

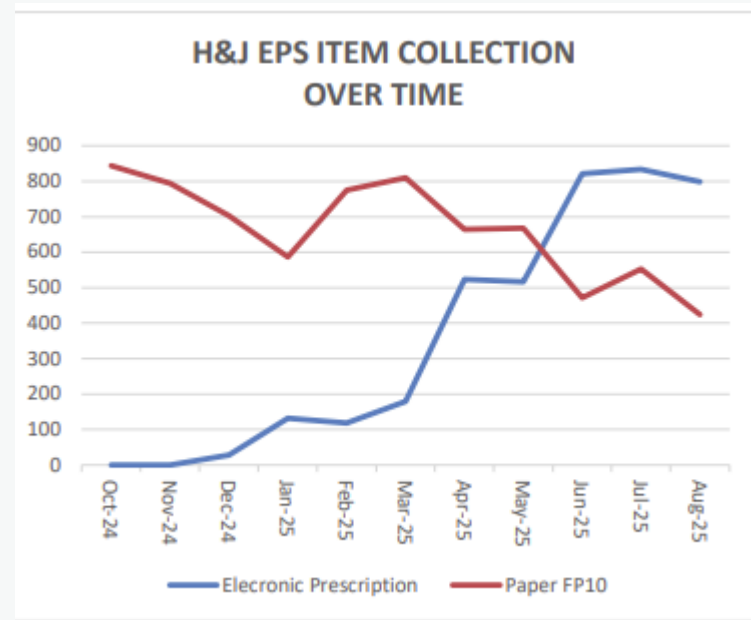
# HJ Medicines Optimisation and Pharmacy

Current priorities and 26/27  
plans

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# Some Successes in 2025



## Implementing SMRs in HJ:

- Briefing describes access and priorities
- Training and key references
- Templates and data reporting
- Emedded from March 2026

## EPS FP10 prescriptions rolled out:

- EPS now used for urgent and unplanned releases (only)
- Rise seen in FP10 use
- FP10MDAs- still paper

## Videos & leaflet for released prisoners:

- Describes accessing medicines post-release
- QR codes and URLs to videos
- Used pre and post release
- See it here and use it: [link](#)

# Antibiotic Guardian Award 2025!

Highly commended



Thank you to everyone in our working group and the AMR team!



# Health and Justice Medicines Optimisation Network



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## Health and Justice Medicines Optimisation Network

### Welcome to your professional Network for medicines optimisation in Health and Justice (H&J)!

This space is for commissioners and providers, for you to connect with peers across England, share knowledge, and grow in your role.

The Network brings together professionals working in H&J settings who are committed to enhancing medicines optimisation and pharmacy practice. Here, you'll find a central hub of practical guidance, training resources, and tools to support safe, high-quality, person-centred care.

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# Looking to 2026/27: Programme drivers

10 year plan drives priorities: 3 shifts:

- shift 1: moving more care from hospitals to communities
- shift 2: making better use of technology in health and care
- shift 3: focusing on preventing sickness, not just treating it

What does this mean for us in HJ commissioning and practice?

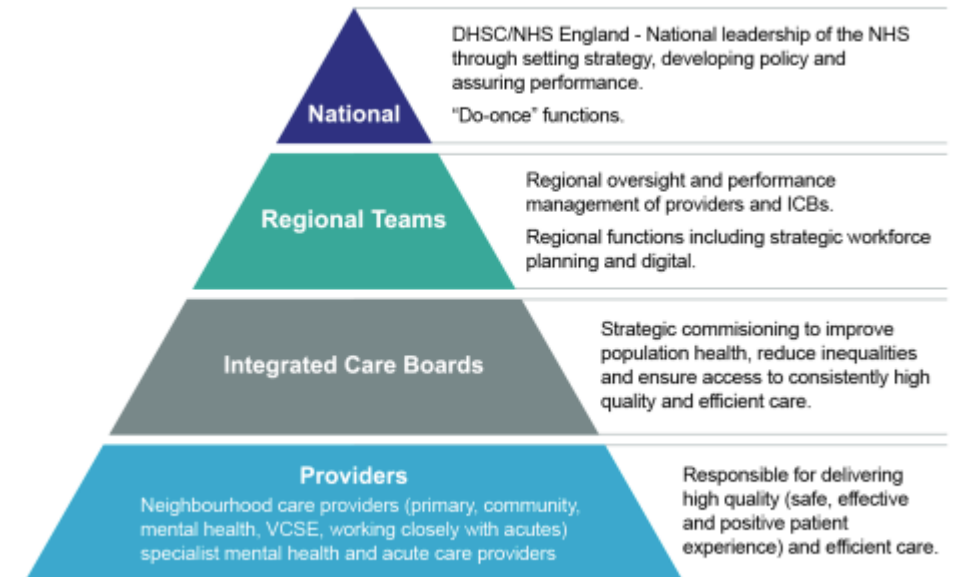
How does the neighbourhood integrate HJ practices and populations?

