

Summary Briefing Sheet

Presentation/Paper Title	Maternal Health Strategy
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Purpose	Progress update
Key Decisions for SFfH	Note the revised strategy, Note the progress on implementation plans Consider options for the future Managed Network
<p>How does this work support the reduction of health inequalities?</p> <p>The strategy has the aim of improving the health of women and their babies and reducing health inequalities. It aims to improve access and choice to disadvantaged groups, reduce the numbers of low birthweight babies, modernise services, and contribute to a reduction in teenage pregnancies.</p>	
<p>How does this work ensure high quality standards?</p> <p>The work is moving on to the implementation stage informed by the standards in the NSF, and a process of performance management will be developed in conjunction with the MSLC</p>	
<p>How is this work founded on a clear evidence base?</p> <p>The work is based on the National Service Framework for Children, Young People and Maternity Services, NICE Guidelines for Maternity Care and other documents from the DH, Royal Colleges and Chief Nursing Officer's Review</p>	
<p>Other Key Points to Note:</p>	