## Sent on behalf of NHS Sussex

Dear partner,

We are writing to invite you to join an online engagement session next week to hear the latest update on the developing five-year Integrated Care Strategy that aims to improve the lives of everyone across Sussex now and in the future.

A lot of work has already taken place across health and care over recent years to improve the support, care and treatment available, and the timeliness of how people access services, and progress has been made that has brought real benefits to local people. However, we recognise this has not gone far or fast enough in many areas and a lot of the issues we face can only be resolved with bigger, longer-term and more ambitious change.

We now have an opportunity to do this with the development of our Sussex-wide strategy. Its purpose is to agree the strategic direction and key ambition for the health and care system across Sussex over the next five years that will make the biggest difference to local people. It is being developed and agreed across system partners and by working together, and with local people and communities, we will be able to combine our collective energy, resource and expertise to make it a reality.

We are holding two online sessions next week with our Chair Stephen Lightfoot to outline the latest in the development of the strategy, share our emerging ambitions, and hear your feedback.

They are taking place on:

- <u>16 November</u> from 11.30am 1pm
- 17 November from 5.30pm 7pm

Please use the links above to book onto one of the sessions and joining instructions will be provided to you directly.

Further information will also be provided on our website next week about the strategy and detail that you can share within your communities and networks.

We look forward to seeing you at one of these events.

Kind regards Laura

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