- The services will target working class areas with lowest life expectancy and longest waits - to tackle nation's stark and unjust health inequalities*
- Plan for Change sees care shifted from the hospital to the community to deliver an NHS fit for the future*

Policy paper

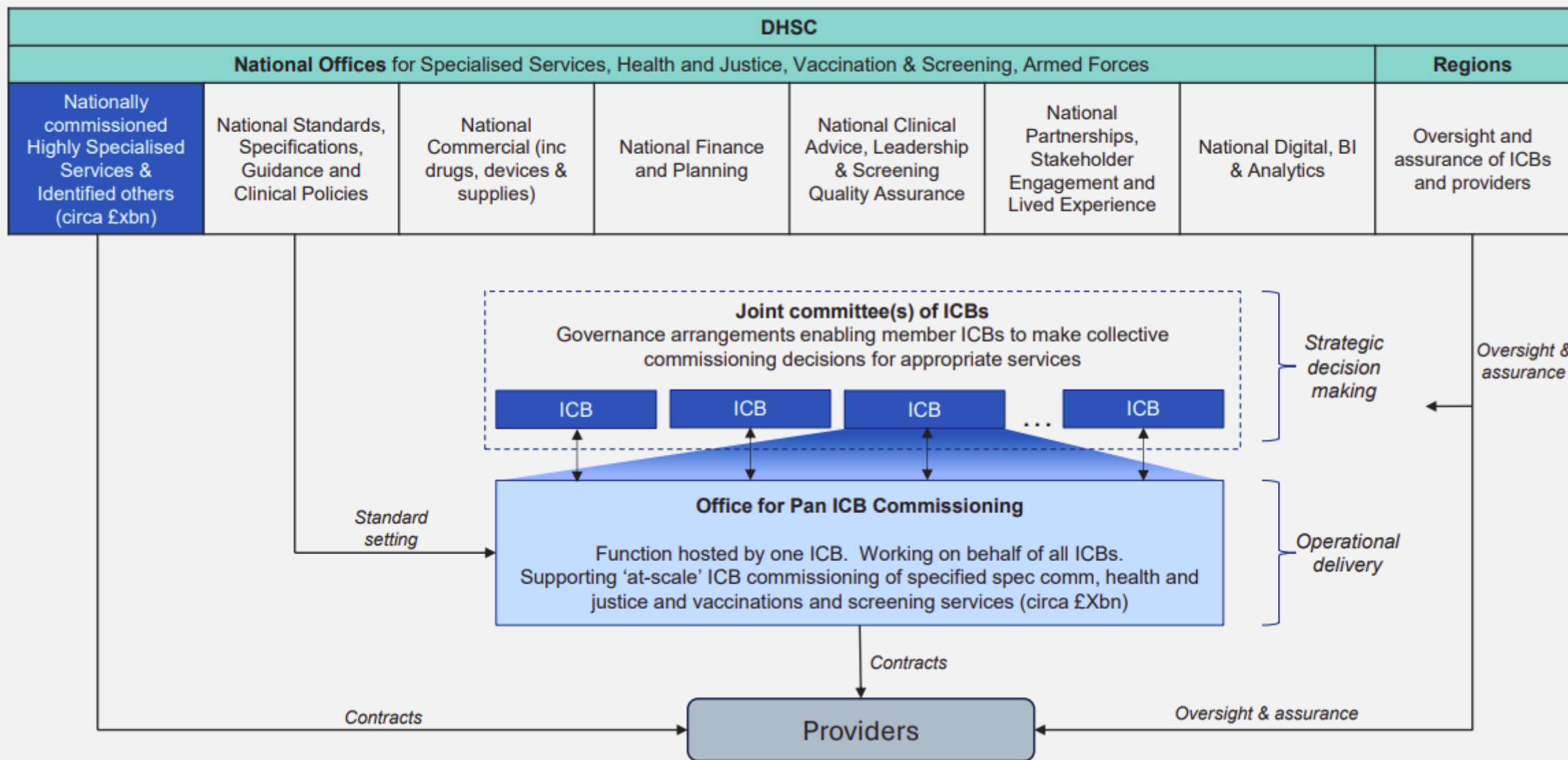
## Fit for the future: 10 Year Health Plan for England - executive summary (accessible version)

