



## NHS Scotland 2018-19 Consolidated Financial Reporting to 31 December 2018 (Month 9)

### Purpose

This paper summarises the financial position for NHS Scotland for the reporting year 2018-19. It builds on the information already published since May 2018, and sets out the updated position at month 9.

The information contained in this report is a consolidation of the financial position as reported by all 22 NHS Boards. All NHS Boards report regularly and publicly on local financial performance and this information is available through individual NHS Board websites.

### Consolidated Financial Position

Based on the first nine months of the year (April-December 2018), a balanced year end position is forecast for the Health and Sport portfolio for both resource and capital budgets.

At month 9, NHS Boards are reporting a year-to-date adverse variance of £82.6 million and are forecasting a consolidated year-end adverse variance against budget of £92.0 million (4.4% decrease from month 8). The projected variance is expected to continue to reduce over the remainder of the year as further savings are delivered. In-year pressures highlighted by NHS Boards at month 9 include pay and drugs costs, which represent the most significant proportion of Boards' budgets.

At month 9, there are four NHS Boards which are anticipating a requirement for financial support in the form of brokerage in 2018-19. The indicative level of brokerage required is estimated at £71.3 million across the following Boards: NHS Tayside (£22.3 million); NHS Ayrshire and Arran (£20.0 million); NHS Highland (£19.0 million); and NHS Borders (£10.0 million). This compares with the actual total level of brokerage required in 2017-18 of £50.7 million.

The indicative level of brokerage for 2018-19 is within the planning assumptions of the portfolio, and is not therefore expected to create a risk to delivering a balanced overall portfolio outturn position. This overall portfolio forecast requires that all other Boards will deliver a balanced financial position, and therefore there is expected to be a reduction in the adverse forecast over the course of the remaining 3 months of the year.

Table 1 below summarises the financial position at 31 December 2018, with further analysis by NHS Board at Table 2.

**Table 1: Summary of forecast outturn and indicative brokerage required**

	2018-19 Forecast Outturn				Indicative brokerage required £m
	Forecast Outturn	Budget	Variance		
	£m	£m	£m	%	
<b>Resource Allocation</b>					
<b>Health and Sport Portfolio</b>	<b>13,132.5</b>	<b>13,132.5</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>-</b>
<i>Included within:</i>					
NHS Boards	12,164.7	12,072.7	(92.0)	(0.8)	71.3
<b>Capital Allocation</b>					
<b>Health and Sport Portfolio</b>	<b>351.2</b>	<b>351.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>-</b>
<i>Included within:</i>					
NHS Boards	142.4	142.4	0.0	0.0	-



**Table 2: Detailed financial position by NHS Board**

	Revenue									Capital			
	Year to Date Position				2018-19 Forecast Outturn				Indicative Brokerage Required	Budget	Forecast Outturn	Variance	
	Budget	Actual	Variance		Budget	Actual	Variance					£m	£m
	£m	£m	£m	%	£m	£m	£m	%	£m	£m	£m	%	
NHS Ayrshire and Arran	569.8	587.5	(17.7)	(3.1)	778.6	801.0	(22.4)	(2.9)	20.0	8.3	8.3	-	-
NHS Borders	174.7	182.7	(7.9)	(4.5)	228.7	238.8	(10.1)	(4.4)	10.0	2.4	2.4	-	-
NHS Dumfries and Galloway	249.9	250.0	(0.1)	(0.1)	342.6	342.6	-	-	-	3.5	3.5	-	-
NHS Fife	524.0	525.6	(1.6)	(0.3)	707.1	710.8	(3.7)	(0.5)	-	7.4	7.4	-	-
NHS Forth Valley	414.3	415.0	(0.6)	(0.2)	570.0	570.0	-	-	-	6.1	6.1	-	-
NHS Grampian	755.9	756.7	(0.9)	(0.1)	1,038.3	1,038.3	-	-	-	12.8	12.8	-	-
NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde	1,813.3	1,832.5	(19.3)	(1.1)	2,408.7	2,423.7	(15.0)	(0.6)	-	37.4	37.4	-	-
NHS Highland	511.5	525.1	(13.7)	(2.7)	699.0	717.0	(18.0)	(2.6)	19.0	6.6	6.6	-	-
NHS Lanarkshire	934.0	934.5	(0.5)	(0.1)	1,273.0	1,273.0	-	-	-	12.4	12.4	-	-
NHS Lothian	1,099.7	1,102.8	(3.1)	(0.3)	1,577.6	1,576.3	1.3	0.1	-	23.5	23.5	-	-
NHS Orkney	43.5	44.4	(0.9)	(2.1)	57.2	58.6	(1.3)	(2.3)	-	1.0	1.0	-	-
NHS Shetland	42.0	44.0	(2.0)	(4.8)	58.5	58.5	-	-	-	1.0	1.0	-	-
NHS Tayside	598.8	613.3	(14.4)	(2.4)	833.9	856.2	(22.3)	(2.7)	22.3 <sup>1</sup>	9.5	9.5	-	-
NHS Western Isles	61.9	63.4	(1.5)	(2.4)	87.7	88.7	(1.0)	(1.1)	-	1.2	1.2	-	-
NHS National Services Scotland	349.9	349.4	0.5	0.1	473.6	473.6	-	-	-	3.4	3.4	-	-
Scottish Ambulance Service	184.7	185.5	(0.8)	(0.4)	252.3	252.3	-	-	-	1.8	1.8	-	-
NHS Education for Scotland	343.8	342.6	1.3	0.4	466.7	466.7	-	-	-	0.5	0.5	-	-
NHS 24	47.5	47.0	0.5	1.0	65.2	64.9	0.3	0.4	-	0.3	0.3	-	-
National Waiting Times Centre	50.4	50.4	0.0	0.0	70.7	70.7	-	-	-	2.7	2.7	-	-
The State Hospitals Board for Scotland	24.2	24.5	(0.3)	(1.1)	32.8	32.8	-	-	-	0.3	0.3	-	-
NHS Health Scotland	14.1	13.7	0.4	2.9	19.6	19.4	0.2	1.1	-	0.1	0.1	-	-
Healthcare Improvement Scotland	21.1	21.1	0.1	0.3	30.7	30.7	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	-	-
<b>Total NHSScotland</b>	<b>8,829.1</b>	<b>8,911.6</b>	<b>(82.6)</b>	<b>(0.9)</b>	<b>12,072.7</b>	<b>12,164.7</b>	<b>(92.0)</b>	<b>(0.8)</b>	<b>71.3</b>	<b>142.4</b>	<b>142.4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

<sup>1</sup> NHS Tayside's reported brokerage requirement includes £3.6 million to reflect that the endowment fund repayment has now been made. This has already been included in the planning assumptions of the Health Portfolio and does not therefore impact on the outturn position.