# IJB Risk Register

## Issues



## IJB.IR.01 Financial Stability

Risk Code	Risk Identification	Managed by	Risk Control Measures	Likelihood	Impact	Risk Evaluation
IJB.IR.01	Risk cause Level of resourcing not matching demand.  Risk event Demand exceeding resource allocation.  Risk effect Significant overspend or inability to meet demand requirements.	Chief Finance	Chief Finance Officer (CFO) appointed to IJB Appropriate monitoring of budget position Action plans to respond to specific financial challenge IJB reserve established to respond future budget pressures.	2	2	

#### **Risks**

### IJB.RR.01 Balancing budget in future years

Risk Code	Risk Identification	Managed by	Risk Control Measures	Likelihood	Impact	Risk Evaluation
IJB.RR.01	Risk cause Inadequate resources to meet demand in the manner in which services are currently delivered.  Risk event Inability to meet demand within existing resources.  Risk effect Overspends due to excessive demand for services, quality failures, and cuts in other services. The Community Health Partnership will have made financial commitments when in operation some of which will extend in to the period covered by the IJB and will require to be honoured.	Chief Finance Officer	Chief Finance Officer appointed to IJB, this post is responsible for the governance, appropriate management of finance and financial administration of the IJB.  Early Warning Indicators from NHS Lothian and Midlothian Council.  Strong budget control systems in place in NHS Lothian and Midlothian Council.  Financial Strategy developed, presented to the IJB (January 2018 meeting) and agreed. Financial Plan being developed, outline plan agreed by IJB and further reports to be taken back to the IJB in September 2018.  Realistic Care Realistic Expectations group expanded in to Business Transformation Board – Social Care Project with Realistic Care Realistic Medicine Transformation Programme.	3	4	

Related Action Code	Related Action	Related action latest note	Managed By	Due Date	Status
IJB.RR.01.A2	Financial plan	<b>Q1 18/19</b> : Financial Plan presented to the IJB at its February 2018 meeting, update due to be reported to be to September 2018 IJB Meeting.	Chief Officer	30-Sep-2018	
IJB.RR.01.A3	Business Transformation Board – Social Care Project	Q1 18/19: Previous Realistic Care, Realistic Expectations group expanded into Business Transformation Board – Social Care Project with Realistic Care Realistic Medicine Transformation Programme, to deliver the financial strategy in operational terms.	Chief Officer	31-Mar-2019	
IJB.RR.02.A2	Learning Disability and Mental Health	<b>Q1 18/19</b> : The inherited financial commitments in Learning Disability and Mental Health have been identified and the IJB will indicate to NHSL what it is able to invest in these areas. The financial commitment will be reflected in the Financial Plan.	Chief Finance Officer	30-Sep-2018	

#### IJB.RR.03 Demographic Changes

Risk Code	Risk Identification	Managed by	Risk Control Measures	Likelihood	Impact	Risk Evaluation
	Risk cause Increasing demands on services as a result of ageing population, and increasing numbers and complexity of		Annual review of joint needs assessment so that the allocation of resources can be reviewed and amended.			
	need of children moving into Adult Services.  Risk event Inability to meet demand within existing resources.		Continual process of service redesign to ensure people access services quickly, and their recovery is supported effectively.			
IJB.RR.03		Chief Officer	Realistic Care, Realistic Expectations programme Board.	5	3	
	Risk effect Demands made on Social Care resource budget exceed		Business Transformation Board - Social Care Project.			
	available budget. Capacity to maintain and develop preventative services is put at risk.		Demographic profiling to ensure forward planning reflects the demographic profile of the IJB. Captured in financial plan			

#### IJB.RR.04 Governance

Risk Code	Risk Identification	Managed by	Risk Control Measures	Likelihood	Impact	Risk Evaluation
IJB.RR.04	Risk cause Complexity of governance arrangements for the three bodies - NHS Lothian , Midlothian Council and the IJB - having to work together  Risk event Issues arise which lead to uncertainty about decision making authority.  Risk effect The IJB's governance systems are unable to operate effectively.	Chief Officer	Performance Reports  Use of Audit to Monitor effectiveness of Internal controls  Code of Corporate Governance  Integration Scheme  Regular formal and informal meetings with partners.	2	4	

