available so as to manage the delivery of safe and good quality care more effectively. A new Assurance Framework has been developed and this must be supported by investment in the necessary analytical skills. Good governance is also about good management and having sufficient managerial capacity and skills to support the Department's change agenda.

Programme and Project Management

New skills are also required to deliver modern public services and particularly to deliver the scale of change which will be required in redesigning health and social care in the future. Programme management involves the delivery of effective change on time and to budget, whether this is a product such as an IT system, a new service development or a new way of working. In common with many complex organisations, the Department needs to improve its programme and risk management capability. A new Programme Management Office has been established to oversee and help support delivery of the portfolio of change programmes across the organisation. However, this requires additional capacity to become fully functional. This will be critical to the successful delivery of the CSR plans and reform for health and social services.

Modern Corporate Services

Health and social care delivery requires effective support in areas such as finance, human resources and information systems. In each of these areas the Department has initiated reforms to improve the effectiveness of these services to better align them with the needs of business units in the Hospital,

Community & Social Services and Public Health. The Department is also working closely with the States Treasurer, Chief Information Officer and States Director of Human Resources on their programmes to deliver modern, effective corporate services.

Commissioning

In line with the recommendations of the Verita and Williamson Reports, there has been a strengthening of the leadership and management capacity in the Hospital and Community and Social Services directorate. Coupled with this is a clearer devolvement of accountability and responsibility for service delivery, financial management and governance. At the same time, there is a need to strengthen the ability of the corporate centre to hold these delivery units to account for their performance and implementation of appropriate strategic plans for change as they emerge from the Strategic Roadmap work during 2011. As a result, a Director of Commissioning will be recruited by summer 2011. This will ensure that commissioning skills are brought into the department to oversee the transformation of services as set out in the Roadmap. Given the likely need to develop non-hospital services in primary and community care settings, some additional commissioning expertise in these areas will also be required.

No.	Action	Lead	Target Completion Date (month, year)
1.	Appointment of Interim Managing Director for the Hospital. Appointment of Substantive postholder.	Chief Executive	May 2010 COMPLETED December 2010
2.	Appointment of Interim Director of Human Resources. Appointment of Substantive postholder – some additional resource required to secure the skill set required.	Chief Executive and States Director of Human Resources	May 2010 COMPLETED June 2011
3.	Development of new Corporate Management Executive and subcommittee structures to provide more effective management to the organisation.	Chief Executive	July 2010 COMPLETED
4.	Establishment of a CSR Delivery Programme and Programme Management Office – additional resource required for effective functioning.	Chief Executive Deputy Chief Executive	September 2010 COMPLETED
5.	Appointment of joint Medical Directors.	Chief Executive and Managing Director Hospital	October 2010 COMPLETED

6.	Appointment of permanent Managing Director Community and Social Services.	Chief Executive	November 2010 COMPLETED
7.	Development of revised management and organisational structures for the Hospital, Community & Social Services and Public Health Directorates. There are some key additional skill sets and capacity required, particularly in the Hospital but also in mental health services, that require additional resources that are not yet available	Managing Director Hospital Managing Director Community & Social Services Medical Officer of Health	February 2011
8.	Design and delivery of a series of Risk Management workshops to support the effective embedding of risk management practices across the organisation.	Director of Human Resources Chief Nurse	February 2011
9.	Develop a series of Delivery Skills workshops for managers and clinicians involved in delivering service changes.	Director of Human Resources	March 2011
10.	Appointment of a Director of Commissioning/commissioning team. Additional resources will be required	Chief Executive	July 2011

2.3 FOCUS ON MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS

This section considers the critical information development requirements to effectively manage the business through the rigorous use of key tools and measures including; a Performance Scorecard, Hospital Standardised Mortality Ratios (HSMRs), Length of Stay, the introduction of Service Line Reporting, Workforce Plan/Scorecard, and more generally acknowledging how the IS Strategy may need to develop to meet the needs of a 21st Century workplace.

The Health and Social Services Department has for many years lacked complete information relating to clinical activities to support management decision making. The effect of this is that Health and Social services is, in this regard, considerably behind comparable UK organisations.

This section considers the development of core systems and the necessary support teams to ensure appropriate information is captured and made readily available to support management and clinical decisions.

Technical Team (The H&SS IS Business Support Group)

Considerable hardware upgrades for H&SS core systems have been undertaken as part of the ICR (Integrated Care Record) project. The H&SS IS Business Support Group (BSG) is the team that provides administration, technical and user support in respect of H&SS hardware and software applications. In conjunction with the States of Jersey Head of IS, the future options for the optimal management of the IS Business Support Group have been considered.

