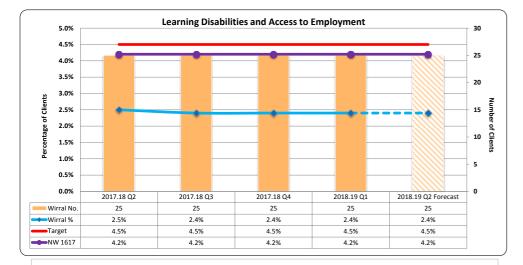


ADULT HEALTH AND CARE PERFORMANCE OVERVIEW

2018/19 QUARTER 1

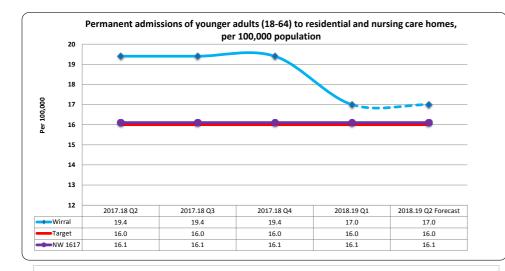




A total of 25 people (of 1,009) with a learning disability are currently in paid employment

Work is on-going with Wirral Evolutions to review the people in supported employment to check for eligibility for inclusion in this measure and to explore further opportunities to support individuals into employment.

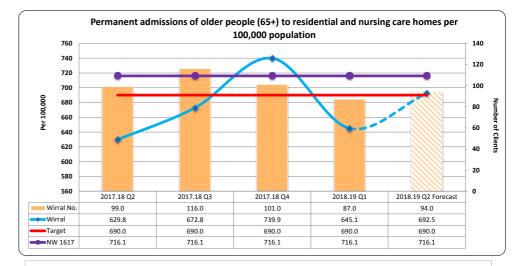
The Council has recently been awarded Disability Confident Employer status and is working towards becoming a Disability Confident Leader in conjunction with the Wirral Chamber of Commerce. A programme of internships is to be proposed with Wirral Met College and the DWP have an employment advisor working with disabled people and small businesses.



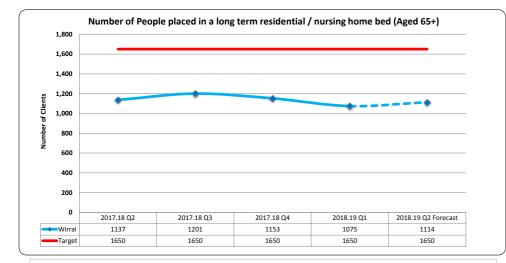
Wirral continue to focus on providing support to people in their own homes. A small number of working age adults have such complexneeds that they require care home provision where we cannot meet atheir needs in a community setting. We continue to develop servcies to support people to remain in their ownhomes.



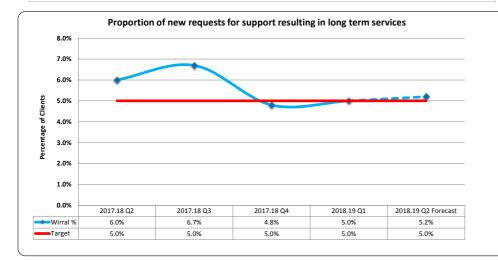
The reduction in performance can be linked to a small number of permanent admissions which is representative of an ageing population of people with a learning disability. In line with the aim to develop a further 300 extra care units by 2020 a supported housing strategy for people with disabilities will be in place by the autumn and a steering group will be established.



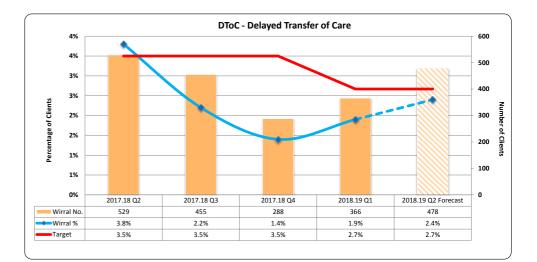
Over the last year there has been a significant reduction in permanent admissions for older people over 65 in line with plan. The council is promoting independent living increasingly, however there has been an increase during the winter period which correlates with very high levels of demand for all provision. This forecasted upward trend also relates to this increase in demand. We continue to livest in intermediate and reabienent services to maximise individual opportunities to return home. We have agreed a 5% reduction target during 18/19.



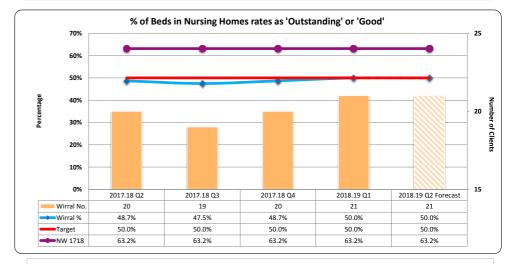
Wirral continues to focus on supporting people to remain in their own homes. Perfomance demonstrates a consistent picture of older people being supported in the community and fewer placements into long term care homes.



