Leadership Expectations

Culture (How we work with others) Intro paragraph: We must reflect the organisation's values in our behaviours day in, day out and support our teams to do the same.	Innovation (How we transform/improve what we do) Intro paragraph: We must challenge our thinking and look for new ideas and solutions from everywhere to transform what we do and get the best possible public value.	One Team (How we lead and work across organisational boundaries) Intro paragraph: We must work in a truly networked way, building strong relationships, partnerships and alliances with others.	Thinking Ahead (How we develop a sustainable approach) Intro paragraph: We must understand that we are in uncertain times and deliver services which meet residents' needs now and in the future.
 Our leaders will: Set clear and explicit performance expectations. Be a positive role model of our values and behaviours. Care about their team and make it easy for them to succeed. Inspire, empower, coach and trust teams to get the best out of them. Challenge poor behaviour where necessary. Make time to listen to others and take account of their views. Recognise and celebrate achievement. 	 Our leaders will: Take courageous decisions balancing risk with benefit for greater good Encourage their teams and colleagues to come up with ideas for improvement and trust them to put them into practice. Continuously improve the way we deliver services by reviewing regularly. Involve colleagues and residents who have the skills to create better services together. 	 Our leaders will: Understand the wider system within which they work Listen to others' perspectives and build trust and mutual respect. Put themselves in other people's shoes to understand the challenges they face. Use the power of conversation to work up solutions together. Bring people from multiple backgrounds together around a common moral purpose. 	 Our leaders will: Develop strong strategic networks Set a clear direction and explain how success will be measured. Regularly check we are going in the right direction. Consider changing the way we do things, if the evidence shows it will result in wider benefits. Listen to the voices and choices of colleagues, customers, residents and partners to come up with new ways of delivering our services.
 To take forward to behaviours framework review: Ask for feedback from others to understand your personal impact. Take time to understand the strengths and development areas of your teams. Develop an environment for creativity and innovation to thrive. 	 To take forward to behaviours framework review: Experiment sensibly with new and creative approaches. Embrace the opportunities presented by digital technology to work, share and lead in new ways. 	To take forward to behaviours framework review: Encourage and enable your teams to develop and work across appropriate networks.	 To take forward to behaviours framework review: Be aware of the political context you work in. Be responsible for developing your own skills and knowledge of systems working, what they are, how they operate and the values and behaviours required to be successful.

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