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Context for changes:

Need to address deficit



Changing Demographics



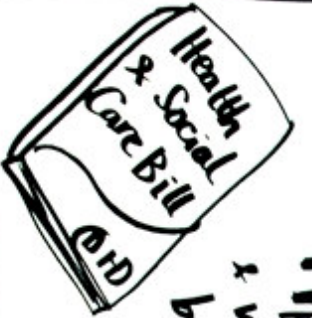
Move to localism
Decision making by local communities

How can we deliver the same objectives as those outlined in policies like Valuing People in the current economic/political climate?



Government remains committed to V.P. principles

How can policies move beyond words & deliver change locally?



Health & well-being boards



Some national infrastructure will remain

Need the right outcome measures

Need to help emerging G.P. Consortia to develop the necessary skills?

Consider how NH's commissioning board will address health inequalities etc through it's leadership role

Increasing aspirations of those working with young disabled people when it comes to employment possibilities