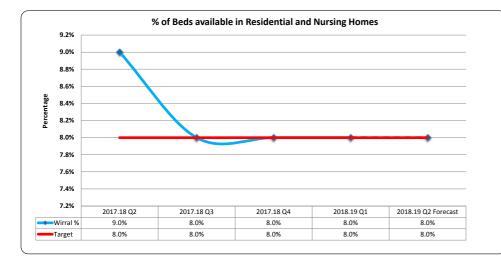




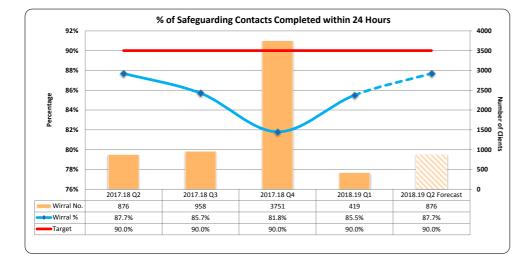
High levels of demand through the winter period can have a significant affect on DTocs. Local teams have maintained excellent performance within the upper quartile nationally during this period however it is likely that as pressures increase ther will be a small shift upwards, however it is highly likely that the target will be met.



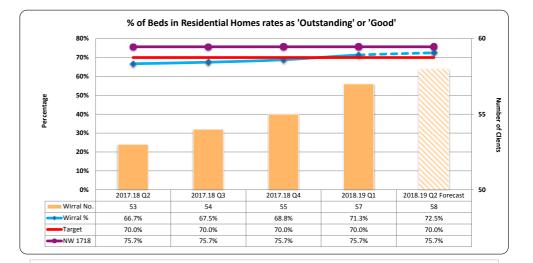
Half of the nursing homes on the Wirral are 'Outstanding' or 'Good' and, again the pattern is that inspections towards the end of the reporting period are generally less positive in nature. CQC inspections will continue throughout the year and we should ensure we support homes to achieve a 'Good' or 'Outstanding' grading.



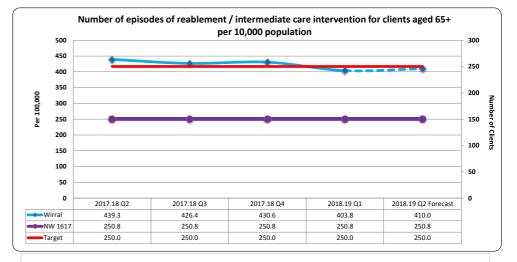
There is capacity within the system to cope with any unforeseen rise in demand, whilst maintaining a level that is sufficient to allow private establishments to remanin as functioning organisations. Vacancy rates of exclusive block commissions for intermediate provision are available.



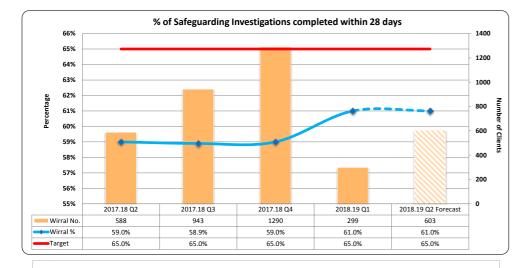
Significant work ahas been undertaken within Wirral Community NHS Foundation Trust to improve data recording. This has the effect of rai sing the perormance towards achieving target. Work is underway with LCR partners to consider referral routes for safeguarding and the handling arrangements for safeguard ing concerns.



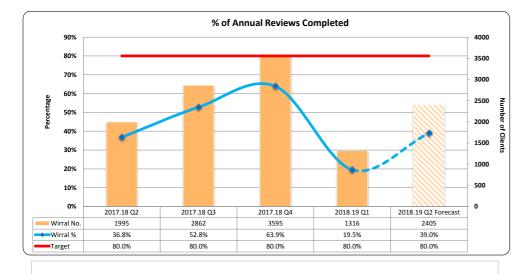
Over two thirds of the residential homes on the Wirral are now rated a 'Outstanding' or 'Good', although there is a general trend that more recent ratings have been at the lower end of the scale. CQC inspections will continue throughout the year and we should ensure we support homes to achieve a 'Good' or 'Outstanding' grading.



