
Directions

NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE ENGLAND

The NHS Nene Clinical Commissioning Group Directions 2013

The National Health Service Commissioning Board (“the Board”), in exercise of powers conferred by the Health and Social Care Act 2012 (paragraph 8 of Schedule 6) and regulation 8 of the National Health Service (Clinical Commissioning Groups) Regulations 2012 gives the following Directions.

Citation, commencement and application

- (1) These Directions are given to NHS Nene Clinical Commissioning Group (“NHS Nene CCG”).
- (2) These Directions may be cited as the NHS Nene CCG Directions 2013 and come into force on 18 January 2013.

Exercise of functions

- (3) This direction applies until it is varied or revoked by the Board.
- (4) The Board directs that:
 - (a) NHS Nene CCG must use NHS Corby CCG as its lead commissioner for Kettering General Hospital NHS Foundation Trust, taking on this function from Northamptonshire Teaching PCT. This means that NHS Corby CCG has, from 1 April 2013, the function of commissioning that service on its own behalf and that of NHS Nene CCG, for the contract between Nene and Corby CCGs and Kettering General Hospital NHS Foundation Trust.
 - (b) NHS Nene CCG must provide all information, documents, records or other items and support requested by NHS Corby CCG, which to NHS Corby CCG appears

necessary or expedient for the purpose of preparing for and the exercise of the function described in paragraph (4)(a) above.

(c) The Board will oversee and supervise the development, application and discharge of NHS Nene CCG's contract with Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust and that the CCG must seek approval from the Board prior to signing the contract with Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust.

(d) NHS Nene CCG must provide all information, documents, records or other items and support requested by the Board, which to the Board appears necessary or expedient for the purpose of preparing for and the exercise of the function described in paragraph (4)(c) above.

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Sir David Nicholson KCB CBE
Chief Executive | NHS Commissioning Board