



REPORT TO:	NHS SOMERSET INTEGRATED CARE BOARD	ENCLOSURE:		
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DATE OF MEETING:	25 January 2024			
REPORT TITLE:	NHS Somerset Finance Report – Month 8 2023/24			
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PRESENTED BY:	Alison Henly, Chief Finance Officer and Director of Performance			

PURPOSE	DESCRIPTION	SELECT (Place an 'X' in relevant box(es) below)
Approve	To formally receive a report and approve its recommendations, (authorising body/committee for the final decision)	
Endorse	To support the recommendation (not the authorising body/committee for the final decision)	
Discuss	To discuss, in depth, a report noting its implications	
Note	To note, without the need for discussion	
Assurance	To assure the Board/Committee that systems and processes are in place, or to advise of a gap along with mitigations	Х

PREVIOUS CONSIDERATION/ENGAGEMENT

ICB Finance Committee





Executive summary and reason for	The enclosed paper provides an update summarising the NHS Somerset Integrated Care System financial position for the 2023/24 financial year as 30 November 2023.
presentation to Committee/Board	This report provides an analysis of financial performance across the following areas:
	 Summary of NHS Somerset Financial Position Summary of Organisational Financial Positions NHS Somerset System Capital Summary of Somerset Council Financial Position
Recommendation and next steps	The Integrated Care Board is asked to note the report for assurance of the NHS Somerset ICS financial position

SELECT (Place an 'X' in relevant box(es) below)	Links to Strategic Objectives (Please select any which are impacted on / relevant to this paper)						
	Objective 1: Improve the health and wellbeing of the population						
	Objective 2: Reduce inequalities						
	Objective 3: Provide the best care and support to children and adults						
	Objective 4: Strengthen care and support in local communities						
	Objective 5: Respond well to complex needs						
	Objective 6: Enable broader social and economic development						
X	Objective 7: Enhance productivity and value for money						





Impact Assessments – key issues identified (please enter 'N/A' where not applicable)						
Reducing Inequalities/Equality & Diversity	Financial decisions are made with due regard to eliminate discrimination, harassment and victimisation, to advance equality of opportunity and to foster good relations between people who share a relevant protected characteristic (as cited in under the Equality Act 2010) and those who do not share in it.					
Quality	Financial decisions are made to deliver with regard to the best possible value for service users.					
Safeguarding	No issues identified					
Financial/Resource/ Value for Money	NHS Somerset Integrated Care Board has a confirmed revenue budget of £1,307,812,000 for the 2023/24 financial year as at 30 November 2023.					
Sustainability	No issues identified					
Governance/Legal/ Privacy	The financial report details any constitutional standards required to be met by the NHS Somerset Integrated Care Board					
Confidentiality	No issues identified					
Risk Description	GBAF Reference 584 – RAG Rating 12					

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NHS Somerset - Finance M8



Headline Summary

- Please note the submitted Month 8 position within this report includes the impact from the H2 Financial and Operational Delivery plan and does not consider any costs resulting from Industrial Action in December or January.
- NHS Somerset is forecasting to deliver a balanced outturn position for the 2023/24 financial year.
- The ICS' Capital position is forecasted to be £9.1m over plan due to lease liability remeasurements resulting from RPI increases on long-term lease deals. The system finance group is working with the regional team to resolve this position.
- At month 8, NHS Somerset is in line with plan following the additional Industrial Action allocation received (£5.9m) and the ability to retain a number of ringfenced programme budgets this financial year, which are offsetting previously identified in-year Commissioner and Provider pressures.
- .At month 8, total system agency spend for 2023/24 is forecasted to exceed our cap by £4.2m, with year to date overspent by £4.4m against plan.
- · The system is managing a reduced number of risks, which could materialise: -
 - Winter Acute Escalation
 - Elective Recovery
 - Industrial Action
- Somerset Council are projecting a £18.3m overspend at month 7, which is largely driven by pressures within Adult Social Care and Childrens' Social Care. The Council are not completing financial reporting at month 8.



