

What are ICPs?

An Introduction to
Integrated Care Partnerships

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Integrated Care Partnerships

ICPs are collaborative networks of care providers, bringing together doctors, nurses, pharmacists, social workers, hospital specialists, other healthcare professionals and the voluntary and community sectors, as well as service users and carers, to design and coordinate local health and social care services

Background



ICP areas

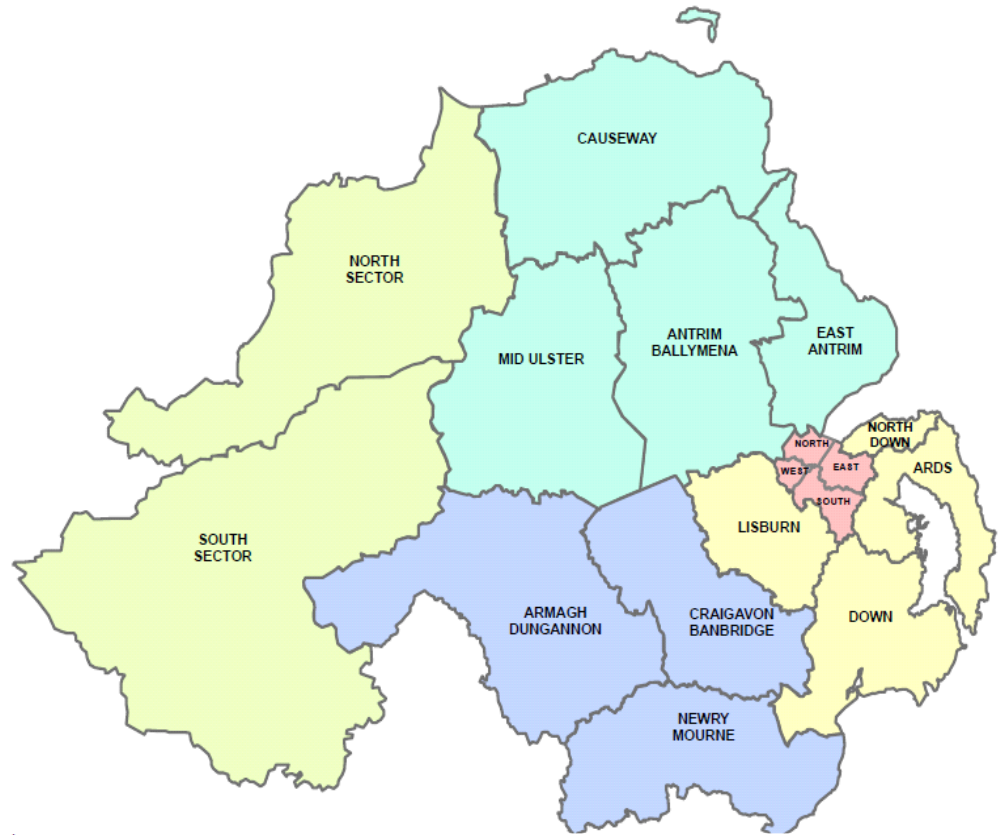
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17 Committees

