

What are the Fit for the Future Evaluation Criteria?

There were 5 criteria used to test the potential solutions. Each of the criteria has a series of questions.

- › Quality of care
- › Access to care
- › Deliverability
- › Workforce
- › Acceptability: this was a test of whether the potential solution satisfactorily takes into account, and responds to, the Fit for the Future Output of Engagement Report.

If you want to see a full list of all the evaluation questions, please read Appendix 10 of the Fit for the Future Pre-Consultation Business Case at www.onegloucestershire.net/yoursay

Quality of care

- › Outcomes for patients
- › Patient and carer experience
- › How joined up the care would be
- › The quality of the care environment
- › Transfer of patients between sites
- › Travel times and risk

Workforce

- › Impact on staff numbers and resilience making best use of clinical staff (e.g. doctors, nurses and other staff)
- › Joined up working across health services
- › Flexible use of staff and innovative staffing
- › Staff health and wellbeing
- › Recruiting and keeping staff
- › Maintaining or improving the availability of trainers
- › Staff development
- › Impact on travel for staff and clinical supervision

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Access to care

- › Patient choice
- › Making access simple
- › Impact on travel for patients, carers and families
- › Waiting times
- › Supporting the use of new technology to improve access
- › Improving or maintaining service hours and locations
- › Impact on equality for all and health inequalities
- › Accounting for changes in population size and demographics

Acceptability

- › Taking into account and responding to the Fit for the Future Outcome of Engagement Report

Deliverability

- › Expected time to implement the changes, meeting relevant national regional or local timescales
- › Regional or local timescales
- › Access to the required staffing: numbers and skills, support services, premises and technology to support successful implementation