The New GP Contract

Estates implications
What’s on the agenda

- Why is primary care important?
- What do you need to know about the new GP contract?
- The estates implications
A typical GP Practice
Another typical GP Practice
A third typical GP Practice
A fourth typical GP Practice?
Why is primary care important?

“Across the world it has been shown that effective primary care, with universal coverage, can significantly improve outcomes for patients, and deliver the most cost-effective healthcare system.”

A National Clinical Strategy for Scotland (February 2016)
Drivers for change

• Demographic changes in our population
• The changing patterns of illness and disability
• The relatively poor health of the population and persisting inequalities in health
• The need to manage the skilled workforce in a way that makes best uses of their skills
The New GP Contract

- The general approach
- The role of the GP
- Multi-disciplinary teams
- GP premises
The general approach

- Collaborative approach to negotiations
- Focusing on the strengths of GPs
- Better contribution to local population health improvement
- Reduced risk to GP practices
- Manageable workload
Role of the GP

The Expert Medical Generalist:

- Undifferentiated presentations
- Complex care
- Whole system quality improvement and clinical leadership
Multi-disciplinary teams

The 6 priorities:

• The Vaccination Transformation Programme
• Pharmacotherapy services
• Community Treatment and Care Services
• Urgent care (advanced practitioners)
• Community Links Worker
• Additional Professional roles – eg. Musculoskeletal focused physiotherapy & Community clinical mental health professionals
947 GP practices in Scotland at 1 July 2018

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Estate implications

• Strategic implications – planning the development of the estate

• Immediate implications – fit for purpose space for expanded teams
Any questions?

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