

Appendix 1: BCF National Requirements: Summary

There are a series of key areas that the BCF must deliver in each HWB footprint, as identified in national guidance. They include, but are not limited to:

- Delivering our overarching approach to support people to remain independent at home, and how BCF funding will be used to support this.
- Defining our approaches to collaborative commissioning and joint health and social care improvements.
- Ensuring we have a joined-up approach to integrated, person-centred services across health, care, housing and wider public services locally.
- Ensuring spend from the CCG minimum contribution on social care supports: local authority delivery of reablement; carers' breaks; carer support under the Care Act 2014
- Describing our investment in out-of-hospital services commissioned by ICBs, while supporting local integration aims.
- Agreeing our approach to support safe and timely discharge, including ongoing arrangements to embed home first - co-ordination at discharge being only one element
- Reducing health inequalities and inequalities for people with protected characteristics local BCF Plans and expenditure that include schemes such as:

Assistive technologies and equipment	Technology in care to support self-management, maintenance of independence and delivery of care.
Care Act implementation related duties	Implementation of Care Act related duties (including carers, independent mental health advocacy etc.)
Community based schemes	Cross sector practitioners delivering services in the community typically at a PCN level
DFG related schemes	Including means-tested capital grant for adapting a property, supporting independence at home.
Enablers for integration	The enabling foundations of health, social care and housing integration, including technology, workforce, market development, programme management, joint commissioning infrastructure.
High Impact Change Model	Approaches supporting timely and effective discharge and preventative support through joint working.
Home care or domiciliary care	Services that aim to help people live in their own homes through the provision of domiciliary care.
Integrated care planning and navigation	Navigation that helps people find their way to services and support and consequently self-manage.

Bed based intermediate care services	Short-term intervention to preserve independence of people who might otherwise face unnecessarily prolonged hospital stays or avoidable admission to hospital or residential care.
Reablement in a person's own home	Support in your home to improve your confidence and ability to live as independently as possible.
Personalised budgeting and commissioning	Various person-centred approaches to commissioning and budgeting, including direct payments.
Personalised care at home	Ensure a person can continue to live at home, through health, home care and mental health support.
Prevention/early intervention	Population empowered to live well in a holistic sense helping prevent formal care, including social prescribing.
Residential placements	Accommodation for people with LD or PD, MH difficulties or with sight or hearing loss.
Other	Scheme with objectives and services that meet the purpose of the BCF.
