

Key Messages – Alliance Leadership Team (ALT)



Memo to:	Key South Island Alliance stakeholders
Purpose of memo:	To provide a brief summary of the key messages from the most recent South Island Alliance Leadership Team meeting.
ALT meeting date:	Monday 10 June 2019
1	<p>Group membership update</p> <p>ALT approved the following nominations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emma Jeffery to join the South Island Child Health Service Level Alliance as consumer representative.
2	<p>Information Services SLA (ISSLA) update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The ISSLA provided an update on the progress of its refreshed data and digital strategy. The refreshed strategy will include approaches towards the management and structure of data governance, how the DHB business analysts can work together at a regional level, and how we can ensure all component parts of the system work together to support regional decision making. • The South Island Alliance Programme Office will be seeking expressions of interest for an independent chair of the South Island Information Services SLA following the loss of Graham Crombie. • ALT supported the recommendation for a regional cross-functionality group. This was raised in relation to the South Island Patient Information Care System (SI PICS) and how we make decisions across multiple applications. The ISSLA will provide further recommendations in terms of the scope and composition of this group.
3	<p>South Island Health Services Plan</p> <p>ALT provided feedback on the latest version of the South Island Health Service Plan, which sets the strategic direction of the region for the next three to five years. In response, the Plan will be updated to ensure alignment with DHB annual plans and to reflect a more strategic focus. The Plan is to be submitted to the Ministry of Health in July.</p>
4	<p>South Island Neurosurgery Service Post Implementation Review</p> <p>The South Island Neurosurgery Service Post Implementation Review is complete. The final report and recommendations were presented to the SINS Board on 6 June and tabled at ALT. The purpose of the SINS post implementation review was to assess the effectiveness of the implementation of the 2010 recommendations outlined in the Report of the South Island Neurosurgery Expert Panel and to identify opportunities for service improvement. A detailed action plan in response to the recommendations is being developed.</p>
5	<p>Regional modelling tool</p> <p>ALT noted that phase one of the development of a regional modelling tool is complete and confirmed its commitment to progress to phase two. Professional services firm EY is developing the tool, which aims to provide data insights to help guide thinking, decisions and outcomes at a South Island system level – particularly where significant investment in hospitals and services is involved. Phase two of this project is expected to be complete in August/September 2019.</p>

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