

Local Care



- Local care is a new model of delivery of **integrated health and care** services **close to where people live**.
- It is a collective commitment of the health and care system in Kent and Medway to fundamentally transform how and where we will support people to keep well and live well.

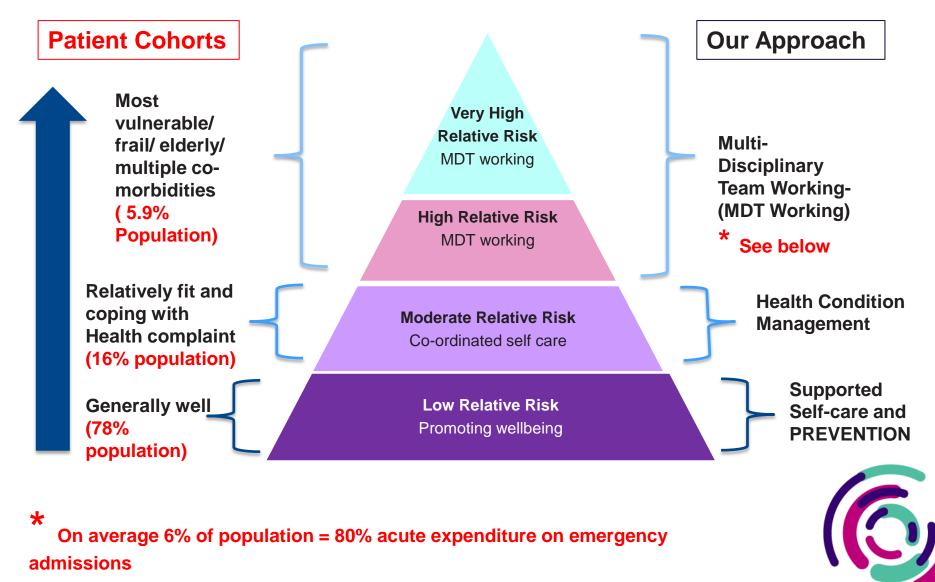
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New Models of Care:

Understanding our population allows us to apply different approaches



The Local Care workstream has identified the population of **elderly people with complex conditions** as the first priority to **improve quality and outcomes at lower cost**.

30% of patients in acute hospital beds would be better looked after in an alternate location of care, either in a short term or step down bed or at home with community nursing or social care support 12% of admissions through A&E are avoidable through more consistent decision-making at the front door, or better health and social care provision in the community

25% of community hospital patients would be better cared for at home or in a community setting

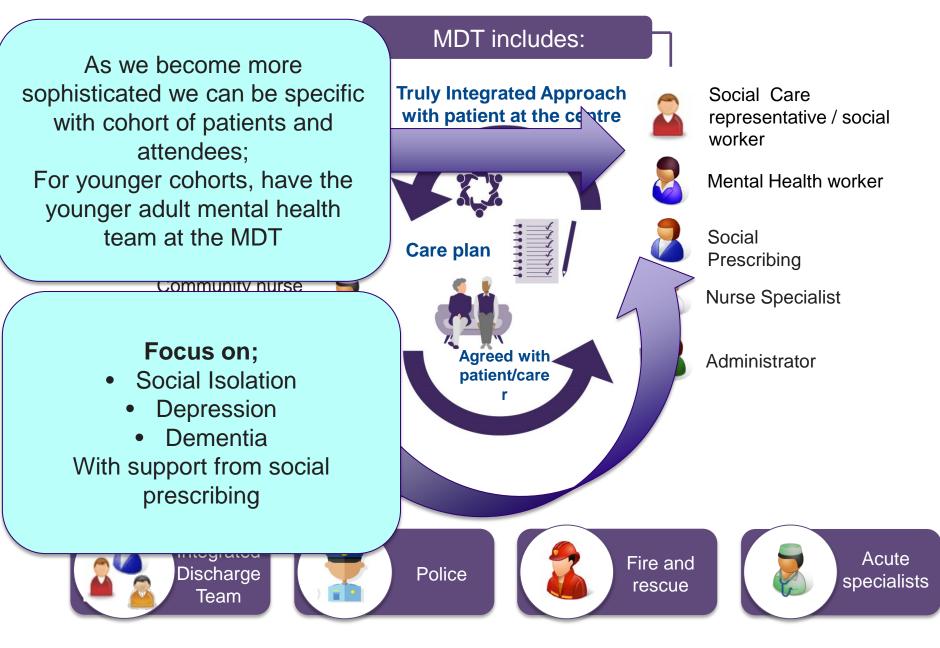
At a whole-population level, this amounts to;

- **6% reduction** to A&E attendances,
- 8% reduction to nonelective admissions and
- 24% reduction to nonelective bed days in 2020/21

Implementing this model in full for those 154,743 people in Kent could bring;

35% reduction to A&E attendances and non-elective admissions

Multi-Disciplinary Team Working (MDT)





Date: 18 April 2018 Venue: Mercure Maidstone, Great Danes Hotel, Ashford Road, Hollingbourne, Maidstone, ME17 1RE

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"The Heart of Local Care"

A one day conference for front line staff across Kent and Medway involved in MDT working. A chance to share ideas and learn from others locally and nationally.

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