



Integrated Care Systems (ICSs)

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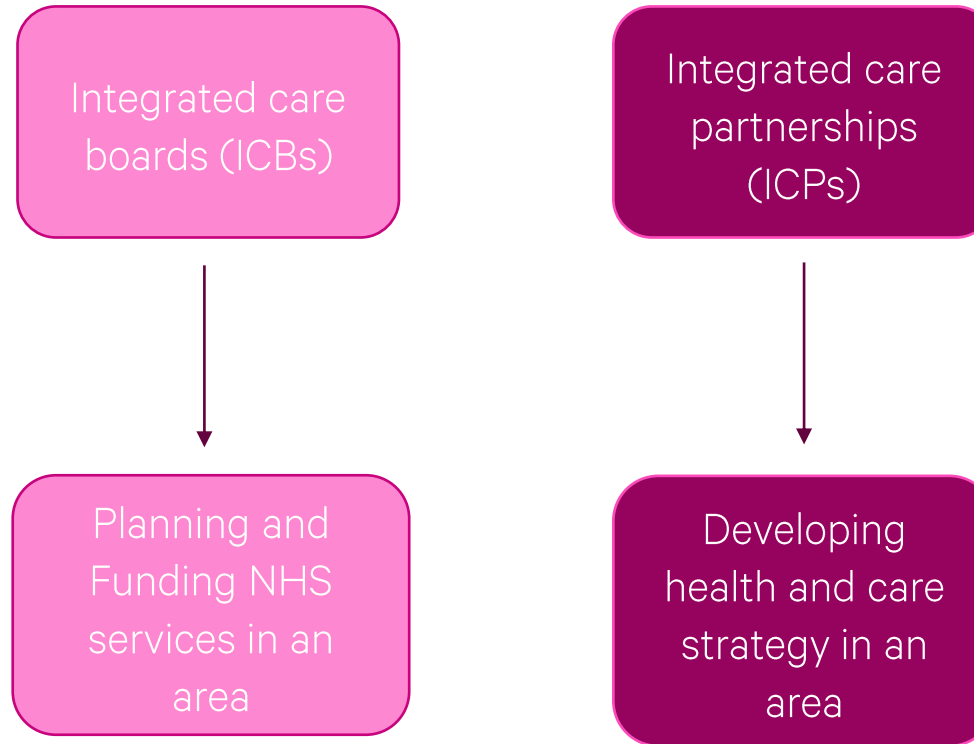
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Formalised as
legal entities
with statutory
powers in 2022



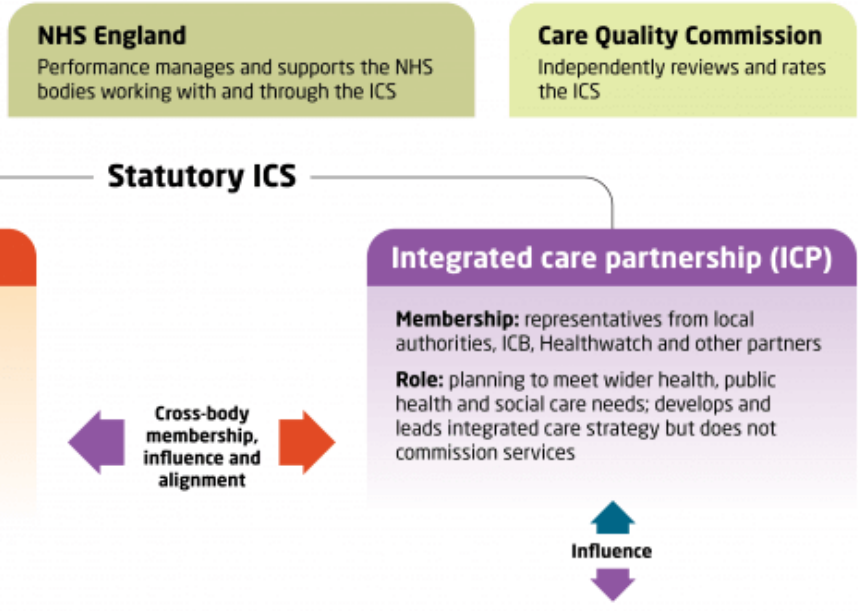
They comprise of two components:



Much of the resource and formal accountabilities of the ICS sit with the ICB

Partners and places

Integrated care systems (ICSs) Key planning and partnership bodies from July 2022



Geographical footprint	Partnership and delivery structures	
	Name	Participating organisations
System Usually covers a population of 1-2 million	Provider collaboratives	NHS trusts (including acute, specialist and mental health) and as appropriate voluntary, community and social enterprise (VCSE) organisations and the independent sector; can also operate at place level
Place Usually covers a population of 250-500,000	Health and wellbeing boards	ICS, Healthwatch, local authorities, and wider membership as appropriate; can also operate at system level
	Place-based partnerships	Can include ICB members, local authorities, VCSE organisations, NHS trusts (including acute, mental health and community services), Healthwatch and primary care
Neighbourhood Usually covers a population of 30-50,000	Primary care networks	General practice, community pharmacy, dentistry, opticians

Four Key Aims

Improving	outcomes in population health and health care
Tackling	inequalities in outcomes, experience and access
Enhancing	productivity and value for money
Helping	the NHS to support broader social and economic development.

Why are they needed?

