

#### **IJB45. Home Support and Supported Living Contract**

The Integration Joint Board considered a report by the Legal and Procurement Manager providing an update on the new contract timetable for the delivery of the Home Support and Supported Living, the development of the contract strategy and the mitigation plans to bridge the short gap between the current contract and the commencement of the new contract.

The Board considered a report in June 2021 and a contract timetable was provided to facilitate a new contract commencing on 1 April 2022. The Board had subsequently agreed in September 2021 that the original timetable be amended with the new contract anticipated to start at the end of September 2022.

#### **Decision**

**The Integration Joint Board noted:-**

- (1) the new contract timetable to commence at the end of September 2022;**
- (2) the continued work undertaken to finalise the contract strategy;**
- (3) the mitigation plan required to bridge the gap between end of the current contract and the commencement of the new contract; and**
- (4) that a further report would be submitted to a future meeting to agree the finalised contract strategy.**