NHS Somerset - Financial Headlines Month 8 2023/24

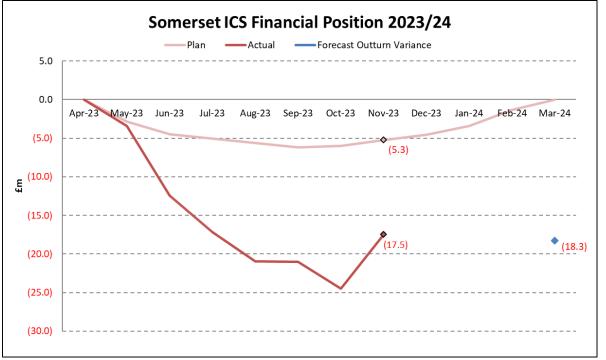


NHS Somerset's year to date financial position at month 8 is in line with plan and is forecasting to deliver a balanced outturn position for the 2023/24 financial year.

Following the H2 Financial and Operational Delivery plan NHS Somerset has been able to manage year to date system pressures following the additional IA allocation of £5.9m, forecasted Dental budget underspend released to system bottom line and ERF overperformance.

NHS Somerset is forecasted to overspend its Capital allocation by £9.1m this financial year due to lease liability remeasurements.

Somerset Council are projecting a £18.3m overspend at month 7, largely driven by pressures within Adult Social Care and Childrens' Social Care.



Performance against organisation-specific and system control totals										
£m's	Month 8			М	onth 1-8 Y	TD	Forecast Outturn 2023/24			
	Plan	Actual	Variance	Plan	Actual	Variance	Plan	Actual	Variance	
NHS Somerset ICB	0.0	3.2	3.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Somerset NHS FT	0.7	5.0	4.3	(5.3)	(5.3)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Somerset Council*	0.0	(1.2)	(1.2)	0.0	(12.2)	(12.2)	0.0	(18.3)	(18.3)	
Somerset ICS	0.7	7.0	6.3	(5.3)	(17.5)	(12.2)	0.0	(18.3)	(18.3)	

*Somerset Council M1-8 YTD position is a pro-rata of the forecasted outturn position



Somerset ICB Finances



Somerset ICB is forecasting to deliver a breakeven position against allocated resource for 2023/24.

At month 8, following the H2 Financial and Operational Delivery plan Somerset ICB is now in line with plan year to date.

This position includes the use of the Dental budgets underspend to offset against in-year GP Prescribing and Learning Disabilities pressures.

Financial Position Overview									
		Year to Dat	e (M1-M8)		Forecast Outturn 2023/24				
Somerset ICB	Plan	Actual	Variance	Variance	Plan	Forecast	Variance	Variance	
	£m	£m	£m	%	£m	£m	£m	%	
System Revenue Resource Limit	(867.9)				(1,307.8)				
Acute Services	444.4	444.6	(0.2)	(0.0%)	666.6	667.2	(0.7)	(0.1%)	
Mental Health Services	73.7	74.1	(0.4)	(0.5%)	110.6	111.1	(0.6)	(0.5%)	
Community Health Services	78.8	77.7	1.0	1.3%	118.2	116.7	1.5	1.3%	
Continuing Care Services	38.1	37.1	1.0	2.6%	57.1	56.6	0.5	0.9%	
Primary Care Services	86.6	89.7	(3.2)	(3.7%)	130.3	133.4	(3.1)	(2.4%)	
Other Commissioned Services	38.5	39.0	(0.5)	(1.2%)	57.7	58.5	(0.7)	(1.2%)	
Other Programme Services	1.4	1.3	0.2	11.1%	2.4	2.1	0.3	12.6%	
Reserves / Contingencies	(7.6)	(3.0)	(4.6)	60.6%	(6.5)	(9.0)	2.5	(39.3%)	
Delegated Primary Care Commissioning	106.0	99.5	6.5	6.1%	158.7	158.7	0.0	0.0%	
ICB Running Costs	8.1	8.0	0.0	0.0%	12.6	12.5	0.2	1.4%	
Total Net Expenditure	867.9	867.9	0.0	0.0%	1,307.8	1,307.8	0.0	0.0%	
TOTAL Somerset ICB Surplus/(Deficit)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%	



