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Transforming health outcomes for the people of Basildon and Brentwood – CCG launches its 5 year plan

Following extensive discussion and feedback, today NHS Basildon and Brentwood CCG has launched its 5 year plan to transform health outcomes for the people of Basildon and Brentwood.

The plan, developed by the CCG in partnership with local GPs, Essex County Council, patient groups and other local agencies sets out an ambitious agenda to deliver better services to local people including:

- Better access to GP services and more GPs in the local area.
- New ways of providing care in the community, and linking NHS services to social care services so that anyone with long term need has a single care plan which they develop with a care co-ordination.
- Developing new specialist pathways of care, to improve outcomes – particularly in respect of cancer, respiratory and cardiovascular disease.

Tom Abell, Chief Officer of the CCG said: "This plan sets out how we will seize what is an exciting opportunity to bring about real change which will radically improve health and care outcomes for the people we serve and secure a health and care service that is fit for the twenty first century."

The five year plan is available on the CCG's website, www.basildonandbrentwoodccg.nhs.uk

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