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THE LORD DARZI REVIEW OF HEALTH AND CARE

CALL FOR EVIDENCE

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FOREWORD

All political parties declare their affection for the NHS and promise to protect it. There is a strong cross-party consensus in favour of retaining a health service that is based on need, not ability to pay. Yet enormous questions remain about how we deliver this in the years to come.

How do we make sure every patient gets high-quality care when they need it? How do we join up care around patients and keep them out of hospitals for as long as possible? How will we keep up with advances in technology, therapies and treatments? And, how will we fund the health and care system sustainably in the future?

The NHS has endured the most austere decade in its history, while funding for social care has declined almost every year since the start of the decade, with fewer people getting the support they so desperately need.

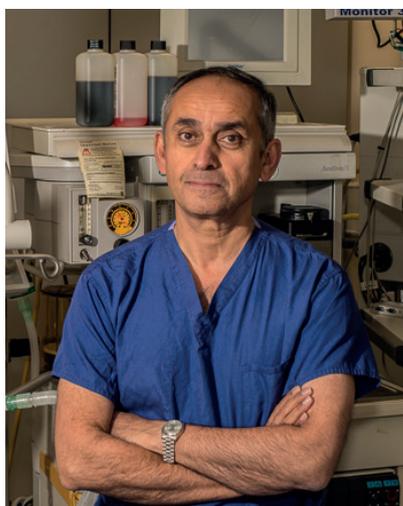
As a result, we are seeing signs of a system under strain all around us: patients left in corridors; operations cancelled; and deficits on the rise. Simply demanding more for less or promising more money without a plan for better care isn't good enough.

It is time for change; not just because politicians say so but because the nature of the disease burden has changed and because scientific breakthroughs and new technology allow us to deliver more efficient and effective care. In short, high-quality care is a constantly moving target: to stand still is to fall back.

This year the NHS turns 70. It is a vital friend to millions: it is there for us in our greatest moments of need. But I want to see it not just survive but thrive. This is why over the coming months I am leading an independent review, with the Institute for Public Policy Research (IPPR), of our health and care system, to answer the big questions it faces in the years to come.

After all, the NHS deserves a secure future that gives us confidence that it will celebrate its centenary 30 years from now.

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Lord Darzi holds the Paul Hamlyn Chair of Surgery at Imperial College London, the Royal Marsden Hospital and the Institute of Cancer Research. He is Director of the Institute of Global Health Innovation at Imperial College London and Chair of Imperial College Health Partners. He is an Honorary Consultant Surgeon at Imperial College Hospital NHS Trust. Lord Darzi was knighted for his services in medicine and surgery in 2002. In 2007, he was introduced to the House of Lords and appointed Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State at the Department of Health. During his time in government Lord Darzi authored and implemented the groundbreaking review of the NHS, High Quality Care for All.

THE LORD DARZI REVIEW OF HEALTH AND CARE

The independent Lord Darzi Review aims to examine the state of quality in health and care services on the NHS's 70th birthday and make recommendations for future funding and reform of the system. Launched in December 2017, the Lord Darzi Review is aiming to:

1. examine the quality – meaning safety, effectiveness, timeliness, efficiency and equitability – of care in the NHS and social care service today
2. establish the funding settlement and reforms needed to drive improvements in the quality of care in the coming decade.

The review will publish its findings to coincide with the 70th anniversary of the NHS in summer 2018, with a number of working papers published in the run-up to the final report. The Review was commissioned by - and is housed within - IPPR, the UK's progressive think tank, with analytics provided by the consultancy firm, Carnall Farrar.

The Lord Darzi Review will benefit from the experience and expertise of an advisory panel of leaders from the health and care system:

- Lord David Prior (Deputy Chair of the Lord Darzi Review) – Chair, UCLH & former Parliamentary Under Secretary of State, Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy
- Sir John Bell – Regius Professor of Medicine, University of Oxford & former President, Academy of Medical Sciences
- Dame Ruth Carnall – Managing Partner, Carnall Farrar & former Director, NHS London
- Dr Clare Gerada – Managing Partner, the Hurley Group & former President, Royal College of GPs
- Norman Lamb – MP for North Norfolk & Chair, Science and Technology Select Committee
- Mark Lloyd – Chief Executive, Local Government Association
- Joanne Roney – Chief Executive, Manchester City Council
- Professor Geraldine Strathdee – Consultant Psychiatrist, Oxleas NHS Trust & former National Clinical Director for Mental Health
- Dr Paul Williams - MP for Stockton South and practising GP

THE CALL FOR EVIDENCE

As part of the research programme, Lord Darzi and his advisory panel are keen to hear from a wide range of actors from across the sector. If you have interesting evidence or ideas we want to hear from you.

WHO IS THIS CALL FOR EVIDENCE AIMED AT?

This call is aimed at all organisations and individuals with an interest in the future of health and care. We are particularly keen to hear from organisations or individuals who are working on the frontline of health and care (or represent people who do) and those who have interesting research or policy proposals for the future of funding and reform of the system.

WHAT IS THE DURATION OF THE CALL FOR EVIDENCE?

The call for evidence period begins on Monday 19 February and runs until Monday 19 March 2018.

HOW DO I RESPOND TO THE CALL FOR EVIDENCE?

Submissions by email (as attached Word Documents) are preferred, and should be emailed to darzireview@ippr.org. Paper submissions can be posted to Lord Darzi Review, IPPR, 14 Buckingham Street, London, WC2N 6DF.

Submitted evidence may be printed, circulated or posted on the internet by the Review at any stage; personal contact details supplied to the Review will, however, be removed before publication. If you do not wish your submission to be made public, please state this clearly at the start of your submission. Respondents may publicise their written evidence themselves, but in doing so should indicate that it was prepared for the Review.

HOW LONG SHOULD MY SUBMISSION BE?

Evidence should be no longer than 4,000 words, and can respond to any one or more of the key questions listed overleaf. Longer submissions should begin with a short summary of their key points. Please make it clear at the start of your submission which question(s) you are addressing. The Review welcomes the submission of existing reports, but these must be accompanied by a cover letter that highlights how the report addresses one or more of the Review's key questions.

The Review will take a broad view of what constitutes evidence. It might include research evidence, accounts of personal or organisational experience, or views about issues connected to one or more key questions. Please indicate at the start of your submission what type of evidence you are providing.

When responding, please ensure that you include your relevant contact details at the start of your submission. Evidence should be attributed and dated, with a note of your name and, if applicable, your position. Please state whether you are responding as an individual or representing an organisation. If you are responding on behalf of an organisation, please make it clear whom the organisation represents and, where applicable, how the views of members were assembled.

Please do share this document with, or mention in your submission, anyone else you think will want to provide evidence.

KEY QUESTIONS

The Review will tackle seven key questions over the coming months. These are presented in the table below. We invite you to submit a response to one or more of these.

- 1** What should our vision for the health and care system be in 2030?
- 2** What is state of quality in the health and care system today?
- 3** What can we do to drive innovation in the health and care system?
- 4** What are the current and future funding requirements of the health and care system?
- 5** What are the future funding options for the health and care system?
- 6** What changes to care models should be undertaken post Five-Year Forward View?
- 7** What reform to the system is needed to enable these changes to take place?

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