

Marcus Warnes - Accountable Officer

Marcus is currently the Accountable Officer of NHS North Staffordshire CCG and NHS Stoke on Trent CCG.



Marcus was appointed as Accountable Officer for NHS North Staffordshire CCG on an interim basis on 3 July 2015 and has been substantive in that post since 9 December 2015. He has been Interim Accountable Officer for NHS Stoke on Trent CCG since 1 January 2017.

He has worked in the CCGs since they were authorised in April 2011, previously as Chief Operating Officer. He has worked in the NHS for more than 20 years and spent five years in a joint appointment with a local authority, working in strategic partnerships and regeneration. His background is in public health and health promotion, but he has worked in a range of NHS commissioning roles for over ten years.

Marcus is the Accountable Officer within the CCGs, ensuring that the CCGs comply with their statutory duties and providing transformational and strategic leadership at Board level to ensure they are effective leaders and commissioners within the local health and social care system.

Recently, Marcus has been an integral leader in developing improved processes to commission health care services across Staffordshire. As lead on several key aspects of the Sustainability and Transformation Partnership he has worked tirelessly to join up the local health economy with partner and provider organisations. Marcus isn't shy of a challenge and his strengths in taking on the financial challenges faced by the health economy as a whole will place him well to deliver sustainable and safe services for the people of Staffordshire.