Updated 30 July 2025





# Future operating model for transferred functions

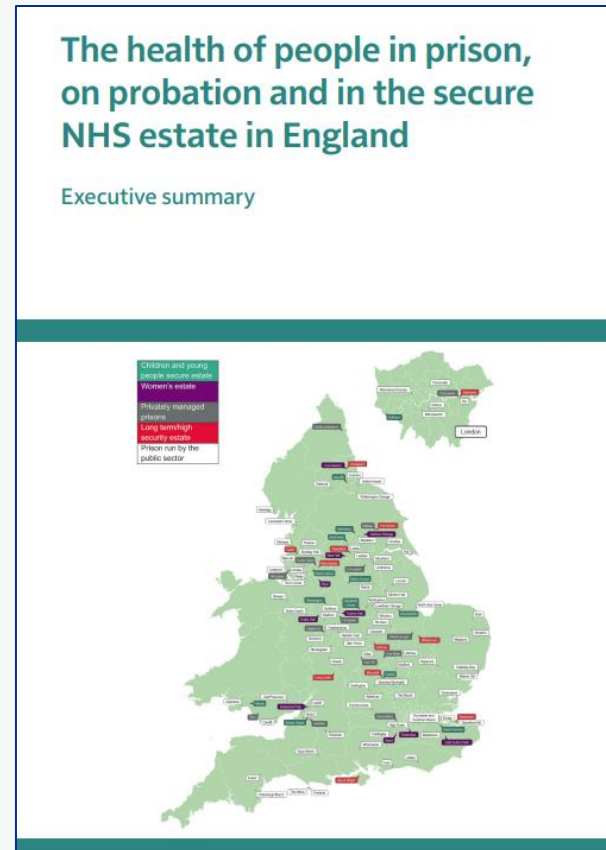


# Specific HJ healthcare drivers

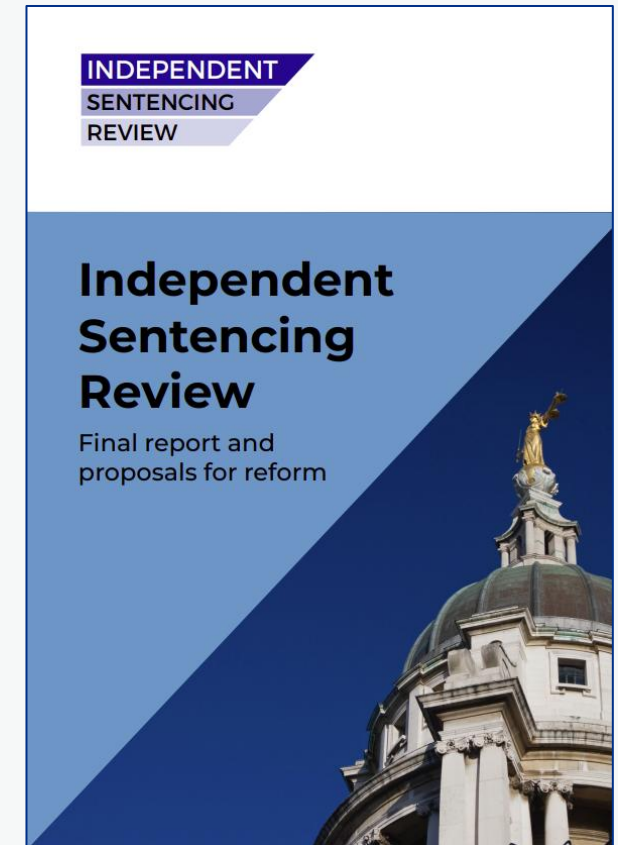
Justice Select Committee Report  
Oct 2025