As part of this, the management structure will need to be re-designed to better reflect the service needs of the Department. A proposal to provide a transitional solution is being developing in collaboration with the Chief Minister's Department to change the way user support is provided for Health & Social Services IS systems.

Continued Development and Integration of H&SS clinical systems

The Integrated Care Record (ICR) provided a vision for creating a single patient record that encompassed all aspects of the patient's care. However, this vision ultimately proved too costly to deliver and whilst the platform for the ICR is being implemented, the scope of the project was considerably revised in 2009. The Patient Administration System (PAS) was planned to come on line at the end of 2010 and this has now been rescheduled for the end of summer 2011.

The revised go-live date is to help mitigate the clinical risks of implementing a new clinical system in the winter period where activities and priorities can change rapidly e.g. due to serious flu outbreak, extreme cold weather generating an increase in hospital admissions due to slips, traffic accidents and chest conditions etc. To move towards the long term vision of an ICR, several individual projects will be scoped based upon clinical opportunities where the benefits delivered will help generate the revenue required to meet the ongoing costs.

Development of a Dedicated Management Information Team

An effective Health & Social Services Department requires appropriately analysed information to enable effective management decision making and the monitoring of organisational performance. The current systems and technical support available to enable this information to be captured and analysed requires a dedicated team with appropriate skill levels.

The information team will be focused to deliver corporate information on performance management, clinical effectiveness and strategic planning. This team will be fundamental in providing clinical activity information for the balanced score card, corporate performance indicators and to support performance management of the business. It will also be critical to the development, over time, of Service Level Reporting (SLR), Patient Level Information Costing (PLICs), and the development of island wide capacity plans to improve management of waiting lists.

	Action	Lead	Target Completion Date (month, year)
1.	Implement RIS/PAC (digital diagnostic imaging) system.	Managing Director Hospital	August 2010 COMPLETED
2.	Implement revised management arrangements for H&SS Business Support Group Technical (BSG) support team.	States Head of IS	January 2011
3	Develop new Service Level Agreement (SLA) for the BSG Technical support team to the Department.	States Head of IS	May 2011
4.	Recruitment of additional management informatics support - if resources can be identified.	Director of Finance and Information	June 2011
5.	Complete PAS configuration and user testing ready for go-live.	Managing Director Hospital	September 2011
6.	Prepare detailed HSSD Management Information Development plan.	Director of Finance and Information	September 2011

2.4 FOCUS ON HUMAN RESOURCES

The Health and Social Services Department is a uniquely complex organisation, without obvious counterparts in either the UK or the States of Jersey. This makes for unusual complexity in managerial arrangements over a variety of services and professional staff groups. This section looks at the critical workforce issues and the professional HR function required in managing the organisational and service change needed by the Department.

HR Function and Effectiveness

The Department recognises the need to strengthen the senior leadership to this function and strongly supports the substantive appointment of a director-level HR professional with established track record of delivery, particularly in acute health services. In addition, there is an urgent need to build appropriate capacity to help deliver the organisation's change agenda. This will enable people and workforce issues to be considered at the outset of any major change and ensure high level professional advice to the senior management team in HSSD. The function will also need to build critical skills and specialist knowledge in areas such as medical staffing, workforce planning and to simplify many of the HR processes and make better use of modern information systems to improve responsiveness.

Workforce Issues

Health and Social Services benefit from a dedicated and committed workforce with relatively low employee turnover. However the fundamental workforce model suffers the challenge of lack of economy of scale which larger organisations in the UK benefit from. The organisation needs to develop a new workforce model working closely with professional bodies to support future service delivery. This will require investment in building workforce planning capability and improved talent management of critical workforce groups.

Recruitment and retention for many professional groups, particularly critical talent pools such as qualified nurses, career grade doctors and social workers are now more challenging than they were 5 years ago. This is at a time when global demand for health and social care workers has increased to meet the demands of an aging population.

The Department will also need to invest in organisational development initiatives; ensuring an appropriate culture and management arrangements are in place to support the delivery of safe and effective care to the population of Jersey.

