

**Commissioning Strategy
Action Plan 2005/6**

Up date July 2006

2005/6	Responsible Person	Current Position	Timescale
Commission a baseline mapping exercise of voluntary and community activity in relation to services for older people and their carers to inform a plan to develop capacity in the sector	Jeff Hawkins	Completed – funding agreed £50k Cardiff Council £60k WAG Making Connections Fund	
Develop an integrated day service and review day-care provision to ensure that it meets the needs of older people with greater needs	Stuart Young	Completed Reprovision of three day centres	September 2006
Develop a service specification for purpose built accommodation, including a range of extra care housing schemes that includes respite beds to replace poor quality internally provided residential provision.	Sam Harry Alan Clouth	Accommodation sub – group meeting will complete within timescale.	November 2006
Extending the provision of Intensive Homecare Support from Social Services to provide a 24 hour service for people with high level need including the provision of carer respite and administration of medication.	Posy Akande	Partly completed - <u>24 hour service available, Administration of medication: this has been rolled out across the City.</u>	March 2006
Develop Short term Intervention Team	Posy Akande		September 2006

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Deleted: Workshop held re Extra Care – Jackie Thomas to establish accommodation sub-group of APG

within home care	Sue Schelewa		
Recommission CHC beds in the community that are currently provided in hospital. The Local Health Board is in the process of exploring commissioning a 40 bed unit in the Independent Sector to offer a more cost effective alternative to hospital based or out of area placements	Jenny Theed/Stuart Young		September 2006
Implementation of Ageing Well Action Plan	Cheryl Joscelyne	Wanless funding secured 2004/2005 and 2005/2006 to take forward identified priorities of the action plan	
Secure funding to develop a community based day service for ethnic minority older people with low/moderate levels of risk in the south of city	Alison Elliott Prith Biant	Based on Model of Upna Centre in the north of city	March 2007
Develop Services for Carers – e.g. Respite	Posy Akande	New development worker taking up this work, looking at creative service options. <u>Existing Services will continue.</u> <u>Priority to improve quantity and quality of Carers Assessment using revised WAG Guidance. Information from assessments will be added to Carefirst and aggregated to identify unmet needs and inform service planning.</u>	March 2007

Develop the Transitional Care Unit	Alison Elliott	Complete - Transitional Care beds available at St. Winefrides.	
Develop a service specification for nursing home provision to include respite beds	Sam Harry Alan Clouth	Accommodation <u>sub – group meeting</u> will complete within timescale	September 2006
Develop a model for intermediate care services to include single access, co-location, and expansion of services as proposed in 'Closer to Home'.	Sian Harrop-Griffiths		December 2006
Develop a funding strategy to support the long term funding of current intermediate care services.	Jenny Theed		March 2006
Develop Service User Involvement in planning of services	Jeff Hawkins John Gorwill	Links already established with Older Peoples Forum	January 2006