

Questions submitted prior to the Board in Common Meeting held on the 25th June 2026

	BY WHOM	QUESTION	RESPONSE
Q1	Ian Syme	Do have we any more information as to when the separate AGMs will be held and where they will be held. Obviously, Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent AGM would be separate to the Shropshire and Telford and Wrekin AGM.	<u>Lead – Mish Irvine/Paul Winter</u> Thank you for your question regarding the two Integrated Care Boards' Annual General Meetings (AGM). The ICBs' have received guidance from NHS England confirming that there is no statutory requirement for an ICB to hold an AGM. The statutory requirement is for the ICB to prepare and publish its Annual Report & Annual Accounts and to present these at a meeting of the Board held in public. The ICB will fully comply with this expectation. This approach is consistent with the requirements set out in Chapter 14 of the Health & Care Act 2022. In accordance with these requirements and NHSE's guidance, the ICBs will present their 2025/26 Annual Reports & Accounts at the Public Board Meeting in Common on 24th September 2026. This public meeting fulfils the statutory requirements for transparency and accountability. To support openness and public engagement, the Board will also, on this occasion, provide an opportunity for members of the public to ask questions specifically relating to the Annual Reports agenda items during the meeting. For these agenda items, questions will not need to be submitted in advance and may be asked at the meeting itself. Thank you for taking the time to raise your query.