Somerset FT Finances

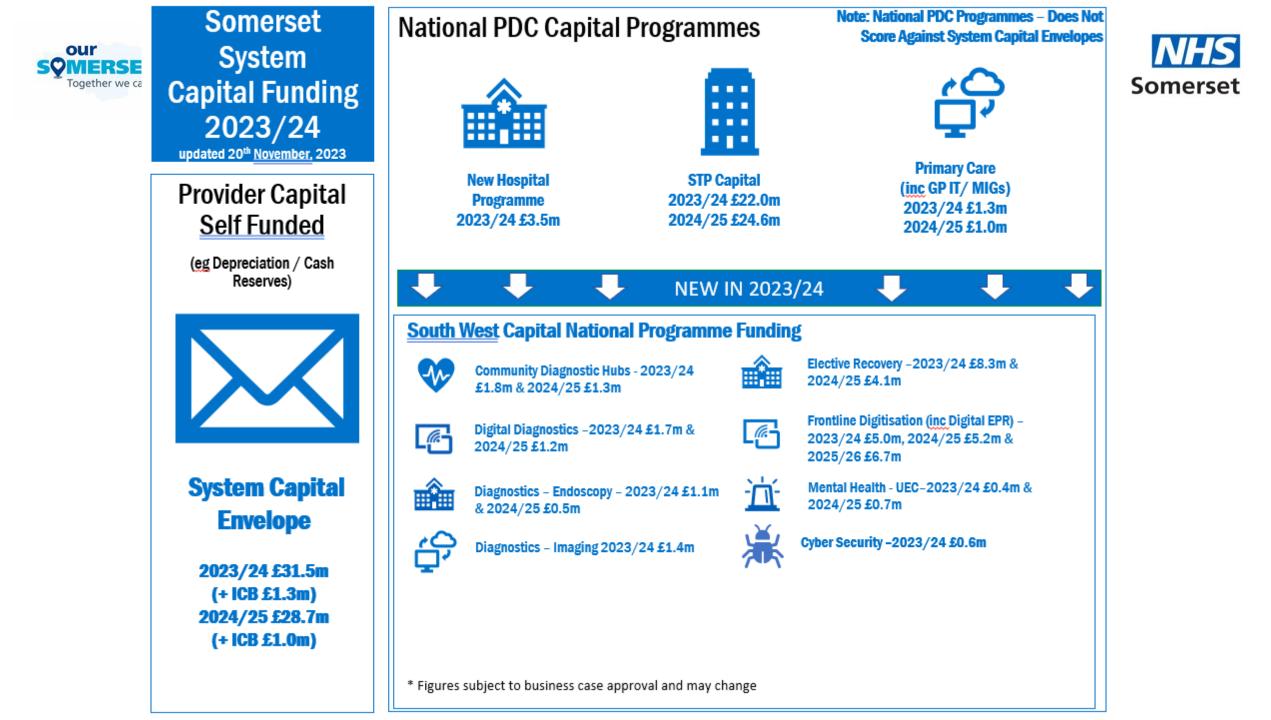


Somerset FT is forecasting to deliver a breakeven position for 2023/24.

At month 8, Somerset FT is in line with plan year to date.

Year to date pressures against Industrial Action, Winter, GP Direct Access and High Cost Drugs & Devices are expected to be offset against month 8 system Industrial Action allocation and Elective Recovery Fund overperformance.

