ANNUAL REVIEW: PROGRESS AGAINST 2006-07 ACTION LIST

Recommendation:

The Board is asked to:

- note current progress on the Ministerial actions arising from the Annual Review;

A. BACKGROUND AND PURPOSE

1.1 The content and implications of the Minister’s letter to the Board following its Annual Review was reported to the Performance Review Group on 21 November.

1.2 The report noted the Minister’s praise for the “substantial progress being made across the Board’s area” and in particular the Board’s financial management, improvement of waiting times, implementation of Delivering for Health, control of HAI, creation of CH(C)Ps and its handling of the integration of Clyde.

1.3 In the Annex to his letter the Minister’s listed 13 actions arising from the Annual Review on which the Board is required to report. The actions range from developing the Area Partnership Forum to devising effective interventions on alcohol misuse, to shifting the balance of care and confirming the role of CH(C)Ps in reducing emergency hospital re-admissions.

1.4 Two actions, in relation to the IT strategy and the Inverclyde CHP Scheme of Establishment, have already been reported to the Executive. Further reports are imminent. Annex 1 summarises current progress against all of the actions. It should be noted that for most if not all of these actions monitoring and reporting mechanisms already exist with the Executive. In some cases the timescales for reporting to the Executive are slightly out of phase with the Board’s own planning but in these instances interim reports will be provided.

1.5 It is intended that a further report updating progress will be made the Board in May 2007.
1.6 In keeping with previous practice, it is expected that this will again be a substantive item for the Board’s next Annual Review.

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