

Cyngor Sir Powys County Council

Impact Assessment (IA)

The integrated approach to support effective decision making



Please read the accompanying guidance before completing the form.

This **Impact Assessment (IA)** toolkit, incorporates a range of legislative requirements that support effective decision making and ensure compliance with all relevant legislation. **Draft versions of the assessment should be watermarked as "Draft" and retained for completeness. However, only the final version will be made publicly available. Draft versions may be provided to regulators if appropriate. In line with Council policy IAs should be retained for 7 years.**

Service Area	Adult Services	Head of Service	Michael Gray	Director	Alison Bulman	Portfolio Holder	Myfanwy Alexander
Proposal	IBP Proposal 9- Recommissioning and decommissioning						
Outline Summary / Description of Proposal							
Working in partnership with service providers to review the way services are delivered in Powys to ensure that such services are accessible, of the right quality and at an affordable cost for all people who need to arrange their support. Alongside this, and to generate further efficiencies we will continue to promote reablement and recovery throughout all services to ensure that resulting support packages are appropriate. Our commissioning will be underpinned by a set of clear principles that support the health and care priorities within our Vision 2025:							
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Most cost effective means of achieving outcomes - Utilising the most appropriate resource to meet needs - Ensuring that our commissioned services promote wellbeing as set out by Welsh Government to tangible effect - Stimulating a diverse range of appropriate services and organisations (including social enterprises) to ensure that the market for care in Powys remains vibrant and sustainable. 							

1. Version Control (services should consider the impact assessment early in the development process and continually evaluate)

Version	Author	Job Title	Date
1	Michael Gray	Head of Adult Services	02/09/19

2. Profile of savings delivery (if applicable)

2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	TOTAL
£	£	£879,000	£	£	£

3. Consultation requirements

Consultation Requirement	Consultation deadline/or justification for no consultation
No consultation required (please provide justification)	The proposal relates to ensuring that we are funding the right levels and right forms of care. No consultation will be required.

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4. Impact on Other Service Areas

**Does the proposal have potential to impact on another service area? (Have you considered the implications on Health & Safety, Corporate Parenting and Data Protection?)
PLEASE ENSURE YOU INFORM / ENGAGE ANY AFFECTED SERVICE AREAS AT THE EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY**

5. How does your proposal impact on the council's strategic vision?

Council Priority	How does the proposal impact on this priority?	IMPACT Please select from drop down box below	What will be done to better contribute to positive or mitigate any negative impacts?	IMPACT AFTER MITIGATION Please select from drop down box below
The Economy We will develop a vibrant economy		Neutral		Neutral
Health and Care We will lead the way in effective, integrated rural health and care	The proposal will ensure that we are providing the right levels of care that enable people to maintain or increase their independence.	Good		Good
Learning and skills We will strengthen learning and skills		Neutral		Neutral
Residents and Communities We will support our residents and communities		Neutral		Neutral

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Source of Outline Evidence to support judgements

In line with the Council’s commissioning cycle, we have identified opportunities to deliver outcomes differently, as well as alternative models of delivery.

6. How does your proposal impact on the Welsh Government’s well-being goals?

Well-being Goal	How does proposal contribute to this goal?	IMPACT Please select from drop down box below	What will be done to better contribute to positive or mitigate any negative impacts?	IMPACT AFTER MITIGATION Please select from drop down box below
<p>A prosperous Wales: An innovative, productive and low carbon society which recognises the limits of the global environment and therefore uses resources efficiently and proportionately (including acting on climate change); and which develops a skilled and well-educated population in an economy which generates wealth and provides employment opportunities, allowing people to take advantage of the wealth generated through securing decent work.</p>		Neutral		Neutral
<p>A resilient Wales: A nation which maintains and enhances a biodiverse natural environment with healthy functioning ecosystems that support social, economic and ecological resilience and the capacity to adapt to change (for example climate change).</p>		Neutral		Neutral

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Well-being Goal	How does proposal contribute to this goal?	IMPACT Please select from drop down box below	What will be done to better contribute to positive or mitigate any negative impacts?	IMPACT AFTER MITIGATION Please select from drop down box below
<p>A healthier Wales: A society in which people's physical and mental well-being is maximised and in which choices and behaviours that benefit future health are understood.</p> <p>Public Health (Wales) Act, 2017: Part 6 of the Act requires for public bodies to undertake a health impact assessment to assess the likely effect of a proposed action or decision on the physical or mental health of the people of Wales.</p>	<p>The proposal will help ensure that we do what matters for individuals quicker within the community, which will help guard against unnecessary referrals into longer term care teams.</p>	<p>Good</p>		<p>Good</p>
<p>A Wales of cohesive communities: Attractive, viable, safe and well-connected Communities.</p>		<p>Neutral</p>		<p>Neutral</p>
<p>A globally responsible Wales: A nation which, when doing anything to improve the economic, social, environmental and cultural well-being of Wales, takes account of whether doing such a thing may make a positive contribution to global well-being.</p> <p>Human Rights - is about being proactive (see guidance)</p> <p>UN Convention on the Rights of the Child: The Convention gives rights to everyone under the age of 18, which include the right to be treated fairly and to be protected from discrimination; that organisations act for the best interest of the child; the right to life, survival and development; and the right to be heard.</p>		<p>Neutral</p>		<p>Neutral</p>
<p>A Wales of vibrant culture and thriving Welsh language: A society that promotes and protects culture, heritage and the Welsh language, and which encourages people to participate in the arts, and sports and recreation.</p>				
<p><i>Opportunities for persons to use the Welsh language, and treating the Welsh language no less favourable than the English language</i></p>		<p>Neutral</p>		<p>Neutral</p>
<p><i>Opportunities to promote the Welsh language</i></p>		<p>Neutral</p>		<p>Neutral</p>

