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Updates for you and your community – Issue 2

This is the second in a series of newsletters, which we are providing for our local partners and stakeholders regarding our exciting Clinical Futures programme and the progress we are making with the early opening of The Grange University Hospital.

We are sending these updates twice a month as we lead up to the early opening of The Grange University Hospital in November 2020. We will also use this newsletter after the opening to keep you up to date as we implement our Clinical Futures Programme and continue to make planned changes to our wider system of services across the Health Board area.

In the coming weeks we will focus on key elements of our plans. In the first issue we talked about The Grange University Hospital, in this briefing we begin to talk to you about the implications of Clinical Futures on our wider services and facilities. This briefing focuses on Nevill Hall Hospital and the way we are providing healthcare and services are changing there. We will also be highlighting progress with our communication and engagement arrangements.



Firstly - A Reminder about Clinical Futures

Clinical Futures is the Health Board's plan for sustainable health and care services across the Gwent area and also for services we provide for the people of South Powys.

Our aim is to provide safe, high quality care and deliver as much of this at home, or as close to home as possible and also through our network of hospital and community based services and care.

As a Health Board, we also aim to improve the health and wellbeing of the population we serve, reduce health inequalities, and ensure the sustainability of our NHS health care system.

We have already made some major changes to the way we deliver our services - and you may have already seen that we have been delivering health care different ways or



in one of our new facilities or in the community. We have moved a number of services closer to where people live and we will continue to change the way we deliver our services, making sure that patients and service users are at the centre of everything we do and every decision we make. The opening of The Grange University Hospital is a significant element in our Clinical Futures Service Programme and will be the catalyst for a series of other changes in our hospital system across Gwent from mid-November this year.

What the Clinical Futures Changes will mean for Nevill Hall Hospital



On Thursday the 8th of October we held a live question and answer session on our Facebook page to talk about the future services at Nevill Hall Hospital once The Grange University Hospital opens on the 17th November. The live event received a total reach of 68,000 and 8,427 engagements (comments, likes and shares). This event is still available on our Face book page via the link below: <https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=365038124637906>

This session outlined that Nevill Hall Hospital will continue to provide first-class care to the residents of Gwent and South Powys, when The Grange University Hospital opens.

Nevill Hall will provide a wide range of services and will focus on delivering general and routine care.

These will include:

- Day surgery - surgery where you are operated on and discharged on the same day
- Rehabilitation and therapy services - services like physiotherapy and speech and language
- Diagnostic services - assessments, scans and x-rays needed for investigations including MRI and CT scans
- A Medical Assessment Unit
- A 24/7 nurse-led Minor Injury Unit
- Cancer services, with future plans for satellite Radiotherapy
- A wide variety of specialist outpatient clinics
- Frailty Care for older people
- 213 inpatient beds
- Children’s outpatient appointments
- Antenatal and postnatal care and a midwife led birthing suite

Further information about the services at Nevill Hall Hospital along with our other hospitals in the Health Board area are available, via a series of information sheets on the Health Board’s web pages via the following link:

<https://abuhb.nhs.wales/clinical-futures1/>

In the next issue of this newsletter we will be focusing on the changes the Royal Gwent Hospital.



Communications and Engagement Update:

With just **5 weeks** to go until the new hospital opens, this section of the newsletter seeks to keep you up-to-date with the progress being made regarding communications and engagement arrangements across our communities.



Information Booklet for every home in Gwent

We have produced an information booklet to be delivered to every home in Gwent before The Grange University Hospital opens. This will inform people of the changes to our services and explain how they will access care in the future. The booklet is with printers to produce 270,000 copies. Staff can already view the booklet on our website before it is circulated at

<https://abuhb.nhs.wales/files/clinical-futures/clinical-futures-information-booklet/>

Communications and Engagement Campaign

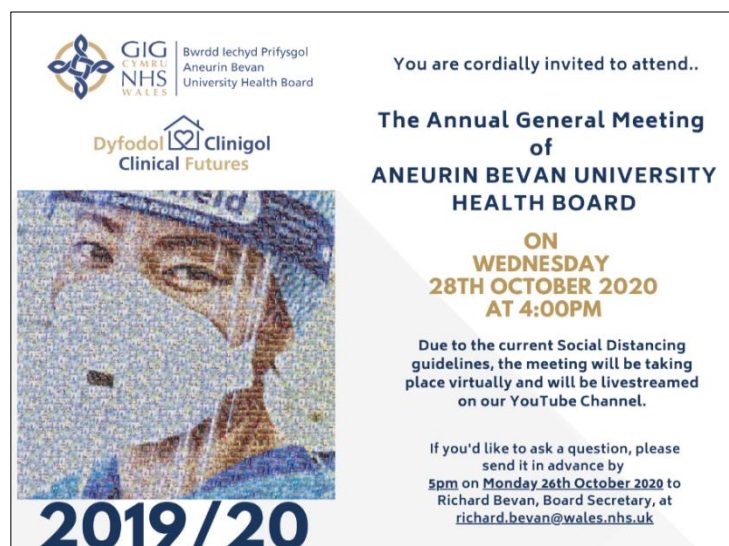
We have also developed a targeted communications, engagement and marketing campaign to ensure local people are fully informed about the Clinical Futures changes that the opening of GUH will bring. As well as the booklet to every home, we will reach people through methods including:

- Website and social media content;
- Local radio and media;
- Community groups;
- Engaging with partner organisations and local politicians;
- Posters in hospital and primary care locations;
- Large banners on hospital sites; and
- A bus advertising campaign.

Health Board Annual General Meeting – Wednesday 28th October 2020

The Health Board will be holding its Annual General Meeting on Wednesday 28th October 2020. It is an opportunity to reflect on the last year and also look forward. The AGM will be live streamed on the Health Board's YouTube Channel.

Please see more details about the event in the pictured invitation...



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