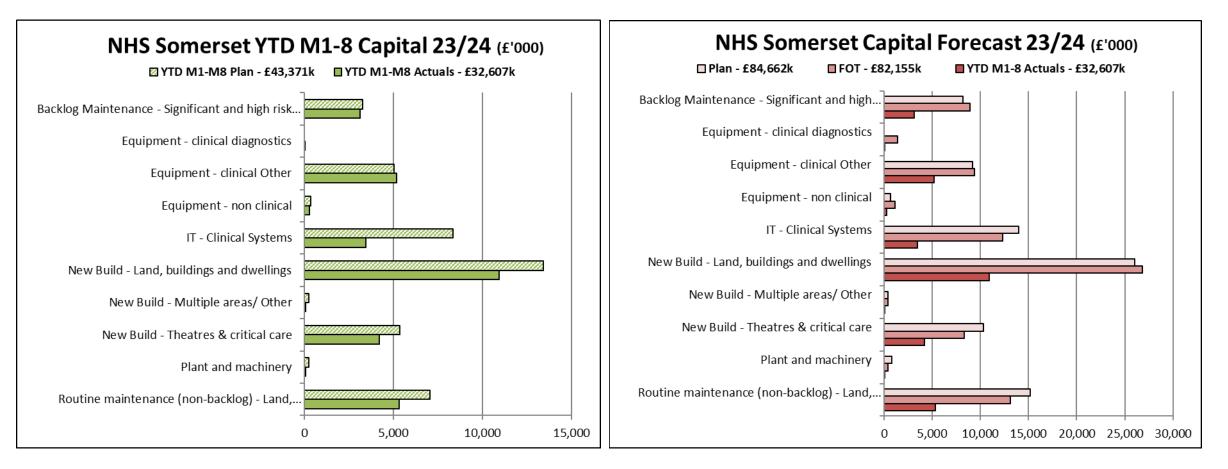
Financial Position Overview								
	Year to Date (M1-M8)				Forecast Outturn 2023/24			
Somerset FT	Plan	Actual	Variance	Variance	Plan	Forecast	Variance	Variance
	£m	£m	£m	%	£m	£m	£m	%
Patient Care Income from ICBs & NHSE	576.5	594.7	18.2	3.2%	865.8	898.8	33.1	3.8%
Other Patient Care Income	41.8	39.4	(2.4)	(5.8%)	62.5	58.2	(4.3)	(6.9%)
Other Operating Income excluding top-up	35.5	47.5	12.0	33.8%	54.1	76.9	22.8	42.1%
Total Income	653.9	681.7	27.8	4.3%	982.4	1,033.9	51.5	5.2%
Agency	(19.8)	(24.2)	(4.4)	22.1%	(28.1)	(34.2)	(6.2)	21.9%
Pay excluding Agency	(431.0)	(438.9)	(8.0)	1.8%	(645.4)	(665.5)	(20.0)	3.1%
Total Pay	(450.8)	(463.1)	(12.3)	2.7%	(673.5)	(699.7)	(26.2)	3.9%
Non Pay	(199.5)	(215.7)	(16.2)	8.1%	(295.7)	(323.0)	(27.4)	9.3%
Other non operating items	(8.0)	(5.6)	2.5	(30.9%)	(12.0)	(8.3)	3.8	(31.3%)
Total Expenditure	(658.3)	(684.4)	(26.0)	4.0%	(981.2)	(1,031.0)	(49.8)	5.1%
Adjusted Financial Performance	(4.5)	(2.7)	1.8	0.3%	1.2	3.0	1.8	0.2%
System Performance Adjustments	(0.8)	(2.6)	(1.8)	(222.4%)	(1.2)	(3.0)	(1.8)	(146.6%)
System Performance Measure	(5.3)	(5.3)	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%





NHS Somerset – Trust Capital Scheme Breakdown





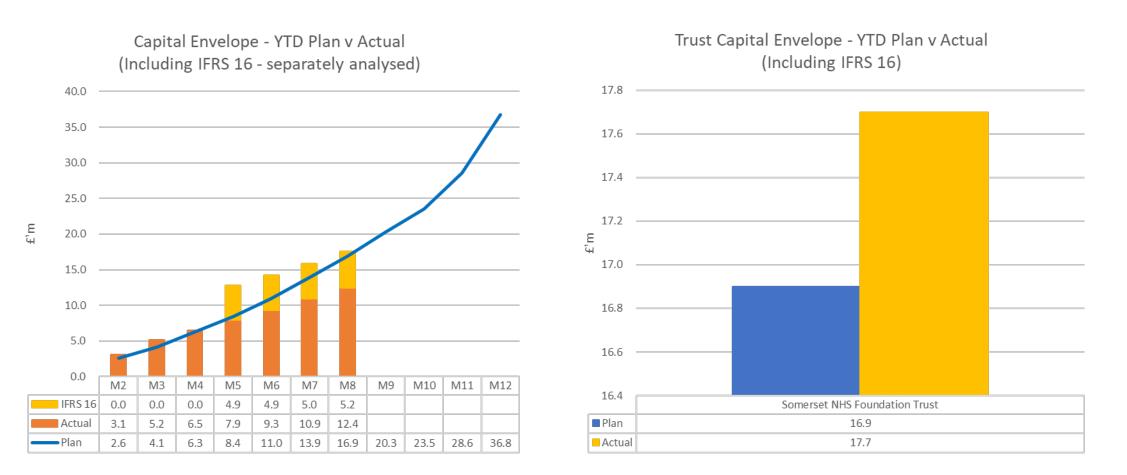
Note the above position excludes remeasurement of lease liabilities resulting from RPI increases on long-term lease deals forecasted at £12.3m.

