Work & employment relations impacts BRINGING HEALTHCARE CLOSER TO HOME

# CARE CLOSER TO HOME

**×** Policy

+ 1999 National Beds Inquiry

- + 2000 NHS Plan
- + 2006 Our Health, Our Care, Our Say
- + Darzi NHS review: High Quality Care for All
- \* Demography, disease profile, technology, health care expenditure
  - + Reconfiguration of health care system
  - + Hospitals to lower cost settings
  - + Preventive health, self-management
  - + Care quality and cost

# **COMMUNITY CARE**

- \* Social reform movement, public policy consensus 1970s, critique
  - + Finch & Groves equal opportunity impacts
- \* Griffiths Report, 1990 NHS & Community Care Act
  - + Residential care
  - + Domiciliary care personal care, from NHS to ...
- \* Local Authority social care services
  - + Budgets
  - + Care managers, care packages
  - + Best value
  - + Private sector contractors
    - × 5% of home care 1993, 89% 2012
    - × Freedoms v professional regulation, national terms and conditions
    - × Personal budgets, social & health care tasks

# **COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES**

**\*** Definitions and descriptions

- + Complex range of services
- + Intermediate between hospitals & GPs
- + Non-medical workforce: nursing, support to nursing, allied health professionals
  × 20% NHS workforce c.2009
- + Patient populations, adult health care, older persons - district nursing, housebound
- + Underinvestment & policy neglect over decades (Imison 2009)
- **×** Care Closer to Home
  - + Into the spotlight

- + 1993 Value for Money Audit, skills mix + 1999 Audit Commission × High skills, scale-up, protocol based, caseload management × Primary Care Groups - PCTs + 2001 intermediate care × 6 week NHS funded, 4 types, averting hospital re/admission + Health and social care integration × Community health trusts (few) × Horizonal and vertical integration + National Audit of intermediate care - 2013 + Nuffield Trust summation of integrated health and
  - social care evaluations

#### TRANSFORMING COMMUNITY SERVICES

- × 2008 + PCT – provider split × Patient choice and competition + Right to Request to 'spin out' from NHS into social enterprises × Innovation, efficiency, staff engagement + Any willing provider + Personal Health Budgets × 2011 Right to Provide Austerity and public sector reform + Health & Social Care Act 2012: integration & competition **x** Big Society ... + privatisation
  - + Markets, austerity and erosion of extant public sector employment relations system (Bach 2012)

# COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKFORCE

+ Investment shift to community health

- × which providers, which services?
- × 2014 Better Care Fund

#### **\*** RCN & Queen's Nursing Institute

- + Staffing levels to 2013
- + Skills mix
- + Workloads
- + Additional hours, working time
- + Agenda for Change grading
- + Accommodation & IT ... Mobile working
- \* Spin out research v comparative
- \* Private sector providers spinning in
- \* NHS England Five Year Forward View
  - + £22bn efficiency savings
  - + 7 models of provision

× 2015 Comprehensive Spending Review – public health (HVs)

### ISSUES

- \* Social enterprise research
- **\*** Public Sector Industry providers
- \* Evolving public policy agenda
- \* Health Service Journal review of care for frail and elderly
  - Messiah Concepts
- **\*** Reform hospitals
- **\*** Expand geriatric medicine
- **x** Invest in workforce for quality care