Chief Medical Officer Report  
November 2025

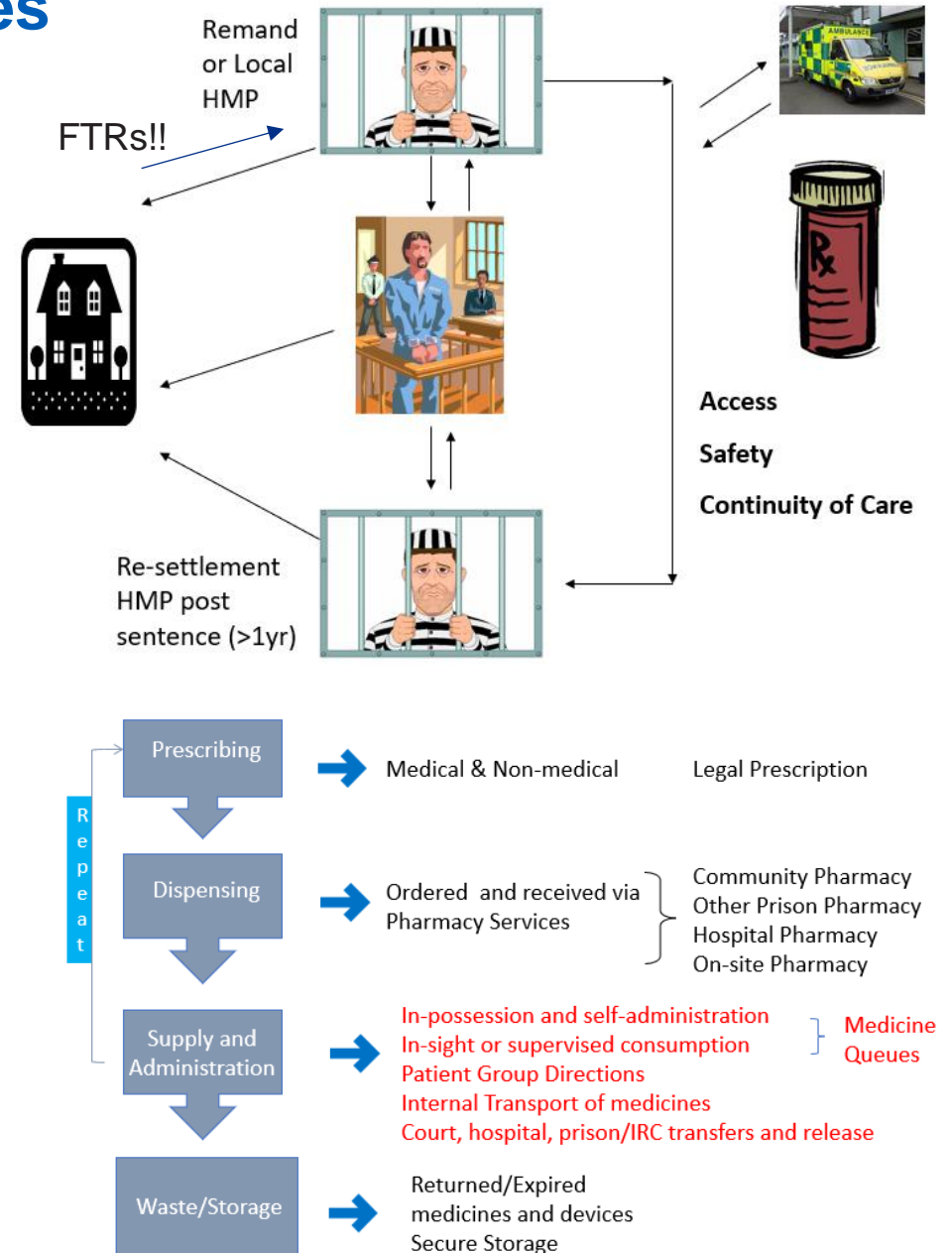


New regulations will influence  
health service provision



# MO on the inside: Unique factors and challenges

- **Controlled daily regime:** includes set times for medicines access- issues with long queues – dose intervals and risk of delayed and omitted doses
- **Premises safety:** Medicines access rooms variable in size and quality; safe transport of medicines across the site.
- **Cell design:** Shared cells common and access to safe medicines storage limited- searches used to manage risks
- **Officer enablement:** escort and security by officers to maximise access and safety
- **In-possession (IP) risk assessments:** All prisoners receive this on admission and when review or new medicine initiated. All have local IP policy and some medicines are always non- IP due to diversion risk.
- **Controlled drugs:** high volume across all Schedules- Sch 2-4 all supervised consumption (not in-possession) and adds to access issues- methadone queue can be >100 daily!
- **High prevalence of diversion and abuse of medicines:** Mostly hidden in the community but visible and factored into medicines pathway in HJ- sharing safety and security information is key
- **Demands for dependence forming medicines and polypharmacy:** High and creates challenges for prescribers especially where shorter stays limit options for review and optimisation- continuity is key





## Digital

- E-HJIS Rx
- HJ prescribing data
- RAVS as PoC for imms and vaccs
- 28-day EPS on discharge

## Medicines

- Tamper evident bags
- Tirzepatide pathway
- Canteen list review
- AMR actions and data
- In-possession review
- HMPPS enabling non-IP safety
- Valproate safety audit

## Integration

- OPIC handover and ICB networking
- Pharmacy Workforce
  - Who and gaps
  - Career and cross sector working
- Regional Deans & CPPE partnerships