

LAMBETH TOGETHER CARE PARTNERSHIP BOARD MINUTES

Thursday, 11th June 2026, 2pm
Brixton Library, Brixton Oval, SW2

[Part 1 Meeting Recording - Public Forum](#) (please note, the Public Forum does not have formal minutes taken).

[Part 2 Meeting Recording - Board Meeting \(Items 1 to 8 Inclusive\)](#)

[Part 3 Meeting Recording - Board Meeting \(Items 9 to 12 Inclusive\)](#)

[Board Meeting Papers](#)

[Supplementary Papers Pack - Assurance Report \(Item 5\)](#)

Members Present:

Cllr Jeremy Isaacs	Cabinet Member for Healthier Communities (job-share), Lambeth Council
Cllr Samantha Dorney-Smith	Cabinet Member for Healthier Communities (job-share), Lambeth Council
Dr Di Aitken	Lambeth Together Care Partnership Board Co-Chair. Neighbourhood and Wellbeing Delivery Alliance Clinical and Care Professional Lead
Andrew Eyres	Place Executive Lead Lambeth, Corporate Director, Integrated Health, and Care, Lambeth Council and NHS South East London Integrated Care Board
Alice Jarvis	Director of Operations and Partnerships, Integrated and Specialist Medicine, Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust (GSTT) (deputising for Louise Dark, Chief Executive, Integrated and Specialist Medicine, Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust (GSTT))
Damilola Bamidele	Head of Programmes for Lambeth, Black Thrive, Lambeth
Dan Stoten	Director of Integrated Children's Commissioning and Youth Services (deputising for Andrew Carter, Corporate Director of Children's Services, Lambeth Council)
Dr Nozomi Akanuma	Living Well Network Alliance Clinical and Care Professional Lead, South London, and the Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust
Dr Penelope Jarrett (non-voting member)	Chair, Lambeth Local Medical Committee
Eugenie Dadie	Patient and Public Voice Member
Folake Segun (non-voting member)	Chief Executive, Healthwatch Lambeth
Jane Bowie	Director, Integrated Commissioning (Adults), Lambeth Council and NHS South East London Integrated Care Board (deputising for Richard Sparkes, Director, Adult Social Care, Lambeth Council)
Jasmina Lijesevic	Lay Member
Mukhtai Panchal	Senior Strategy Advisor, King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust (deputising for Julie Lowe, Site Chief Executive, Kings College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust)
Ruth Hutt	Director of Public Health, Lambeth Council
Sarah Flanagan	Patient and Public Voice Member
Therese Fletcher	Managing Director, Lambeth GP Federation

Apologies:

Andrew Carter	Corporate Director of Children's Services, Lambeth Council
Dr George Verghese	GP, Co-Chair of the Lambeth Primary Care Clinical Cabinet
Dr Raj Mitra	GP, Children and Young People's Alliance Clinical and Care Professional Lead
Gus Heafield	Chief Operating Officer, South London, and the Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust
Julie Lowe	Site Chief Executive, Kings College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
Louise Dark	Chief Executive, Integrated and Specialist Medicine, Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust (GSTT)
Paul Coles	Chief Executive, Age UK Lambeth

Richard Sparkes	Director, Adult Social Care, Lambeth Council
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In Attendance:

Alex Jackson	Programme Lead, Lambeth Together
Guy Swindle	Deputy Director, Lambeth Together Living Well Network Alliance
Jessica Engen	Consultant in Public Health, Lambeth Council
Josepha Reynolds	Programme Director, Neighbourhood and Wellbeing Delivery Alliance (NWDA)
Juliet Amoa	Associate Director, Equity and Inclusion, Community Health and Engagement, Lambeth Council
Killian Quinn	Clinical Lead, PrEP in our Community (Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis)
Marc Thompson	Strategic Lead for HIV, Lambeth Council
Nancy Padwick	Strategic Lead for Sexual Health, Lambeth Council
Oge Chesa	Director of Primary Care and Transformation, NHS South East London Integrated Care Board
Simon Boote	Programme Director, Children and Young People's Alliance
Vida Boateng	Nurse Practitioner, PrEP in our Community (Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis)
Warren Beresford	Associate Director, Health and Care Planning and Intelligence, NHS South East London Integrated Care Board

