

NHS England Consultation: Children's Cancer Services

NETWORKS

The service specifications aim to help ensure that in each area, hospitals are working together to provide the best care for children, teenagers and young adults. The following question relates to the proposals recommending that Children's Cancer Networks become Operational Delivery Networks. These Networks would be responsible for driving improvements in children's cancer services across their geography.

- 1. Do you support our proposals to enable hospitals to take greater responsibility for local care pathways through the establishment of Children's Cancer Operational Delivery Networks?**

1 = very supportive

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5 – not very supportive

Additional points and comments:

CLINICAL TRIALS AND RESEARCH

Increasing participation in clinical trials and research is an important aspect of improving treatments in the future. The following questions relate to clinical trials and research participation.

- 2. Do you support our proposals to help improve participation in clinical trials and research?**

1 = very supportive

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5 – not very supportive

Additional points and comments:

- 3. Is there anything more that we could do to encourage and increase participation?**

SHARED CARE

The following 2 questions relate to the proposed revisions to shared care arrangements and how chemotherapy is delivered across these services.

- 4. Do you support our proposals to simplify and standardise shared care through the introduction of Standard and Enhanced shared care units?**

Deadline 26 July 2019

1 = very supportive

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5 – not very supportive

Additional points and comments:

OPERATIONAL DELIVERY NETWORKS

- 5. Do you support the Children’s Cancer Operational Delivery Networks taking a greater role in shaping how chemotherapy is delivered across the Network to improve outcomes and patient experience?**

1 = very supportive

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5 – not very supportive

Additional points and comments:

COMMISSIONING

The following question relates to how children’s cancer services will be monitored in the future by commissioners.

- 6. Do you think the proposed quality indicators included in the service specifications are appropriate to measure and monitor this service in the future?**

1 = very supportive

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5 – not very supportive

Additional points and comments:

- 7. Are there any changes or additions you think need to be made to the proposed service specifications? Please provide supporting explanation.**