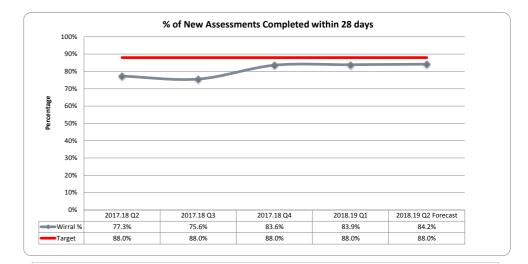
Despite a reduction in activity reported levels are significantly higher than the North West average. Capacity of how based reablement has been affected by pressures within the domicilary care market. Providers are experiencing capacity issues and have cited particular issues with regards rostering staff associated with 15 minute calls and keeping packages open if an individual has been placed in hospital. In order to support an outcomes focussed approach the Council has agreed to pay all calls as an inimum of 30 minutes and to increase the retainer paid linked to hospital admissions from 48 hrs to 7 days. Whilst capacity and throughput are an area of concern the continuing positive out comes of individuals who receive reablements should be noted. Revised pathways are in place to ensure individuals have access to home or bed based reablement or intermediate care services for both admission avoidance and discharge.



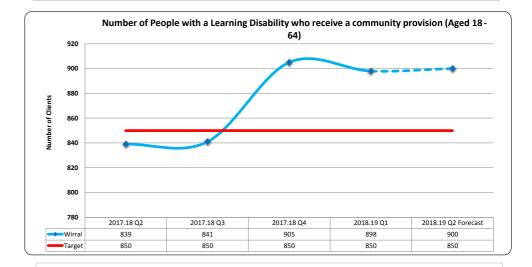
There is a general downward trend in this indicator in terms of current performance, as well as projected figures. There areseveral investigations which are taking significantly longer than the requisite 28 days, which could be as a result of data entry errors and should be reviewed as part of the data quality reportsby managers.



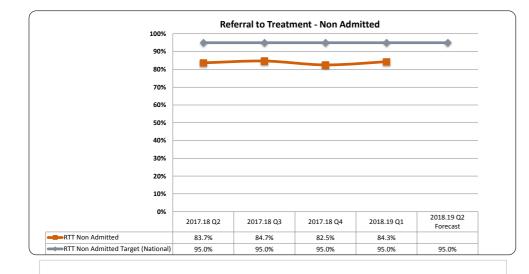
This performance measure increases throughout the year, up to a value of 63.9% in 2017/18. This is some way short of the target, however, and shows the pressures on teams when it comes to managing challenging workloads.

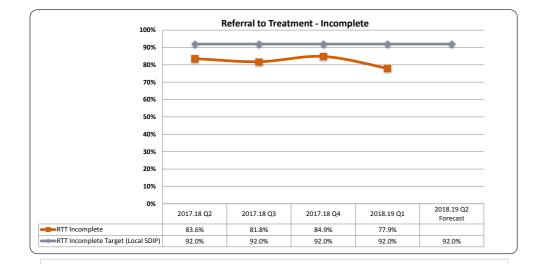


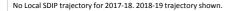
The percentage of new assessments completed within 28 days generally decreases throughout the year, and 2017/18 has followed thistrend. At present, this will leave the council a long way short of the target, as well as the performance in 2016/17.

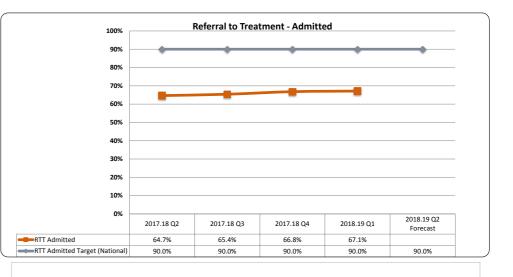


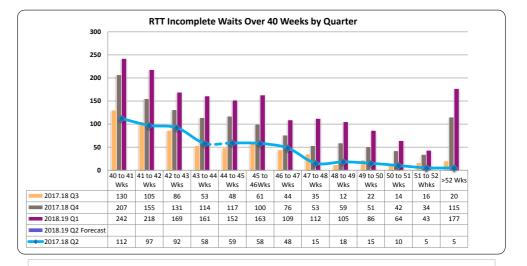
The number of people with learning disabilities who are receiving a community provision has increased, resulting in less presure being put on residential and nursing homes, thereby reducing costs to the council. This also increases independent living, a key cornerstone of current council policy.

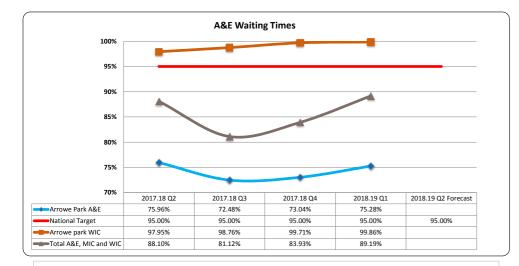












Significant focus to deliver 4 hour stranded as a system, revised trajectory for target set by NHSI. Systems expected to deliver 95% by March 19. Wirral has seen broadly a % improvement during Q4/Q1