No.	Action	Lead	Target Completion Date (month, year)
1.	Support to the Chief Executive in reviewing corporate governance arrangements and put in place a new top team structure	Director of Human Resources	July 2010 COMPLETED
2.	Conduct a rapid review of all exclusion cases and put in place appropriate control actions to address concerns	Director of Human Resources	July 2010 COMPLETED
3.	Deliver training workshops for managers, clinicians, HR staff and law officers in the disciplinary and performance management procedures to be adopted in respect of medical staff	Director of Human Resources	September 2010 COMPLETED
4.	Develop management guidance in support of the States Memorandum of Understanding to assist managers and clinicians in conducting investigations where more than one agency is involved	Director of Human Resources	September 2010 COMPLETED
5.	Develop HR governance and systems to strengthen recruitment and staffing assurance in respect of medical locums	Director of Human Resources	September 2010 COMPLETED
6.	Deliver a reduction of £400,000 in management costs to support the Department's 2011 CSR savings target	Director of Human Resources	October 2010 COMPLETED

7.	Design a Workforce Efficiency & Productivity Programme (WEPP) that supports the delivery of CSR workforce savings over 2012-13	Director of Human Resources	January 2011
8.	Improve retention and future recruitment through implementation of the new Staff & Associate Specialist contract	Director of Human Resources and Managing Director Hospital	April 2011
9.	Improve workforce capacity through completion of an effective international nurse recruitment campaign and implementation of the nursing terms & conditions, subject to resources being made available	Director of Human Resources Chief Nurse	April 2011
10.	Improve the management of sickness absence through revised reporting and management training to support service delivery	Director of Human Resources Corporate Management Executive	June 2011
11.	Develop consistent induction arrangements and mandatory training standards across all directorates and professional groups	Director of Human Resources	July 2011
12.	Develop and implement a programme to improve both the uptake and effectiveness of appraisals across all professional staff groups in the organisation	Director of Human Resources Corporate Management Executive	December 2011

2.5 FOCUS ON FINANCE

This section considers the finance and related information systems required to support a complex and unique organisation that spans many varied areas of activity. It focuses on improving financial management and control (adherence to Financial Directions etc.) and developing appropriate financial information to support clinical activities, strategic planning and building procurement capability.

Scheme of Delegation and Basic Resource Accountabilities

The legacy management structure in the department has been restructured to better support the appropriate delegation of authority for budgets. In addition, clear accountabilities and reporting lines in the revised management structure have been introduced in the Hospital and in Community and Social Services.

An appropriate scheme of delegation is being established with budget holders clearly identified, trained and held accountable for resources under their control. The finance team will be able to provide better support to the reduced number of budget holders in the Department, making use of the Really Real Time (RRT) reporting tool.

Alignment of Financial Resources to Service Outputs, Benchmarking, Demonstration of VFM and appropriate Service Reporting

The management restructure and scheme of delegation are fundamental in ensuring that the Accounting Officer has a clear hierarchy of accountability for the total resources voted to the Department.

The next stage will be to ensure that all business units and financial resources are appropriately aligned to the delivery of agreed service outputs. Corporate support and overhead costs will then be apportioned to service areas on a monthly basis. The full cost of services will, thereafter, be monitored on a monthly basis, with a clear understanding as to the responsibility of corporate directors for the management of resources within their control. This is called Service Line Reporting (SLR) and effectively means that the Department will, moving forward, be able to fully articulate the actual cost of delivering any service on a monthly basis.

The benefit of structuring the Department in this way is that costs can then be benchmarked against UK Health and Social Care providers, helping to identify and control the key cost drivers. The Department will be in a better position to justify the additional costs i.e. diseconomies of scale operating in a small Island jurisdiction or target management action to reduce any source of in-efficiency.

Financial Control Environment, Polices and Procedures, compliance with financial Directions and Budget Holder Training

The Department is further strengthening the internal control environment to demonstrate good stewardship and improve value for money. A considerable number of procedure documents have been developed to support budget holders in following H&SS Finance Polices and Financial Directions.

Compliance with Financial Direction 5.7 and the Development of the H&SS Supplies and Procurement Team

The Department is providing better controls on procurement, particularly in respect of commodity items and consumables. We have also committed non recurrent investment in the Department's Procurement team and an appropriate process is being implemented during January and February 2011 to ensure all future procurement is appropriately aligned with a purchase order. Together with better inventory management and sourcing practice this is expected to lead to improved value for money and efficiency savings.

Contracting and Commissioning

The Department has replaced many of the legacy "grant funding" arrangements with clearly defined service level agreements. Standard terms and conditions for organisations that receive funding from the Department have been developed with clear service outputs specified. This development is already leading to improved monitoring of services in relation to cost and quality.