#### IJB.RR.07 Managing Change

Risk Code	Risk Identification	Managed by	Risk Control Measures	Likelihood	Impact	Risk Evaluation
IJB.RR.07	Risk cause Information on changes to service released before service user or employees consultation strategy developed.  Risk event There is the potential for information to be released on draft schemes or proposals for changes to service delivery.  Risk effect This could have a negative impact on Service Users and Employees by creating unnecessary concern regarding potential changes which have not been fully considered or consulted on.	Joint Director Midlothian Health and Social Care Partnership	Strategic delivery plan.  Directions made and monitored.  Performance reporting against delivery of strategic plan and other key indicators.  There is an Organisational Development Officer in post, delivering an OD programme alongside a number of Lothian-wide initiatives.	3	4	_

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IJB.RR.07.A1	Communications Strategy	Q1 18/19: Communication plans are being developed and implemented across the service.	Chief Officer	31-Mar-2019	<b>②</b>
IJB.RR.07.A2	Organisational Development Programme	Q1 18/19: An organisation development programme is being delivered.	Joint Director Midlothian Health and Social Care Partnership	31-Mar-2019	
IJB.RR.10.A1	Workforce Framework	Q1 18/19: Workforce framework report reported to IJB in June.	Joint Director Midlothian Health and Social Care Partnership	30-June-2018	

#### IJB.RR.08 Management Information

Risk Code	Risk Identification	Managed by	Risk Control Measures	Likelihood	Impact	Risk Evaluation
IJB.RR.08	Risk cause The two main software systems used within the Council (Framework-i) and NHS Lothian (Trak) to support the delivery of adult and social care do not integrate at present.  Risk event These systems are used to drive performance information.  Risk effect The lack of integration of the information between the systems reduces the potential for holistic reporting.	Midlothian Health and Social Care	The Interagency Information Exchange allows direct and up to date access to other professional's information.  Data sharing agreements	3	3	

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IJB.RR.08.A1	Interagency Information Exchange	Q1 18/19: Off Target Initial testing commenced early June but performance issues have been discovered around basic functionality and these are currently being investigated. No new implementation date can be provided until investigation of these issues are complete and resolutions found.	Mike O'Rourke	31-Mar-2018	8
IJB.RR.08.A2	Performance Information	<b>Q1 18/19</b> : Work continues on the development of a comprehensive performance framework for the IJB. Reports presented to the IJB. Regular reports presented to the IJB.	Chief Officer	31-Jul-2018	

#### IJB.RR.09 Leadership Capacity - IJB

Risk Code	Risk Identification	Managed by	Risk Control Measures	Likelihood	Impact	Risk Evaluation
	Risk cause Changing membership of IJB creates challenges to ensure		National and local Induction programs in place.		3	
	all members have a clear understanding of the Integration of Health and Social Care.		Membership changes incrementally.			
	Risk event New members may have a knowledge gap around the work of the IJB, the planned outcomes and measures to	Chief Officer	User, Carer and Third Sector members receive pre-meeting support.	3		
IJB.RR.09			Induction/development programme in place.			
	drive forward improvement.		Leadership Development training in place.			
	Risk effect Ability of new members to make a positive contribution to the IJB.	The IJB has changed members, chair and CO in the last year yet continues to function well				

#### IJB.RR.10 Workforce Capacity Including Recruitment & Retention of Health and Social Care Staff

Risk Code	Risk Identification	Managed by	Risk Control Measures	Likelihood	Impact	Risk Evaluation
IJB.RR.10	Risk cause Potential future ability to recruit sufficient staff.  Risk event Insufficient numbers of qualified people to deliver services based on current models.  Risk effect Negative impact on service delivery where services require Health Visitors and GPs.	Partnership	National program of training for GPS and Health Visitors.  Living Wage commitment to address low paid positions.  Service Specific Workforce Plan being developed which will include the development of new roles and a changing skill mix.  SVQ Assessment Centre Established.	3	4	

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IJB.RR.10.A1	Workforce Framework	Q1 18/19: Workforce framework report reported to IJB in June.	Joint Director Midlothian Health and Social Care Partnership	30-June-2018	
SRP.RA.04	Scottish Social Service Council Care at Home	Q1 18/19: The process for registration of Care at Home staff underway. This	Joint Director	31-Dec-2019	

will be a significant step towards professionalising the workforce.	Midlothian Health and Social Care Partnership			
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### IJB.RR.11 Working With Other Organisations (Partnership)