1 Introductions

Dr Di Aitken opened the meeting. Board Members introduced themselves. Apologies were noted from Andrew Carter, with Dan Stoten deputising, Dr George Verghese, Dr Raj Mitra, Gus Heafield, Julie Lowe (with Muktai Panchal deputising), Louise Dark (with Alice Jarvis deputising), Paul Coles, and Richard Sparkes (with Jane Bowie deputising).

A welcome was given to Councillor Jeremy Isaacs and Councillor Samantha Dorney-Smith, who were appointed as Lambeth Council Cabinet Members for Health and Adult Social Care (job-share) following the May Local Government Elections.

Reporting back from the Public Forum

Dr Di Aitken welcomed members of the public to the meeting and noted the topics discussed during the earlier Public Forum, that included:

- Sarah Flanagan's final update as Patient and Public Voice Member on the Board and her journey over the last four years.
- Lambeth's plans for Carer's Week, Pride Month and further Age Friendly Forums and Wellbeing Days.
- The impact of cost savings over the previous year on services within the borough.
- How the voluntary sector can engage with Primary Care Networks (PCNs) and Integrated Neighbourhood Teams (INTs) to support vulnerable residents.
- The involvement of local people in decision making for neighbourhood health.
- Dementia diagnoses and protocols for fire risk assessments in the home when a diagnosis is received.
- Water safety following Lambeth Council taking ownership of Brockwell Lido.
- The recruitment of new Patient and Public Voice Members for the Lambeth Together Board.
- Information on national awards recently awarded to Lambeth teams.

Responses to the specific questions raised at the Public Forum will be published on the [Lambeth Together website](#).

2 Declarations of Interest

Members were asked to declare any conflicts of interests linked to specific items on the agenda. The following interests were declared:

- Dr Penelope Jarrett declared a conflict of interest regarding the Fiveways PCN within the Primary Care Commissioning Committee (PCCC) papers but noted she was not a voting member of the Lambeth Together Board.
- Therese Fletcher declared a conflict of interest regarding the procurement of protected learning time (PLT) within the PCCC papers.

3 Minutes from 05 March 2026 Meeting

The [minutes](#) of the meeting of Thursday 05 March 2026 were agreed as an accurate record of the meeting.

It was noted that all previous actions are closed.

Dr Penelope Jarrett raised that within the Public Forum questions and answers from the March meeting, a reference to GMC is made about GP contracts but it should be GPC.

4 Place Executive Lead Report

Andrew Eyres gave an overview of the Place Executive Lead report. The following discussions took place:

- Ruth Hutt highlighted that the Lambeth Adult Social Care (ASC) Care Quality Commission (CQC) outcomes positive focus on equity and inclusion and reflected the work of Juliet Amoa and the Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion (EDI) Group within this area.
- Ruth also mentioned an award received on Wednesday 10 June for HIV to add to the list of recent awards. The London HIV Prevention Programme (LHPP) – Do It London – received national and international recognition, securing two significant awards across consecutive days: Bronze – Social Purpose Category at the Drum Awards (EMEA) and Public Sector Award for Best Health Campaign at the Purpose Awards.
- Alice Jarvis added that Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust (GSTT) had just received the outcome for their Emergency Department CQC inspection, where they received an Excellent and Good rating at St Thomas' and Guy's Hospitals respectively.

RESOLVED

1. Board members **received** the update on key developments since the last Lambeth Together Care Partnership Board meeting in public on 05 March 2026.

To view the report accompanying this item, refer to pages 13 to 22 of the Board pack.

