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HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE BOARD  
PUBLIC HEALTH AGENCY  
COMMISSIONING PLAN 2010/2011

 Health and Social  
Care Board

 Public Health  
Agency

Legislation enacted on 1 April 2009 created a new Commissioning system with the establishment of a region-wide Health and Social Care Board, including 5 Local Commissioning Groups (LCGs), and a Public Health Agency. In line with Departmental direction and guidance the objectives of the new commissioning arrangements

were to:

- Approach the future delivery of Health and Social Care from a region-wide perspective focused on outcomes.
- Ensure local sensitivity through the creation of five Local Commissioning Groups reflective of their areas.
- Give appropriate weight to the public health agenda to ensure that commissioning reflects the drive to reduce health inequalities in our society and works in partnership with others to improve health and wellbeing.

In this regard the legislation signalled a new way forward which would first be expressed in a Commissioning Plan for 2010/11 and beyond. This plan outlines how the Health and Social Care Board and the Public Health Agency are approaching that task. It is our aim that this plan is straightforward and written in a manner which will encourage public engagement and understanding. We wish to show clearly how the commissioning task is to be approached and to signal the decisions necessary to ensure the maintenance of a health and social care system in Northern Ireland which responds to the population it serves.

## Details

Format

A4, PDF, 198 pages.

Target group  
Key HSCB and PHA stakeholders.

## Downloads

Attachment	Size
<a href="#">HSCB PHA Joint Commissioning Plan 2010-2011.pdf</a>	974.27 KB
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