Service managers although required to manage these enhanced contracts often lack the time and, in some cases the necessary skills, to develop the quality standards further and monitor for delivery of agreed outputs. The Department also commissions specialist clinical services from UK healthcare providers and there is no dedicated resource to manage the information flows or the clinical outcomes from these high value contracts. The Department is therefore investigating ways of further strengthening contract management arrangements for third party providers.

No.	Action	Lead	Target Completion Date (month, year)
1.	Enhance controls around H&SS purchase card expenditure.	Director of Finance and Information	August 2010 COMPLETED
2.	Commission a management report to ensure that Jersey is paying appropriate rates for UK clinical activity.	Director of Finance and Information	October 2010 COMPLETED
3.	Ensure all "Strategic Users" in the Department have been training to use the Really Real Time (RRT) executive console.	Director of Finance and Information	October 2010 COMPLETED
4.	Re-structure the Financial Management team around newly defined management and service areas.	Director of Finance and Information	January 2011
5.	Implement revised scheme of delegation for H&SS budget holders.	Director of Finance and Information	January 2011
6.	Complete the development of the H&SS procurement team to assist compliance with Financial Direction 5.7.	Director of Finance and Information	March 2011

7.	Ensure all budget holders have received mandatory States of Jersey budget holder training.	Director of Finance and Information	April 2011
8.	Deliver specific Department specific CSR target savings for Pay to Procure project.	Director of Finance and Information	May 2011
9.	Ensure all budget holders are utilising the RRT financial reporting tool - dependant on software development by JDE BSG	Director of Finance and Information	June 2011
10.	Complete review of Departmental Financial Procedure documents to assist compliance with Financial Directions.	Director of Finance and Information	July 2011
11.	Develop the Contracting function to support the development and monitoring of service delivery for contracted services.	Director of Finance and Information	September 2011
12.	Develop the finance structures and processes to enable initial implementation of Service Line Reporting (SLR).	Director of Finance and Information	October 2011

2.6 FOCUS ON PUBLIC HEALTH

This section looks at how the existing Public Health function can become focused on core public health and health protection business to help inform proper decision making in the remodelling of services across the health and social care domain.

Increased joint working with other Departments and Agencies

The Public Health Department is looking to progress joint working, looking for synergies and added value through working in different ways. This may be with other parts of the Department (such as the new Directorate of Community and Social Services) or through cross-departmental initiatives such as the development of the Children's Plan.

The Public Health Department will also be looking for opportunities for more joined-up work with other States Departments. The benefits of this approach have been recognised in the November 2010 UK Department of Health White Paper, *Healthy Lives, Healthy People*, and include championing the local population's health through education, adult and children's social services, transport, environment, planning, housing, economic development, sport, leisure and tourism.

Strategic Health Protection across the Channel Islands

In 2011 the Health Protection function of the Public Health Service will be redesigned. Work is underway with colleagues in Guernsey and locally in Planning & Environment to determine a better model of delivering this important function. The aim is to improve efficiency and increase resilience, maximising joint work at both the strategic and operational level across the Channel Islands. All opportunities for economies of scale, collaboration and joint appointments will be explored.

No.	Action	Lead	Target Completion Date (month, year)
1.	Review range of functions provided within the Public Health Department in the context of the establishment of the new Community and Social Services Directorate	Medical Officer of Health and Managing Director of Community and Social Services	March 2011
2.	Increased joint working with Guernsey and Planning & Environment in relation to Health Protection.	Medical Officer of Health, Guernsey Health Authorities and Planning and Environment, Jersey	April 2011

2.7 FOCUS ON ESTATES AND ACCOMMODATION

This section looks at the workspace and accommodation requirements for a modern 21st Century health and social care environment

Investment in Facilities

It is evident that there has been insufficient investment in the estate across Health and Social Services since the last major development at the General Hospital in 1987. Since then some investment has been made in service areas that include Day Surgery, ENT, Eyes, Radiology, A&E, within the hospital, Greenfields and the Assessment and Rehabilitation Centre at Overdale. The rest of the vast estate has been slowly deteriorating with ever reducing building maintenance and investment funding and the estate has fallen significantly behind the standard now generally expected in other jurisdictions.

Mitigation and Building Replacement Strategy

Short term actions to mitigate potential key estate risks have been identified in advance of implementation of the longer term solution (rebuilding or relocating of the Hospital and other facilities including mental health and social care facilities).

Strategies have been identified which will support the reduction of what are considered the highest risks. These will, where possible, identify older buildings that can be disposed of to generate capital funding for re-investing into bespoke modern and fit for purpose accommodation.