To view the recording for this item, refer to part 2 of the meeting recording from 03:40 – 08:35.

5 Lambeth Together Assurance Group (LTAG) Update

Jasmina Lijesevic presented on the May Assurance Group meeting and the following discussions took place:

- Dr Penelope Jarrett clarified that the colour coding in the report can make scores look lower than they are, for example health checks. Dr Jarrett confirmed the score returns to zero as of April, making the scores look low for the first part of the year but wanted to reassure members that by the end of the following year in March, the targets are met and often exceeded.

RESOLVED

1. Board members **noted** the report from the Lambeth Together Assurance Sub-Group and the associated Integrated Assurance Report presented on 12 May 2026.

To view the presentation and report accompanying this item, refer to pages 23 to 37 of the Board pack and the supplementary papers pack.

To view the recording for this item, refer to part 2 of the meeting recording from 08:36 – 11:55.

6 Lambeth Together Business Planning and Governance

Alex Jackson and Warren Beresford presented the Lambeth Together Business Planning and Governance item. The following was discussed:

- Andrew Eyres noted there will be further changes to the Terms of Reference throughout the year due to the Integrated Care Board (ICB) reforms and membership changes but confirmed this will be brought back to the Board for approval in due course. Andrew noted that the only changes to the Lambeth Together Board Terms of Reference today are to the meeting frequency.
- Jasmina Lijesevic acknowledged the need for a more streamlined approach noting that the content of the Executive Group and Assurance Group does overlap at times but raised concerns including the change of name from Assurance to Oversight and sought reassurance that the assurance process would not be diluted going forwards.
- Dr Penelope Jarrett and Cllr Samantha Dorney-Smith asked for confirmation on how often the Oversight Group would meet and the proposed membership of the Oversight Group.
- Andrew explained there is no intention of diluting assurance and there will continue to be an integrated assurance report presented to the Lambeth Together Board, the Oversight Group would meet monthly which is more than the current Assurance Group frequency of bi-monthly and membership, which is currently being reviewed, will be shared with Board Members and all Board will be free to attend if they wished.
- Jasmina asked how much of the assurance process is a statutory obligation and Andrew explained it is not a statutory obligation but has been agreed through the partnership's arrangements.
- Cllr Jeremy Isaacs and Cllr Samantha Dorney-Smith offered to meet with Jasmina outside of the meeting as new councillors to discuss their democratic responsibilities in working with the NHS given the issues raised during the discussion.
- Alice Jarvis and Dr Nozomi Akanuma confirmed they are supportive of the change.
- Cllr Isaacs asked if the change to the Board Terms of Reference was only to the frequency of the meeting or if the change also included the ability to have a private meeting, and if so queried the purpose of a private meeting.
- Andrew explained the change is only to the frequency of Board meetings, which has moved from six times a year to four. He went on to explain the Board has the ability to have a private session for example to discuss confidential commercial matters before they can be put into the public domain, however this is very rare. There are also Board Seminars that are held in private and which are not formal Board meetings to discuss development and planning.
- The Board approved the annual review and refresh of Our Health, Our Lambeth, the updated Terms of Reference and the Assurance and Oversight proposal.

RESOLVED

Board members:

1. **Approved** the 2025/26 annual review and refresh of Our Health, Our Lambeth;
2. **Approved** the updated Terms of Reference for the Lambeth Together Care Partnership Board; &
3. **Approved** the Lambeth Together Assurance and Oversight proposal.

To view the presentation accompanying this item, refer to pages 39 to 130 of the Board pack.

To view the recording for this item, refer to part 2 of the meeting recording from 11:56 – 45:50.

7 Children and Young People's (CYP) Alliance Governance Change

Simon Boote presented on the governance changes to the CYP Alliance:

- Andrew Eyres noted he had been a part of the conversations at the CYP Alliance Board which had strongly supported the proposals. Andrew explained this work brings together a raft of national policy and children's social care work.
- Jasmina Lijesevic confirmed she strongly supports the proposals.
- All proposals were ratified by the Board.

