

**FUTURE FIT PROGRAMME BOARD**

**REPORT COVER SHEET**

<b>Meeting Date:</b>	18 <sup>th</sup> January 2017
<b>Report Title:</b>	IIA supplement: Women's & Children's services
<b>Presented by:</b>	Ruth Lemiech, The Strategy Unit, Midlands & Lancashire CSU
<b>Report for</b>	Approval
<b>Purpose of Report:</b>	The Integrated Impact Assessment (IIA) was presented to the Future Fit Programme Board in November 2016. The board requested that further detailed analysis on the impact of proposed service changes under option C1 was explored in more depth in a supplementary report. This paper sets out the initial specification for the supplementary work focussing on the impacts of moving women's and children's services from PRH in Telford to RSH in Shrewsbury.
<b>Summary</b>	<p>The report proposes that ICF and The Strategy Unit collaborate, once again, to produce an in-depth analysis of the potential impacts on women and children. The impacts addressed should address the concerns expressed by board members, and the specification should be reviewed by the IIA steering group in detail to ensure it is fit for purpose.</p> <p>The exact costs and timetable for the development of the report are dependent on the final specification and availability of data from SaTH, public health and others which will be agreed with the Future Fit Programme Director in the usual manner.</p>
<b>Recommendation:</b>	<p>The Future Fit programme board accept the report and request that</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The legacy IIA steering group is reinstated for the time limited project, and membership is supplemented with the necessary expertise to enable consideration of the specific issues pertaining to women and children.</li> <li>• The board tasks the IIA steering group with agreeing the final specification and the Future Fit programme Director with agreeing the timetable and costs in the usual manner.</li> <li>• The IIA steering group takes on board the recommendations received from Future Fit programme board members and reviews the specification to ensure that the women's and children's supplement is:</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Explicit about impacts on deprived young families and high risk children using Public Health intelligence about maternal and infant health</li> <li>– Specific about the nature of the proposed change to Women &amp; Children’s ie Consultant obstetrics, NICU/SCBU and inpatient paediatrics.</li> <li>– Describes the affected population against their need for consultant obstetrics and paediatrics in general terms using demographic and fertility information</li> <li>– Identifies if there are groups within the population with a disproportionate need for these services and why, relating to underlying risk factors in the population – deprivation, age, ethnicity, lifestyle etc.</li> <li>– Includes a profiling of differential needs.</li> <li>– Attempts to highlight the potential health impacts or ‘secondary’ impacts.</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If possible and helpful, the report should make reference to findings in the previous IIA for the original move of Women and Children’s and any specific impacts identified in that report.</li> <li>• The steering group should commence the formulation of a mitigation action plan for women’s and children’s services, in anticipation of the report, which can be further developed when the detailed report becomes available and throughout the consultation process.</li> <li>• The communications and engagement workstream supplement the report with focus group activity, reporting to the IIA steering group.</li> </ul>
<b>Time required:</b>	10 minutes