Risk Code	Risk Identification	Managed by	Risk Control Measures	Likelihood	Impact	Risk Evaluation
IJB.RR.11	Risk cause The establishment of the Integrated Joint Board (IJB) may reduce the efforts required to work with other Community Planning partners.  Risk event THE HSCP focusses too narrowly on its immediate responsibilities to deliver direct services in health and care, and neglects the task of building long term sustainability.  Risk effect The HSCP does not achieve its long term objectives.	Chief Officer	The IJB Chair and Chief Officer are members of the Community Planning Board.  Health and Social Care are actively in Area Targeting Work.  Reducing inequality is the key objective of the Community Planning Partnership.  Other agencies - e.g. Housing; Libraries; Fire and Rescue; Ambulance - are actively involved in joint planning groups.	3	4	

Related Action Code	Related Action	Related action latest note	Managed By	Due Date	Status
IJB.RR.11-A1	Single Midlothian Plan	<b>Q1 18/19</b> : Plan for 2018/19 published.	Joint Director Midlothian Health and Social Care Partnership	31-May-2018	
IJB.RR.11-A2	Strengthening work with Voluntary Sector	Q1 18/19: Summit with Voluntary Sector Organisations held with future sessions to be held on a quarterly basis.	Joint Director Midlothian Health and Social Care Partnership	31-Mar-2019	

#### **IJB.RR.14 Business Continuity**

Risk Code	Risk Identification	Managed by	Risk Control Measures	Likelihood	Impact	Risk Evaluation
IJB.RR.14	Risk cause Lack of clarity about Business Continuity arrangements.  Risk event The Health & Social Care Partnership is unable to implement proposals in the absence of an effective governing body.  Risk effect The IJB fails to make good progress with the implementation of its Strategic Plan.	Chief Officer	Integration Scheme - standing orders and a code of governance in place.  Substitute IJB members in place by NHS Lothian, Midlothian Council, Users, Carers and Third Sector.  The Council and NHS have their own Business Continuity Plans and arrangements in place to monitor third party suppliers. (Check local code of governance)	3	4	_

#### IJB.RR.18 Use of Acute Hospital Beds

Risk Code	Risk Identification	Managed by	Risk Control Measures	Likelihood	Impact	Risk Evaluation
IJB.RR.18	Risk cause Midlothian has too high a usage of hospital beds for people who are fit to be discharged or who did not need to be admitted in the first place.  Risk event Acute hospitals are unable to function effectively and efficiently because of the number of people occupying beds who do not require hospital care.  Risk effect The difficulty of shifting resources to community based services will continue, and people who need hospital care will experience delays.  The acute hospital system has to commission services from private providers to meet national targets.		On-going monitoring of quality  IJB set Targets on use of Acute Beds.  Directions set.  Patient pathway being improved including the establishment of a local discharge 'hub'	4	5	

Related Action Code	Related Action	Related action latest note		Due Date	Status
IJB.RR.18-A1		Q1 2018/19: Project Manager appointed, detail project plan to be prepared. Report to be presented to IJB in Q2 2018/19.	Chief Officer	31-Mar-2019	

# **Opportunities**

### IJB.OP.01 Strategic Plan

Risk Code	Risk Identification	Managed by	Risk Control Measures	Likelihood	Impact	Risk Evaluation
IJB.OP.01	The creation of a Strategic Plan provides the opportunity to describe the future shape of care services.	Chief Officer	The Strategic Plan sets out the direction of travel for all health and care services and identifies how available funding will be used to enable some of these changes to take place.  New funding such as social care monies and Primary Care Transformation funds will enable some of the aspirational plans to be put into effect.  Direction provides clarity and specificity about actions flowing from the Strategic Plan.  Health and Care Transformation Board has been established to ensure a SMART (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Realistic, Timely) approach to implementation of the Strategic Plan.	5	4	<u> </u>

Related Action Code	Related Action	Related action latest note	Managed By	Due Date	Status
IJB.OP.01.A4		Q1 18/19: Annual delivery plan agreed at IJB meeting in March. Plans for new strategic plan agreed by IJB in June.	Chief Officer	30-Jun-2018	

#### Risk Management report Key:

Very low risk	1-3	
Low risk	4-8	
Medium risk	9-15	
High risk	16-20	
Critical risk	25	

### Action Key:

In progress	
Complete	
Overdue	8