IJB14. Primary Care Improvement Plan Update

The Integration Joint Board considered a report by the Primary Care Improvement Programme Manager on the PCIP programme and its progress through the previous year. Information was included on:-

- Progress Update to end March 2021;
- Key Learning;
- Pharmacotherapy;
- Primary Care Mental Health;
- Advanced Practice Physiotherapy, and
- GMS Contract Implementation: Extension of timescales.

Decision

The Integration Joint Board noted:-

- (1) the progress of the Primary Care Improvement Plan;
- (2) that there was no substantive change to the actions, cost or deliverables previously outlined in PCIP Iteration 3;
- (3) the revised timeline and anticipated revised memorandum of understanding which would guide GMS contract implementation to 2023/24, and
- (4) that the funding gap between PCIP and Scottish Government allocation remained, however, delivery of the plan through 2021/22 could be managed through slippage from previous years, assisted by NHS board led vaccination service funding.