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<i>Welsh Language impact on staff</i>		Neutral		Neutral
<i>People are encouraged to do sport, art and recreation.</i>		Neutral		Neutral
A more equal Wales: A society that enables people to fulfil their potential no matter what their background or circumstances (including their socio economic background and circumstances).				
<i>Age</i>	People will be supported to maintain or enhance their independence	Good		Good
<i>Disability</i>		Neutral		Neutral
<i>Gender reassignment</i>		Neutral		Neutral
<i>Marriage or civil partnership</i>		Neutral		Neutral
<i>Race</i>		Neutral		Neutral
<i>Religion or belief</i>		Neutral		Neutral
<i>Sex</i>		Neutral		Neutral
<i>Sexual Orientation</i>		Neutral		Neutral
<i>Pregnancy and Maternity</i>		Neutral		Neutral

Source of Outline Evidence to support judgements

7. How does your proposal impact on the council's other key guiding principles?

Principle	How does the proposal impact on this principle?	IMPACT Please select from drop down box below	What will be done to better contribute to positive or mitigate any negative impacts?	IMPACT AFTER MITIGATION Please select from drop down box below
Sustainable Development Principle (5 ways of working)				

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Long Term: Looking to the long term so that we do not compromise the ability of future generations to meet their own needs.	This proposal will enable people to maximise their independence and will help ensure that people receive the right form and level of support that enables them to achieve what matters to them.	Good	.	Good
Collaboration: Working with others in a collaborative way to find shared sustainable solutions.	Collaborative working with commissioned providers will enable the Council to work more creatively in supporting better outcomes for residents	Good		Good
Involvement (including Communication and Engagement): Involving a diversity of the population in the decisions that affect them.	Co-production is at the centre of commissioning decisions. As a result, service users will be engaged in decision making through our various forums.	Good		Good
Prevention: Understanding the root causes of issues to prevent them from occurring.		Good		Good
Integration: Taking an integrated approach so that public bodies look at all the well-being goals in deciding on their well-being objectives.		Good		Good
Preventing Poverty: Prevention, including helping people into work and mitigating the impact of poverty.		Neutral		Neutral
Unpaid Carers: Ensuring that unpaid carers views are sought and taken into account		Neutral		Neutral
Safeguarding: Preventing and responding to abuse and neglect of children, young people and adults with health and social care needs who can't protect themselves.	Safeguarding continues to be forefront of all decisions made to ensure that people are safe within their own homes.	Neutral		Neutral

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Impact on Powys County Council Workforce		Neutral		Good
Source of Outline Evidence to support judgements				

8. What is the impact of this proposal on our communities?

Severity of Impact on Communities	Scale of impact	Overall Impact
Medium	Low	Low
Mitigation		
Ensure that service users are involved in commissioning decisions, in line with principles of co-production.		

9. How likely are you to successfully implement the proposed change?

Impact on Service / Council	Risk to delivery of the proposal	Inherent Risk
Medium	Medium	Medium
Mitigation		
Ongoing commissioning/decommissioning activity relies on a robust approach to contract monitoring and strong relationships with the provider market. Commissioning officers will continue to work to ensure that we support the growth of a range appropriate services and organisations within Powys, who promote an enabling and recovery focussed approach.		

Risk Identified	Inherent Risk Rating	Mitigation	Residual Risk Rating
Lack of capacity in external market	High	Continue to work alongside providers through contract monitoring and engagement forums to stimulate a diverse range of service offers with a focus on prevention.	Medium
	Choose an item.		Choose an item.

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	Choose an item.		Choose an item.
Overall judgement (to be included in project risk register)			
Very High Risk	High Risk	Medium Risk	Low Risk
		X	

10. Overall Summary and Judgement of this Impact Assessment?

Outline Assessment (to be inserted in cabinet report)	Cabinet Report Reference:
Commissioning works to ensure that when services are required, we are securing the most cost-effective means of achieving outcomes. By stimulating a diverse range of services and organisations, we believe that efficiencies can be made.	

11. Is there additional evidence to support the Impact Assessment (IA)?

What additional evidence and data has informed the development of your proposal?

12. On-going monitoring arrangements?

What arrangements will be put in place to monitor the impact over time?
Demand management and flow data will help us to understand what support options individuals are accessing to assist them in achieving their desired outcomes.
Please state when this Impact Assessment will be reviewed.
Quarterly as part of the SIP process

13. Sign Off

Position	Name	Signature	Date
Impact Assessment Lead:	Michael Gray		
Head of Service:	Dylan Owen		
Director:	Alison Bulman		
Portfolio Holder:	CLlr Myfanwy		

14. Governance

Decision to be made by	Choose an item.	Date required	
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