Equality and Rights Impact Assessment

2015-2018 Budget Summary Report

What budget option does this ERIA information relate to?

Redesign care pathways for Mental Health and Addiction Services				
Option number	HSC7			
Savings proposal	Redesign care pathways for Mental Health and Addiction Services			
Division	Chief Social Work Officer's Branch			
Service area	Mental Health, Criminal Justice, Substance Misuse and Homelessness Services			

Description of savings proposal

Mental health re-commissioning plan, and Edinburgh Alcohol and Drugs Partnership collaborative and alliance redesign, will develop the most effective model of service provision delivered within the reduced funding envelope. This will reduce CEC funding available to third sector providers but redesign may help attract external funding which could help maintain service levels.

What are the main impacts of this option on rights?

This redesign involves change from an organisation-based commissioning approach to a collaborative of public and third sector organisations taking forward commissioning by stakeholder alliances with the aim of reducing any duplication of provision. The rights of service users and carers will not be affected by adopting this new approach.

What are the main impacts of this option on equality?

The co-productive structure will be more inclusive than existing approaches to commissioning services because a wider range of organisations are represented in the alliances making commissioning decisions across the full range of needs.

What are the main recommendations to address either the positive or negative impacts?

The collaborative will maintain an overarching view of commissioning alliances to ensure that there is an adequate and sufficient balance and range of commissioned services.

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Carbon Impact Assessment Template

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INFRASTRUCTURE energy usage			X		
TRANSPORT fuel consumption			X		

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← = no change anticipated