RATIFIED

1. Board members **ratified** the decisions made at the Children and Young People's Alliance Board meeting on 21 May 2026.

To view the presentation accompanying this item, refer to pages 131 to 140 of the Board pack.

To view the recording for this item, refer to part 2 of the meeting recording from 45:51 – 51:30.

8 Lambeth Together Primary Care Commissioning Committee (PCCC)

Jasmina Lijesevic and Oge Chesa presented on the May Primary Care Commissioning Committee. All items were ratified by the Board, and the following discussions took place:

- Dr Penelope Jarrett explained that Protected Learning Time (PLT) was valuable to practices, to be able to close their doors and have a whole team meeting and welcomed the investments.
- Cllr Jeremy Isaacs explained in relation to the shared care and drug scheme, that patients do not like it when they do not know who takes ownership of their drugs between primary and secondary care. Cllr Isaacs asked if the shared care scheme avoids fighting over who has the prescribing responsibility.
- Dr Di Aitken explained that GP practices in Lambeth have a good clinical pharmacy workforce who are integral in making sure the shared care scheme works.
- Dr Jarrett explained the Lambeth Local Medical Committee (LMC) have been heavily engaged with this process and that the shared care scheme is for the whole of South East London (SEL) to incentivise practices to prescribe green and amber 3 drugs. Dr Jarrett confirmed there has been a lot of discussion on the with the aim of supporting GPs to continue prescribing as long as secondary care have given full support and guidance.
- Therese Fletcher asked, if the practice support offer, is available to review or is the Board being asked to ratify a decision to write this up.
- Dr Di Aitken confirmed it has been written up and will be shared when it is ready to be sent out.
- All decisions were ratified.

RATIFIED

1. Members of the Board **noted** and **supported** the content of the slide pack; and
2. Members of the Partnership Board **ratified** decisions made at the Extraordinary Primary Care Commissioning Committee on 22 April 2026 as well as the Primary Care Commissioning Committee on 13 May 2026.

To view the presentation accompanying this item, refer to pages 141 to 153 of the Board pack.

To view the recording for this item, refer to part 2 of the meeting recording from 51:31 – 1:02:00.

9 Neighbourhood and Wellbeing Delivery Alliance (NWDA): Update on Neighbourhood Health

Josepha Reynolds, Therese Fletcher, and Alice Jarvis gave an update on neighbourhood health. The following was discussed:

- Dr Penelope Jarrett explained she has been involved in this process as a GP and stated the Organisational Development (OD) sessions have been excellent.
- Dr Nozomi Akanuma stated that documents need to be accessible for patients to understand, including a Plain Language element, rather than just Plain English, as English is not everyone's first language.
- Josepha noted that a dedicated Communications Lead for neighbourhoods has started working with the team and will support with improving accessibility of language in public documents.
- Dr Akanuma also thanked the team for inviting her to be a part of the work as mental health is no longer considered separate.
- Josepha explained that through the codesign work, it was agreed that people with severe mental illness should not be excluded when working with people with multiple long-term conditions, given the prevalence in Lambeth, which differs from the model across SEL.
- Cllr Jeremy Isaacs asked for assurance that people with dementia will not be excluded from the frailty offer and asked if the frailty offer will be staffed by people who have dementia training and are linked to mental health teams who have a speciality in dementia.
- Cllr Isaacs also mentioned we need to make sure our unpaid carers are looked after.
- Josepha confirmed there is dedicated support to help unpaid carers, and that people with dementia are within the remit of the frailty work.
- Alice confirmed the frailty criteria includes those with dementia who may be housebound.
- Cllr Samantha Dorney-Smith asked if the minimum functional requirements for the INTs were business as usual or whether the team had any concerns about the extra resource allocated to this.
- Alice explained she could not say where the team may need more resource yet as they have only just started and would need to see how things develop over the next year. Alice explained that there is much work to do in establishing neighbourhood teams from scratch but is confident the work can be delivered.
- Guy Swindle thanked the team and SEL for identifying funding to develop proposals which recognises the importance of mental health services.

