

Appendix 1 – Dementia Action Plan

No.	AREA FOR DEVELOPMENT/NDS OBJECTIVE	KEY ACTIONS	LEAD	COMPLETION DATE
1	Good quality early diagnosis and intervention for all	Integrated memory assessment and diagnosis service (MAS) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Give notice of intention to redesign resources at Aldrington House Complete review of Aldrington House Day Hospital and agree alternative service provision for current service users Final MAS model approved to include support and information service and awareness campaign MAS contract tendered Award MAS MAS service commencement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CCG CCG CCG CCG/CSU CCG/CSU CCG/Provider 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> December 2011 May 2012 May 2012 June 2012 October 2012 April 2013
2	Improved quality of care in general hospitals	(i) Older People's Mental Health Liaison Service at Royal Sussex County Hospital: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Short term resourcing increased to April 2012 Medium term resourcing scoped identified and recruited to April 2013 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CCG/SPFT CCG/SPFT 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Immediate April 2012

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify sustainable plan from within current resource for April 2013 onwards <p>(ii) Dementia Champion Post:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recruited to post Reviewed and sustainable funding identified Dementia implementation plan in place <p>(iii) Improved Diagnosis in acute hospitals:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CQUIN signed off and agreed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CCG/SPFT RSCH RSCH/CCG RSCH CCG 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> April 2013 April 2012 September 2012 June 2013 March 2013
3	Dementia Crisis & Short Term Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review current crisis service Agree model for future crisis support Agreed model for short term community support 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CCG/LA CCG/LA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> May 2012 June 2013 June 2013
4	Living well with dementia in care homes	<p>(i) Care home in reach</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Team established Review current service Agree options for ongoing service delivery based on outcome of 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SPFT CCG CCG 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> December 2011 November 2012 December 2012

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		<p>review</p> <p>(ii) Care home provision</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improve availability of care home places and sustain/increase the current market • Improve quality in care homes via contract minimum standards • Develop role of Ireland Lodge to improve length of stay in transitional beds and reduce delayed transfers of care 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LA/CCG • LA/CCG • LA/CCG 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ongoing • Contract in place by April 2013 • April 2013
5	Reduced use of antipsychotic medication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Initiation and review of AP to best practice standards across acute and MH trusts as per EQ/CQUIN initiative • Action plan implemented to respond to findings of Prescribing Observatory for Mental Health (POMH) UK audit • Review findings and next steps following completion of Prescribing incentive scheme in primary care • Audit of care homes AP via CH in Reach team • Education to GPs via PLS on APM 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SPFT/BSUH • SPFT • CCG • SPFT • SPFT/CCG 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2012/13 • Completed • May 2012 • March 2012 • February 2012

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		including identifying ongoing needs		
6	A clear picture of research evidence and needs	Update Whole System Partnership dementia modelling work to include localised data from audit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Project to review acute admissions and LOS • Input above into WSP model • RSCH to complete Audit • RSCH data collection and analysis complete and adjustment factor identified 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CSU • WSP/CSU • RSCH • RSCH/CSU 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete • March 2012 • January 2012 • April 2012
7	Development of structured peer support and learning networks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 'All of Us' events finish • National funding used for peer support • Review peer/carers support • Support implemented via MAS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alzheimers Soc • CCG/LA • LA/CCG • Provider/CCG 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • March 2012 • March 2012 • April 2012 • April 2013
8	An informed and effective workforce for people with dementia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local Authority workforce/independent sector training • Dementia Champion in post • Increase knowledge and skills of 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LA • BSUH • CCG 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ongoing • April 2012 • Ongoing

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		primary care via Protected Learning Session (PLS) and other mechanisms		
9	Improved end of life care for people with dementia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regional Innovation fund training programme initiated • RIF training programme completed • Work on end of life pathway for people with dementia • Develop an end of life in dementia learning network • Develop specialist resource for EoL and dementia 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CCGs • CCGs • ALL • ALL • CCG 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2012/13 • 2012/13 • 2012/13 • 2012/13 • 2012/13
10	Improved dementia services for people with specific needs including, young onset, learning disability, dual diagnosis, Korsakoffs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Towner Club • Identify local need and service gaps for younger people with dementia • CHiR team to support residential homes for people with learning disability and dementia • Ensure pathway for people with dual diagnosis is as integrated as possible in the general pathway 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CCG/SPFT/Alz Soc • CCG • SPFT • CCG/SPFT 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June 2012 • June 2012 • Ongoing • Ongoing

