Clinical Services Fit for the Future
Clinical Services Groups – Summary

Group: Child and maternal health

Date: 29 May 2012

What was discussed?

- The background to the review, approach and timescales.
- The scope of the work and the main areas to focus on.
- The membership of the group and who else to involve
- Plans for clinical and patient engagement
- Evidence and information available to support the programme, including a presentation on trends and changes in health for women and children.

What was agreed?

- To focus on:
  - maternity services
  - neonatology
  - paediatric specialties, including community paediatrics
  - gynaecology
- To expand the membership to ensure that neonatology and community child health were appropriately represented.
- To link to other groups where relevant, particularly cancer, emergency and chronic disease.
- To consider issues for adolescents and transition to adult services.
- To consider Children’s Rights as well as clinical outcomes.

Next Steps

- Set up sub groups and gather further information on current services, issues and concerns, good practice and future developments.
- To map current developments and plans and what changes will have been put in place by 2015.
- Review epidemiology, activity, benchmarking and literature information.

Next meeting
27 June 2012