As a result of the remeasurement of lease liability, the Capital position is forecasted to be £9.1m over plan this financial year.



NHS Somerset - Capital by Trust Month 8





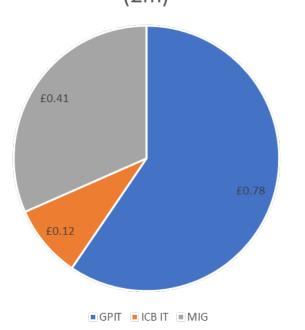
NB This information has been taken from Tab 44 (Capital CT Analysis) on the Provider Financial Returns



NHS Somerset - Commissioner BAU Capital Month 8



NHS Somerset ICB BAU Budget 2023/24 (£m)

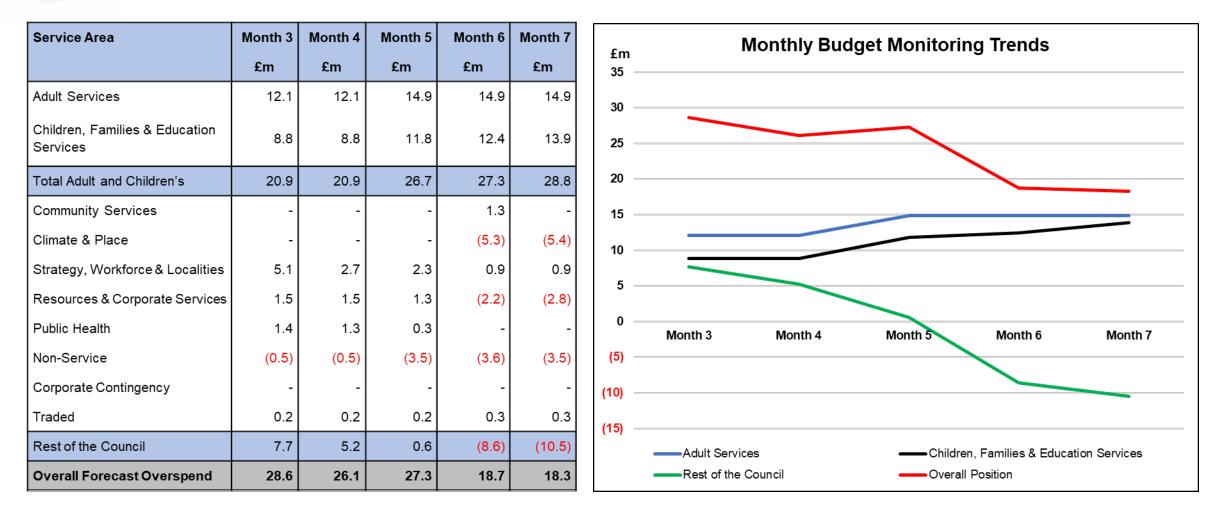


Scheme Description	Funding Type	Funding Status	Amount £'m
QSL-023-001	23/24 GPIT PID	Awaiting Approval	0.78
QSL-023-002	23/24 ICB Corporate IT PID	Awaiting Approval	0.12
QSL-023-003	2023/24 PID for Minor Improvement Grants	Allocated	0.15
11X-022-003 & 11X-022-	Clawback of Prior Year	Clawed Back	-0.02
004 Clawback	Accrual		
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004 Clawback (2)	accrual		
QSL-023-004	GP Practice Estates	Awaiting Approval	0.30
Total			1.30
BAU Allocation			1.30
Outstanding PID's			0.00



Somerset Council - 2023/24 Budget Monitoring





- Month 7 Budget Monitoring to January Executive & Month 9 to February Executive
- Highlights the issues around the difficulties of managing the demand led budgets in Adults & Childrens
- Greater financial control & reporting having an impact