

NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde	Paper No. 26/60
Paper Title:	Standing Committee Chair's Board Report
Meeting:	NHSGGC Board Meeting
Date of Meeting:	30 April 2026
Purpose of Paper:	Assurance
Classification:	Board Official
Name of Reporting Committee:	Inverclyde Integration Joint Board
Date of Reporting Committee:	23rd March 2026
Committee Chairperson:	David Gould, NHSGGC Non-Executive Lead

1. Purpose of Paper

The purpose of this paper is to: inform the NHS Board on key items of discussion at the Inverclyde Integration Joint Board.

2. Recommendation

The Board is asked to note the key items of discussion at the recent meeting of the Inverclyde Integration Joint Board on 23rd March 2026 as set out below and seek further assurance as required.

3. Key Items of Discussion

Items for Action

Item 2. Non-Voting Membership of the Integration Joint Board and Integration Joint Board Audit Committee

The board agreed the appointment of Kenny Watt as:

- NHS Board Staff Representative and non-voting member of Inverclyde IJB and,
- Integration Joint Board Audit Committee, non-voting member.

Item 4. Financial Monitoring Report 2025/26 Period 9

The board were presented with the Period 9 Financial Monitoring Report. It highlighted an overall underspend of £0.433m. This is accounted for by

- a Social Care overspend of £0.457m
- a Health underspend of £0.890m

The report was approved by the board.

Item 5. Inverclyde IJB Budget – 2026/27

The board was presented with the IJB budget for the period 2026/28. The report set out identified and expected annual contributions by parent organisations. The report also set out the scope of financial challenges, impact on reserves and an identified savings plan of £6.453m.

The budget and report recommendations were agreed by the board.

Item 6. Inverclyde HSCP Workforce Plan 2025-28 – Final Draft

IJB were presented with the new HSCP Workforce Plan for 2025-28. Plan developed collaboratively with partners across the local HSCP landscape. The plan is in alignment with the IJB Strategic Partnership Plan.

The Workforce Plan was approved by the board.

Items for noting and routine decisions**Item 7. Inverclyde HSCPs Contribution to Unscheduled Care**

IJB were presented with a report on the range and impact Unscheduled Care work is having on supporting people to remain in the community and reduce admissions to acute care.

IJB noted the contents of the report.

Item 8. Chief Officer's Report

IJB were presented with the Chief Officers report, providing updates on the following areas of work:

- Delayed Discharges, new initiatives (Intermediate Care at home and Frailty at Front door)
- National Review of group-based child sexual abuse and exploitation
- Community Matters Bags

The report was noted by the board.

Exempt Information**Item 9. Private Appendix to minutes of Inverclyde Integration Joint Board – 12 January 2026.**

The board was presented with the private appendix of Inverclyde Integration Joint Board meeting on 12 January 2026.

The private minute was noted by the board.

Item 10. Governance of HSCP Commissioned External Organisations
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IJB were presented with an update position on governance of HSCP Commissioned External Organisations, covering the period from 6 Dec 2025 to 13 Feb 2026. The report was noted by the board.

4. Issues for referral to other Standing Committees or escalation to the NHS Board

None Identified.

5. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Inverclyde Integration Joint Board will take place on 11th May 2026