



**Transforming
health and social care**
in Kent and Medway

Appendix A

Proposed changes to Local Care Governance

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Transforming health and social care in Kent and Medway is a partnership of all the NHS organisations in Kent and Medway, Kent County Council and Medway Council. We are working together to develop and deliver the Sustainability and Transformation Plan for our area.



Proposal – create a small senior group for Local Care with two functions

1) Holding Local Care Boards to account 2) helping to create conditions for success

K&M Local Care Board

Function 1) - Oversight

An accountability relationship would exist between the K&M Local Care Board and CCG footprint level Local Care Boards

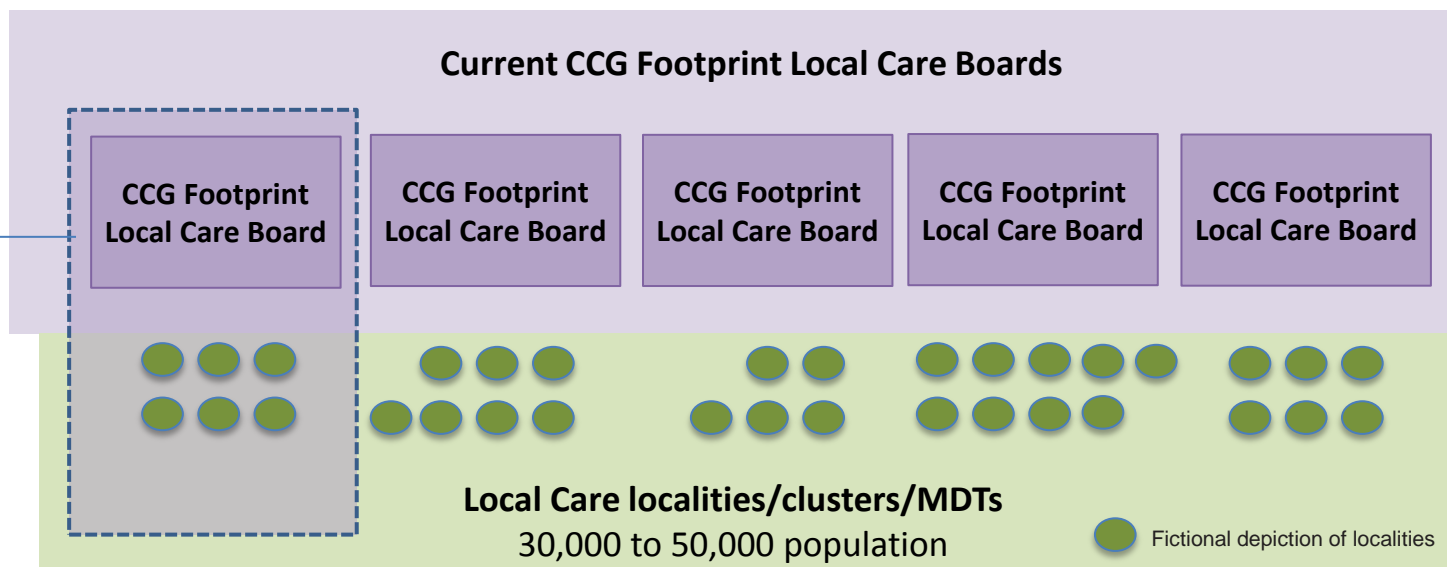
- Members of CCG footprint Local Care Boards would attend the K&M Local Care Board for 'performance review' discussion (for example, this might be the GP chair of the Local Care Board, a Local Care Operational Lead and a finance representative and could vary depending on the theme to be reviewed)

An accountability relationship would also exist between the K&M Local Care Board and the STP Local Care Team including:

- K&M Local Care Board would also monitor delivery of agreed STP deliverables by STP Local Care team and would influence the future work programme

Function 2) – Leadership

- The K&M Local Care Board would receive risks/issues escalated by both the STP Local Care Team and individual CCG footprint Local Care Boards and carry out 'system solutioning' – possibly resulting in actions for individual leaders as well as requests to other groups/forums, for example, the STP Programme Board, a K&M Strategic Commissioner, individual CCG Governing Bodies or individual provider organisation Boards (depending on the nature of the risk and the solution). In this way, the Local Care Board would help to create the conditions for implementation at pace and scale



NB:

Boards currently exist for WK, Medway, DGS and Swale.

EK are currently reviewing Local Care governance arrangements as part of the wider transformation and PCBC



How a K&M Local Care Board would interact with other forums