In order to advance these strategies, Health and Social Services is working closely with Property Holdings to identify which buildings would be best disposed of, their value and the required funding to rebuild.

No.	Action	Lead	Target Completion Date (month, year)
1.	Implementation of Mitigating Action Plans to reduce key estates related risks.	Managing Director Hospital	Rolling Programme of works starting in January 2011
		Director of Property Services	
2.	Undertake a feasibility study for the redevelopment or relocation of the	Managing Director Hospital	December 2011
	General Hospital once Strategic Roadmap agreed.	Director of Property Services	
3.	Deliver a programme of Modernisation of Children's' Homes.	Managing Director Community & Social Services	Rolling programme starting in 2011
		Director of Property Services	
4.	Review the provision of Group Homes for both Special Needs Service and Mental	Managing Director Community & Social	Rolling programme starting in 2011
	Health.	Services	Starting in 2011
		Director of Property Services	
5.	Complete the disposal of the St Saviours	Managing Director	Outline Business
	Hospital site and the re provision of Mental Health services to the Overdale	Community & Social Services	Case to be developed in 2011
	site.	Director of Property Services	
6.	Review the provision of Staff	Managing Director	Rolling programme
	Accommodation.	Hospital	starting in 2011
		Director of Property Services	

2.8 FOCUS ON CULTURE AND COMMUNICATIONS

The Health and Social Services Department has the largest workforce in the States of Jersey. Staff work across more than 200 sites and deliver care 24/7, 365 days of the year. This makes for a uniquely challenging set of circumstances in which to communicate and engage with people. The organisation is going through a period of significant organisational and service changes, together with a programme of reforms to help deliver the Comprehensive Spending Review (CSR) savings agreed for the Department

Supporting Staff Engagement

Health and social care have many stakeholders with a legitimate interest in how services are managed and they will develop. Until recently the Department had no dedicated resource to help manage internal communications or proactively manage media communications. In November 2010 a full time communications professional was appointed. A Staff Engagement & Communication Plan was developed to help involve staff in the changes which were being implemented as part of the CSR. To build on this a Partnership Forum was established with staff representatives and members of the Corporate Management Executive chaired by the Chief Executive. A programme of CSR Staff Workshops was initiated in November to engage staff from all professional groups and at each of our main locations on the need for change and seek their ideas on doing things differently to support the Department's savings goals.

Building an Open Culture

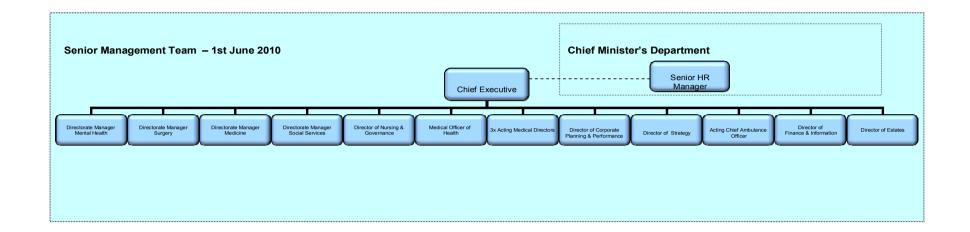
The importance of openness in a health and social care setting is critical to ensure safe services to patients and clients. We need to capitalise on the potential advantages of an integrated service by breaking down unnecessary barriers between and across professional groups.

Health and Social Services have a highly educated professional workforce who expect to be involved in, and consulted on, changes which affect them and their services. Staff working on the front line are also the people who often know ways to improve how their service is delivered, if they are empowered to do so. Whilst developing a new culture takes many years, the Department has started to build the necessary foundations for this new way of working.

