PROPOSALS FOR PRESCRIBED INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE INTEGRATION SCHEME RELATING TO THE PUBLIC BODIES (JOINT WORKING) (SCOTLAND) ACT 2014

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1.	Do you agree with the prescribed matters to be included in the Integration Scheme?
	Yes
	No x
2.	If no, please explain why:
	Section 2(4) outlines governance arrangements. With integration of health and social care functions, it is vital that this section make explicit the importance of clinical and professional governance. This requires the involvement of heads of professional, directors of psychology, clinical directors, nursing directors, and AHP directors, and the Act must incorporate such professional governance arrangements to ensure the consistency and cohesiveness of service delivery, and quality assurance.
	As it stands, the draft currently only describes the need for a Clinical Director or Associate Medical Director on the Joint Board. No other clinical professions are identified. This is not helpful, as failure to include Psychology, Nursing, Midwives, and Allied Health Professions will impact on the ability of the Joint Board to make informed decisions.
3.	Are there any additional matters that should be included within the regulations?
	Yes x
	No
4.	If yes, please suggest:

The ACT should require that arrangements for clinical and professional governance are made explicit within each Joint Board, and reflect the range of professions: medicine, nursing, psychology, and AHPs.

5. Are there any further comments you would like to offer on these draft Regulations?

Proposal For Prescribed Function That Must Be Delegated By A Health Board Relating To The Public Bodies (Joint Working) (Scotland) Act 2014. Consultation Question
Do you agree with the groups list of functions(Schedule 1) that may be delegated
Yes No x
If no, please explain why:
It is essential that the Act ensures that the importance of professional leadership is highlighted, and given prominence within organisational structures.
2. Do you agree with the list of services (Schedule 2) that must be delegated as set out in the regulations?
Yes x No
If no (ie you do not think they include or exclude the right services for Integration Authorities), please explain why:
3. Are you clear what is meant by the services listed in Schedule 2 (As described in Annex A)?
Yes x No
If not we would welcome your feedback below to ensure we can provide the best description possible of these services, where they may not be applied consistently in practice.
4. Are there any further comments you would like to offer on these draft regulations?

PROPOSALS FOR PRESCRIBED FUNCTIONS THAT MUST BE DELEGATED BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES RELATING TO THE PUBLIC BODIES (JOINT WORKING) (SCOTLAND) ACT 2014

1.	Do you agree with the list of Local Authority functions included her which must be delegated?				
	Yes	x			
	No				

- 2. If no, please explain why:
- 3. Are there any further comments you would like to offer on these draft regulations?

PROPOSALS FOR REGULATIONS PRESCRIBING FUNCTIONS THAT MAY OR THAT MUST BE DELEGATED BY A HEALTH BOARD UNDER THE PUBLIC BODIES (JOINT WORKING) (SCOTLAND) ACT 2014

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1.	Do you agree with the list of functions (Schedule 1) that may be delegated?
	Yes X
	No
	If no, please explain why:
2.	Do you agree with the list of services (Schedule 2) that must be delegated as set out in regulations?
	Yes
	No X
	If no (i.e. you do not think they include or exclude the right services for Integration Authorities), please explain why:
Th	nere is no mention of prisoner healthcare
3.	Are you clear what is meant by the services listed in Schedule 2 (as described in Annex A)?
	Yes
	No
4.	Are there any further comments you would like to offer on these draft regulations?



PROPOSALS FOR NATIONAL HEALTH AND WELLBEING OUTCOMES RELATING TO THE PUBLIC BODIES (JOINT WORKING) (SCOTLAND) ACT 2014

1. Do you agree with the prescribed National Health and Wellbeing Outcomes?
Yes
No
If no, please explain why:
2. Do you agree that they cover the right areas?
Yes
No
3. If not, which additional areas do you think should be covered by the Outcomes?
4. Do you think that the National Health and Wellbeing Outcomes will be understood by users of services, as well as those planning and delivering them?
Yes I
5. If not, why not?
6. Are there any further comments you would like to offer on these draft Regulations?



PROPOSALS FOR INTERPRETATION OF WHAT IS MEANT BY THE TERMS HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE PROFESSIONALS RELATING TO THE PUBLIC BODIES (JOINT WORKING) (SCOTLAND) ACT 2014

1.	Do you agree that the groups listed in section 2 of the draft regulations prescribe what 'health professional' means for the purposes of the Act?
	Yes
	No C
2.	If you answered 'no', please explain why:
	Clinical Associates in Applied Psychology are not registered health professionals, but work to nationally agreed standards, and are accountable to HCPC Registered Psychologists in relation to their clinical practice.
3.	Do you agree that identifying Social Workers and Social Service Workers through registration with the Scottish Social Services Council is the most appropriate way of defining Social Care Professionals, for the purposes of the Act?
	Yes No
4.	If you answered 'no', what other methods of identifying professional would you see as appropriate?
5.	Are there any further comments you would like to offer on these draft Regulations?
	No

PRESCRIBED FUNCTIONS CONFERRED ON A LOCAL AUTHORITY OFFICER RELATING TO THE PUBLIC BODIES (JOINT WORKING) (SCOTLAND) ACT 2014

1.	Do you believe that the draft Regulations will effectively achieve the policy intention of the Act?
	Yes X
	No
2.	If not, which part of the draft Regulations do you believe may not effectively achieve the policy intention of the Act, and why?
3.	Are there any further comments you would like to offer on these draft Regulations?
	No, as above