## **Urgent and Emergency Care Route Map (1)**



System Architecture	Deliverable	Supporting product publication	Timescale for implementation
Establishing U&EC Networks	<ul> <li>Principles of governance to support membership structure and ToRs</li> <li>Stocktake of U&amp;EC services by networks.</li> <li>Support for overarching network U&amp;EC plan agreed with regions; Networks to develop plans.</li> <li>Networks to define consistent pathways for urgent care with equitable access</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Template to be provided</li> <li>Safer Faster Better published</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>August 2015</li> <li>Oct 2015</li> <li>Jan 2016</li> <li>Dec 2016</li> </ul>
Identifying and piloting system wide outcome metrics	<ul> <li>Development of a single framework for measuring and reporting on system outcomes (nationally, with local trial)</li> <li>Toolkit to support measurement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Recommendations by Sept 2016</li> <li>Sept 2016</li> </ul>	• 2017
Develop a new payment system	<ul> <li>Local payment model for pilot sites, taking into account mental health outcomes (Monitor)</li> <li>Shadow testing payments systems in pilot areas / vanguards</li> <li>Roll-out of shadow testing model</li> <li>Implementation nationally</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>August 2015 – Local payment example produced by Monitor</li> <li>Sites to be confirmed as parts of vanguards</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Sept 2015</li><li>April 2016</li><li>April 2018</li></ul>
Enhanced summary care record	<ul> <li>All NHS 111, 999 and EDs will have access to SCR, local implementation supported by national workstream</li> <li>Urgent and emergency care services to have greater electronic access to records including summary care record, end of life care records, special patient notes and mental health crisis plans (including patient held plans)</li> </ul>		<ul><li>Dec 2015</li><li>June 2016</li></ul>
Workforce	Underpinning work programme with Health Education England		Ongoing
Accessing the UEC sy	vstem		
Accessing the UEC System	<ul> <li>Align or novate existing NHS111 and OOH contracts to deliver a more functionally integrated Urgent Care Access, Treatment and Clinical Advice Service model or plan for migration to full integration when contracts allow</li> <li>New NHS 111 commissioning standards published nationally</li> <li>Guidance on the establishment of clinical hubs (within standards)</li> <li>Guidance on specialist advice (within standards)</li> <li>Clinical triage of green ambulance calls established (within standards)</li> <li>Development DoS for timely access to service information and the technical links with ERS to support booking across the urgent care system.</li> <li>Deliver the next generation of clinical decision support to reflect an integrated urgent care system</li> <li>NHS 111 digital platform integrated into NHS Choices, with a clear expectation of digital first</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sept 2015</li> <li>Sept 2015</li> <li>Sept 2015</li> <li>Sept 2015</li> <li>OBC March 2015</li> <li>OBC March 2015</li> <li>OBC March 2015</li> <li>OBC March 2015</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Nov 2015</li> <li>TBD in local pl</li> <li>TBD in local pl</li> <li>TBD in local pl</li> <li>TBD in local pl</li> <li>June 2018</li> <li>June 2018</li> <li>December 201</li> </ul>

## **Urgent and Emergency Care Route Map (2)**



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3	UEC Centres	Deliverable	Supporting product publication	Timescale for delivery	
	<b>Direct booking from 111</b> to urgent care centres	<ul> <li>SRG to drive adoption of and greater provision of direct appointment booking into UCC, ED and primary care. National support, local delivery</li> </ul>		Ongoing	
	Local Directory of Services (DoS)	Networks / SRGs to ensure maintenance of local DoS	• N/A	Ongoing	
	Ensure UCCs provide a consistent service	<ul> <li>Specification to support move to ensure local care centres are consistently called Urgent Care Centres and offer consistent service</li> </ul>	Sept 2015 – Spec for UCC and Emergency Centres	2016 – 2020 in line with local plans	
4	Paramedic at Home				
	More patients more appropriately dealt with at home by paramedics	<ul> <li>Clinical models to support increase in proportion of calls to 999 dealt with via 'see and treat'</li> <li>Referral pathways set between paramedics and other providers</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Guidance on clinical models - Sept 2015</li> <li>Guidance on referral pathways -Sept 2015</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>In line with local implementation plans</li> </ul>	
	Ensure a clinically appropriate response by ambulance services to 999	<ul> <li>Ambulance dispatch on disposition evaluated and national standards reviewed</li> <li>Implementation of recommendations</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Final recommendations by Autumn 2016</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Autumn 16 – Spring</li> <li>17</li> </ul>	
5	Emergency Centres and Speci	alist Services			
	Analytical activity	Analysis of non-elective activity and capacity	Capacity and demand tool Aug-Dec 2015	• Aug- Dec 2015	
	Hospitals providing 7 day services across ten identified specialties	<ul> <li>Compliant with 7DS clinical standards as per NHS Standard Contract</li> <li>All urgent network specialist services compliant with four mortality clinical standards on every day of the week</li> </ul>	Standard Contract	<ul><li>Ongoing</li><li>Autumn 2017</li></ul>	
	Discharge from hospital	<ul> <li>DTOC plans submitted</li> <li>Support packages for CCGs and SRGs</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>7DS standards to include discharge planning and consultant review of patients.</li> </ul>	• 2017	
	Ensure patients are treated in the right networked facilities	<ul> <li>Facility specifications and advice to support designation of network facilities and definition of consistent care pathways</li> </ul>	• Sept 2015	• 2017 2	