People are living longer with multiple conditions

Care to date has been fragmented and difficult to co-ordinate

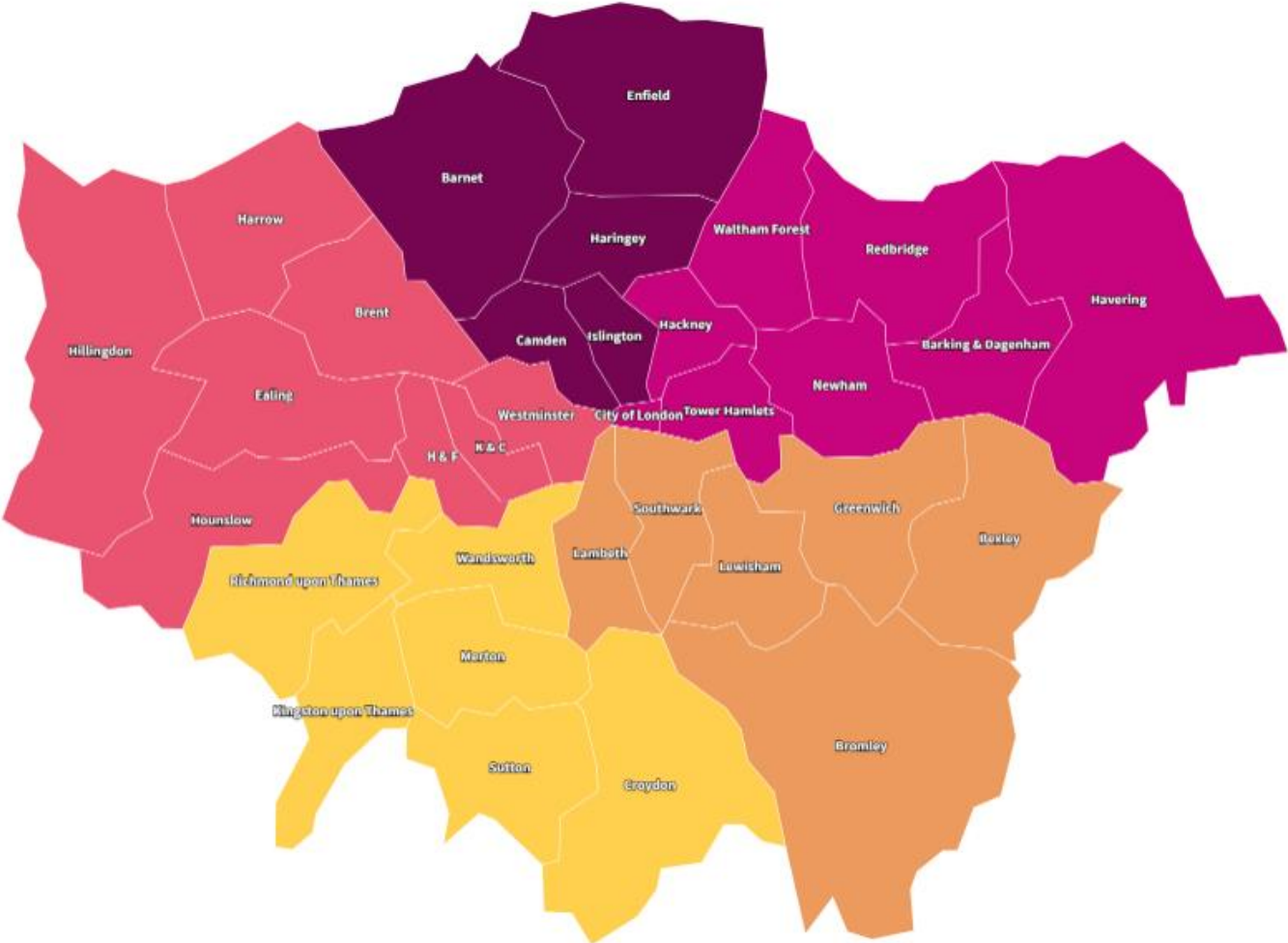
Has led to poorer outcomes for patients and duplication and inefficiencies within the NHS

ICSs aim to bring together different parts of the NHS and health and social care

ICSs have a critical role in improving population health and tackling health inequalities

The ICSs of London

■ North Central London ICS ■ North East London ICS ■ North West London ICS ■ South East London ICS
■ South West London ICS





Integrated Care Boards (ICBs)

- Allocate NHS budget and commission services (previously CCGs)
- Five-year system plan
 - How the ICB will meet the health needs of local population
 - Consider priorities of their partner Integrated care partnership (ICP)
 - Informed by health and wellbeing strategies locally
- Membership
 - Chair, chief executive officer, and at least three other members drawn from NHS trusts and foundation trusts, general practice and local authorities in the area.
 - At least one member must have knowledge and expertise in mental health services.
 - Patients and communities to be involved in planning and commissioning of services



Integrated Care Partnerships (ICPs)

- Statutory joint committee of the ICB and local authorities
- Support partnership working
 - Addresses wider health care, public health and social needs of the population
 - Developed with local needs assessment and together with local communities and Healthwatch
- **Membership**
 - Must include one member appointed by the ICB, one member appointed by each of the relevant local authorities, and others to be determined locally.
 - Others may include social care providers, public health, Healthwatch, VCSE organisations and others such as local housing or education providers.



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