

IJB28. Old Age Psychiatry (OAP) Services

The Integration Joint Board considered a report by the Chief Officer which presented for information, the Old Age Psychiatry Services report that was approved by the NHS Forth Valley Board.

The business case set out investment of an additional £400,000 per year (on a Forth Valley area wide basis) to increase the permanent establishment by 3 additional Consultant Posts in Old Age Psychiatry and to convert an Associate Specialist post to that of Consultant. This funding was in addition to that delegated to the Integration Joint Boards in their planning and commissioning roles.

Decision

The Integration Joint Board noted the content of the report and that NHS Forth Valley has approved the proposal and the associated financial risk.