RESOLVED

1. Board members **supported** and **provided** feedback on the update on neighbourhood health.

To view the presentation accompanying this item, refer to pages 155 to 189 of the Board pack.

To view the recording for this item, refer to part 3 of the meeting recording from 0:10 – 27:00.

10 Sexual Health Programme: HIV in Lambeth

Nancy Padwick, Jessica Engen, Marc Thompson, Vida Boateng, and Killian Quinn, presented on the Sexual Health Programme and their work with HIV in Lambeth. The following discussions took place:

- Eugenie Dadie asked, is there a timeline for more GPs to sign up to the HIV Confident Charter.
- Marc explained they are working with their GP Champion Lead to get more practices signed up, raising awareness and emphasising that the charter is free and easy to achieve.
- Dr Penelope Jarrett explained that with the Lambeth Offer coming into effect, the HIV component is included within this so GPs will need to upskill themselves, which should encourage more to sign up.
- Dr Jarrett also mentioned there are barriers for patients to access Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) as GPs cannot prescribe it due to how NHS England reimburses secondary care.
- Killian explained that as a workaround the team have set up contracts between King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust (KCH) and the practices who have signed up to the charter to be an off-site KCH clinic to be able to prescribe the medication.
- Muktai thanked the team for their engagement efforts and explained a focus needs to be given to Black, African and heterosexual people, including Black women, as their diagnoses is lower

nationally. Muktai explained there is a hesitation for some communities to engage in public workshops and asked if there were plans to engage more faith groups in Lambeth.

- Marc outlined the significant outreach work with faith and Black Heritage communities in Lambeth. Marc also highlighted the Black Heritage Needs Assessment which found that people wanted HIV prevention to be made more widely available, including outside of faith groups to ensure privacy in case family members or friends were part of those groups.
- Cllr Samantha Dorney-Smith asked if any positive results were detected at events and if so did the team expect to find this.
- Marc explained there were no reactive results but the fact tests could be conducted helped to normalise testing in these settings.
- Cllr Jeremy Isaacs asked how confident the team were that those who can prescribe PrEP are in the right places.
- Killian outlined a multi-pronged approach with practices focused in North Lambeth, including two in Vauxhall, and Camberwell as key areas to be able to prescribe PrEP. The next step for the team is to engage community pharmacists to be able to prescribe as they are convenient and accessible locations. There is also the digital PrEP offer which is welcomed and helps to address major barriers.
- Nancy explained that the Sexual Health Alliance will also become part of the community PrEP offer as it develops and becomes more mature.

RESOLVED

1. Board members **identified** support to distribute Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) campaign materials;
2. **Supported** staff (including non-health care staff) to undertake training to increase knowledge of HIV; &
3. **Encouraged** Lambeth organisations and stakeholders to sign up to HIV Confident and undertake HIV Confident Training.

To view the presentation accompanying this item, refer to pages 191 to 204 of the Board pack.

To view the recording for this item, refer to part 3 of the meeting recording from 27:10 – 59:00.

11 Questions from Public Attendees

There were no questions from the public.

12 AOB

Board Members thanked Sarah and Eugenie for their contribution to the Board as they have completed their current term as Patient and Public Voice Members. Board Members also thanked Jasmina as her last in-person Board meeting as Lay Member.

The date of the next Lambeth Together Care Partnership Public Board meeting was noted as 03 September 2026, and it will be held via Microsoft Teams.

The meeting ended at 16:18.

Co-CHAIRS
LAMBETH TOGETHER CARE PARTNERSHIP BOARD
Thursday 11 June 2026

Lambeth Together Care Partnership Board – June Action Log

No	Date Raised	Action	Status
1	N/A	N/A	N/A