## **Urgent and Emergency Care Route Map (3)**



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Mental Health Crisis	Deliverable	Supporting product publication	Timescale for delivery	
An access and waiting time standard will be introduced 24/7 crisis assessment	<ul> <li>Access and waiting time standard for 24/7 crisis assessment response (community based)</li> <li>Improving access to health-based places of safety following Section 136</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Introduced 16/17 –</li> <li>Prepared in 15/16</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>2017/18 implementation</li> <li>16/17 introduction</li> </ul>	
An access/ waiting time standard will be introduced liaison mental health servic in A&E		Introduced 16/17	2017/18     implementation	
An assessment standard fo those with Mental Health ne	<ul> <li>A next generation clinical assessment system specifically designed to support mental health needs and crisis. This will cover Multi –channel access; i.e. voice, face to face/ telephone and online.</li> </ul>	Prepared in 16/17	2017/18     implementation	
Supporting Self Care				
Personalised care and supp planning	<ul> <li>People who are most at risk of needing emergency care, including mental health crisis care, will have the option of a person centred care and support plan</li> </ul>	Guidance published January 2015	• 2017	
Support for self-manageme	<ul> <li>Supported self-management guide published with Age UK based on 11 principal risk factors associated with functional decline in older people living at home</li> <li>Consensus statement and practical guidance to support commissioners and Fire and Rescue Services to use the 670k home visits carried our annually by the FRS to keep people 'safe and well'</li> <li>Tools to support implementation of key approaches, including self-management education and peer support e.g. commissioning tool / economic model underpinned by a clear evidence base</li> <li>A series of innovative tools / training packages to support culture change for health and care professionals</li> <li>An overview and assessment of the levers, barriers and enablers of person-centred care – and a set of recommendations for the future</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Published January 2015. Revision in October 2015</li> <li>October 2015</li> <li>October 2015</li> <li>Beta versions from Spring 2016</li> <li>Final products to be developed nationally Autumn 2016</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>2015/16 publication. 2016/17 integration within frailty pathway approach</li> <li>Implementation support from 2015/16</li> <li>Implementation in line with local plans 2016 / 2017</li> </ul>	
Personalised Health Budget	<ul> <li>CCGs are developing their local personal health budgets offer and will be introducing PHBs beyond NHS continuing healthcare in line with the 2015/16 planning guidance.</li> </ul>	National roll out from April 2015	<ul> <li>Implementation in line with local plans 2017</li> </ul>	

## **Urgent and Emergency Care Route Map (4)**



B Independent Care Sector	Deliverable	Supporting product publication	Timescale for delivery
Local Commissioning Practice	<ul> <li>Guidance to CCGs and LAs on working with the ICS, including encouraging joint winter and future capacity planning</li> </ul>	Guidance published Q3 2015/16	• Q3 – Q4 2015/16
	<ul> <li>Clarification guidance to be made available on Continuing Healthcare funding and processes</li> </ul>	Guidance published     Q3 2015/16	• Q3 – Q4 2015/16
	Guidance for acute trusts on how to support self-funders (choice protocols)	Guidance published Q3 2015/16	• Q3 – Q4 2015/16
Better use of care homes	<ul> <li>Specification for best practice clinical input required for care homes:</li> </ul>	Specification published:	
	<ul> <li>Phase I – quick wins for Winter 2015/16</li> <li>Phase II – long term models including cost benefit</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Q3 2015/16</li><li>Q1 2016/17</li></ul>	• Q3 – Q4 2015/16
	<ul> <li>Best practice guidance for local mapping of care home</li> </ul>	Guidance published	• Q3 – Q4 2015/16
	capacity	Q3 2015/16	• Q3 – Q4 2015/16
Better use of care at home	<ul> <li>Best practice guidance for domiciliary care services to support discharge and prevent readmission</li> </ul>	Guidance published     Q3 2015/16	• Q3 – Q4 2015/16
<sup>9</sup> Primary Care			
Improved access to primary care	<ul> <li>18 million people will have access to weekend and weekday appointments, and/or different modes of accessing general practice</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Phase 2 PMCF</li> <li>Primary Care Infrastructure Fund</li> </ul>	• March 2016
	<ul> <li>Routine access to GP appointments at evenings and weekends</li> </ul>		• 2020
Increased role for pharmacy in urgent care	<ul> <li>Pharmacy access to Summary Care Record</li> <li>Seasonal Influenza Vaccination Advanced Service for community pharmacy</li> </ul>		<ul><li>Autumn 2015-17</li><li>Autumn 2015</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>CCGs to consider commissioning minor ailments services and other community pharmacy offers</li> </ul>	Refreshed guidance     Autumn 2015	