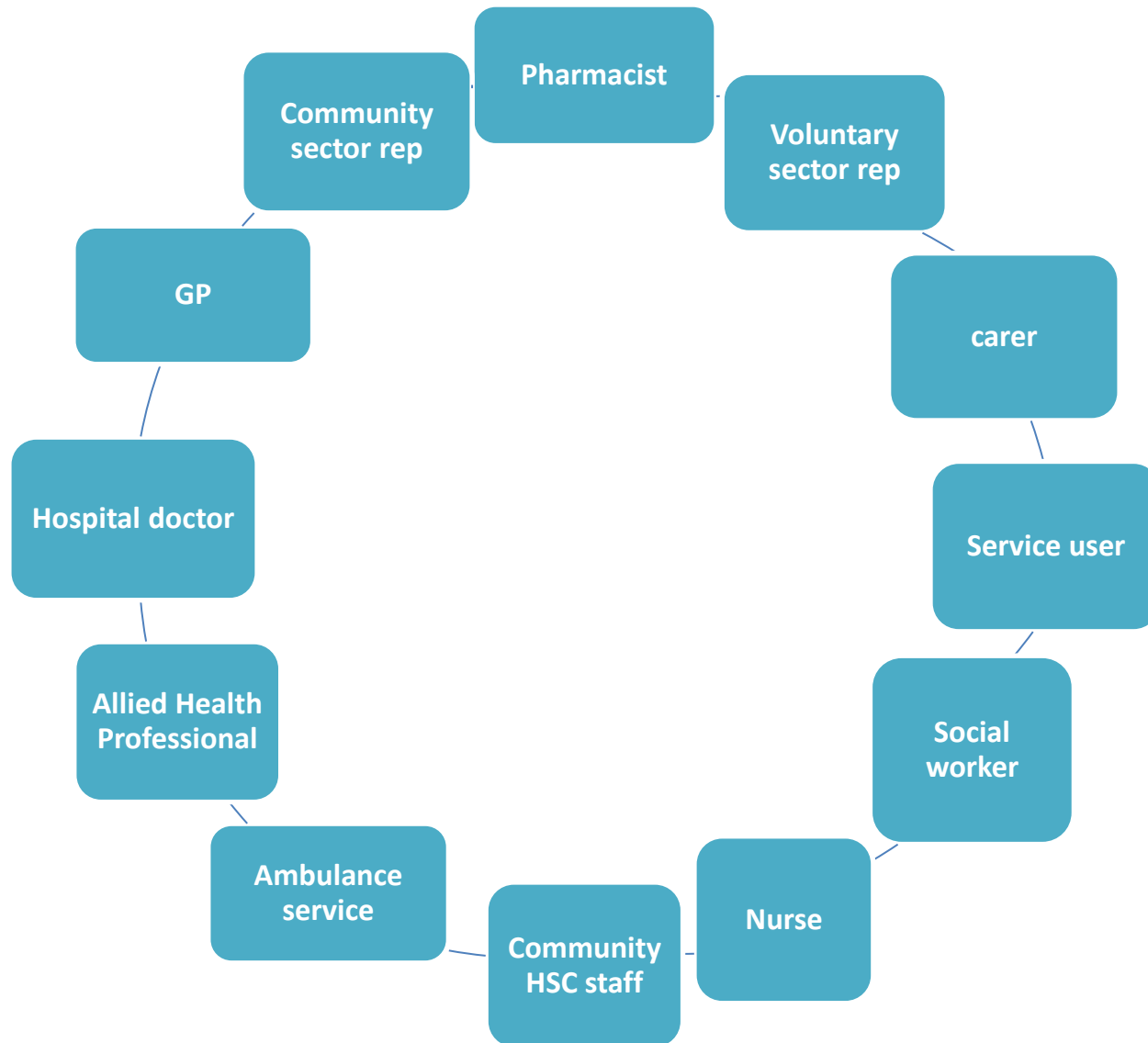
Each covering 100,000
population

Each covering
25 GP practices

4 conditions



Committee members



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Northern area committees

Antrim / Ballymena

- Carers NI

East Antrim

- Marie Curie
- Mid and East Antrim Agewell Partnership

Mid Ulster

- Extra Care
- Agewell Partnership

Causeway

- NI Chest, Heart and Stroke
- COAST

Role of V&C sector

- Influence development of ICPs
- Contribute to service planning and design
- Gain in-depth knowledge about the service
- Share good practice from V&C sector
- Identify opportunities for collaboration and integration
- Raise awareness of ICPs
- Represent the wider sector

Priority conditions

Frail Elderly
Respiratory
Diabetes
Stroke



Greater focus on prevention of illness

More care closer to home and reduced admissions to hospital

Greater use of technology

Greater focus on self management

Closer working with the voluntary and community sector

Greater access to specialist palliative care

End of life care

Impact

Improved patient experience

Risk Stratification

Information-sharing

Care Pathways

Evaluation

Northern area projects

Frail Elderly – Nursing Home ‘In-Reach’ (Antrim/Ballymena)

Respiratory – (Antrim/B’mena, East Antrim, Causeway and Mid-Ulster)

Diabetes - DESMOND structured education for Diabetes – (Antrim/B’mena, East Antrim, Causeway and Mid-Ulster)

Diabetes – Foot Pathway (Causeway and Mid-Ulster)

Stroke – (Antrim/B’mena, East Antrim, Causeway and Mid-Ulster)

More information

<http://www.transformingyourcare.hscni.net/integrated-care-partnerships/>

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