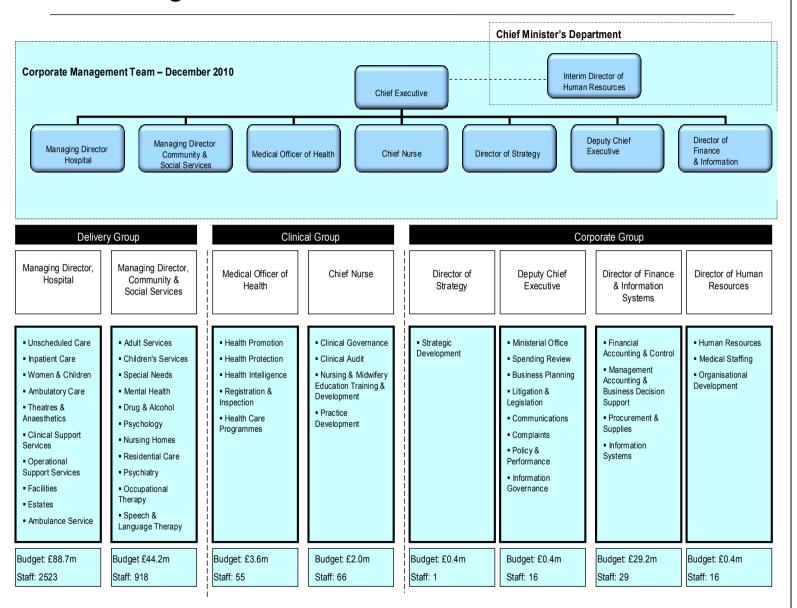
No.	Action	Lead	Target Completion Date (month, year)
1.	Development and implementation of Staff	Director of Human Resources	June 2010
	Engagement and Communication Plan to support delivery of the Department's CSR changes	Resources	COMPLETED
2.	Delivery of regular CSR Briefing sessions with staff representatives to provide two way dialogue on the CSR changes	Director of Human	June 2010
		Resources	COMPLETED
		Deputy Chief	
		Executive	

3.	Develop a more open culture, through	Director of Human	July 2010
J.	adoption of an Open Culture Action Plan, agreed by the Corporate Management Executive	Resources Chief Executive	COMPLETED
4	Establishment of a Staff Partnership Forum enabling a single body for consultation with all the unions and staff representatives recognised by the organisations	Director of Human Resources	July 2010 COMPLETED
5.	Development of a Whistle Blowing Protocol for the Department outlining how staff can raise concerns and escalate this if they feel their concern is not being appropriately addressed	Director of Human Resources	September 2010 COMPLETED
6.	Commence delivery of a programme of CSR Staff Workshops to help communicate the need for change but also involve staff in eliciting ideas for savings and delivering services differently	Director of Human Resources Deputy Chief Executive	November 2010 COMPLETED
7.	Establish a comprehensive system for staff briefings to cascade business and service updates across the organisation, delivered by members of the senior management team	Director of Human Resources Corporate Management Executive	March 2011
8.	Improve alignment of corporate support services with the needs of the Hospital, Community & Social Services and Public Health Department through understanding new customer requirements	Director of Human Resources Director of Finance & Information Chief Ministers Department	March 2011
10.	Building on previous work establish a Medical Engagement Plan to ensure clinical staff are effectively involved in and understand the business issues which affect delivery of services	Director of Human Resources, Managing Director Hospital, Managing Director Community & Social Services	May 2011

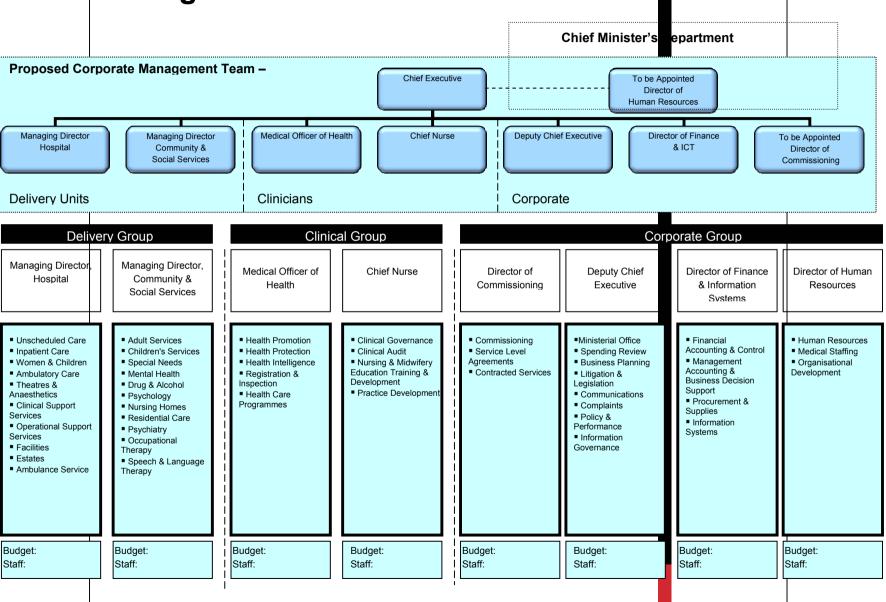
HSSD Legacy Management Structure



HSSD Management Structure- Current State



HSSD Management Structure – Future State



HSSD Corporate Management Executive & Sub Committees

