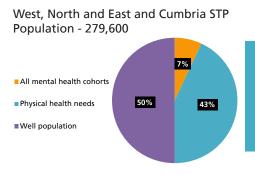
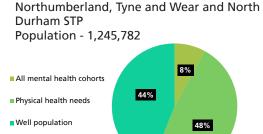
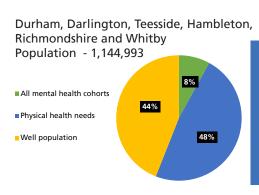
Moving towards a North East and North Cumbria (NENC) Integrated Care System for Mental Health: Why improving the management of long term conditions and medically unexplained symptoms is our priority



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Northumberland, Tyne and Wear and North Durham STP 40% of mental health patients live in most deprived quintile (nonmental health= 29%)



Durham, Darlington, Teesside, Hambleton, Richmondshire and Whitby 40% of mental health patients live in most deprived quintile (non-mental health= 28%)

12-18% of all NHS expenditure could be linked to poor mental health; those with long term conditions are 2-3 times more likely than the general population to experience a mental health condition, especially mood disorders.

