

# The Digital Future of Health and Care in Birmingham and Solihull

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# UHB in Numbers



**2 million**  
outpatient  
attendances

The highest number of outpatients under our care in England



**370,000**  
admissions

The highest number of inpatients under our care in England



**10,000**  
babies

The largest maternity service in the West Midlands, delivering over 9,600 babies a year



**21,000**  
staff

The largest employer in the West Midlands



**£2.1bn**  
annual turnover

The second largest trust in the country by turnover



**400,000**  
A&E attendances

The second highest number of A&E attendances with 3 major A&E departments and an MIU



**15,600**  
patients in research  
studies

At the leading edge of innovation, with patients able to benefit from participation in research studies



**2,600**  
beds

The highest number of beds for a single trust in the country, with four hospital sites



**1.25 million**  
population

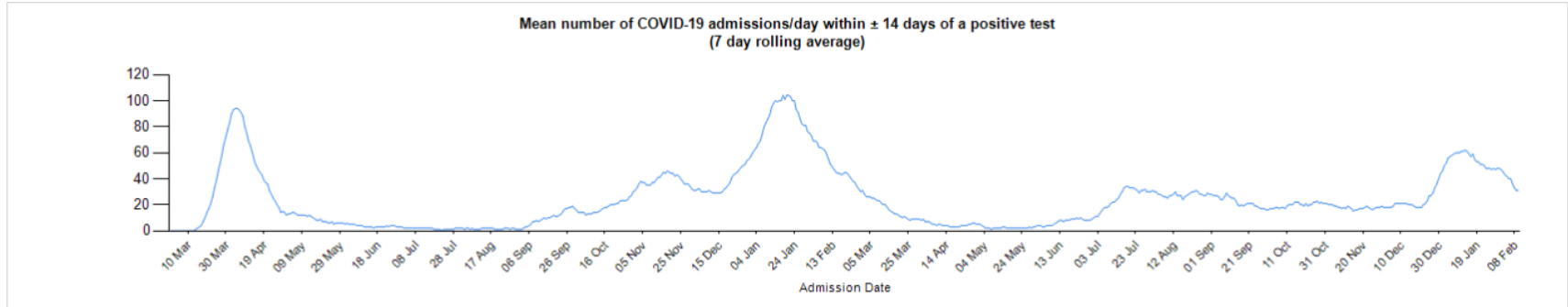
Largest provider in the integrated care system serving the population of Birmingham and Solihull



**£410m**  
NHSE income

Deliver some of the most specialised services in the country

# UHB COVID Pandemic

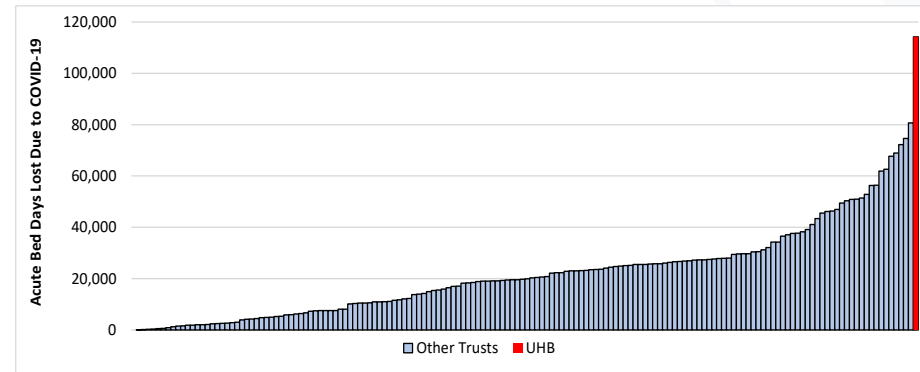


## Total

- 24232 +ves
- 3678 deaths

## Peak

- 1067 inpatients
- 211 ITU
- 37 deaths / day
- 197 +ves / day



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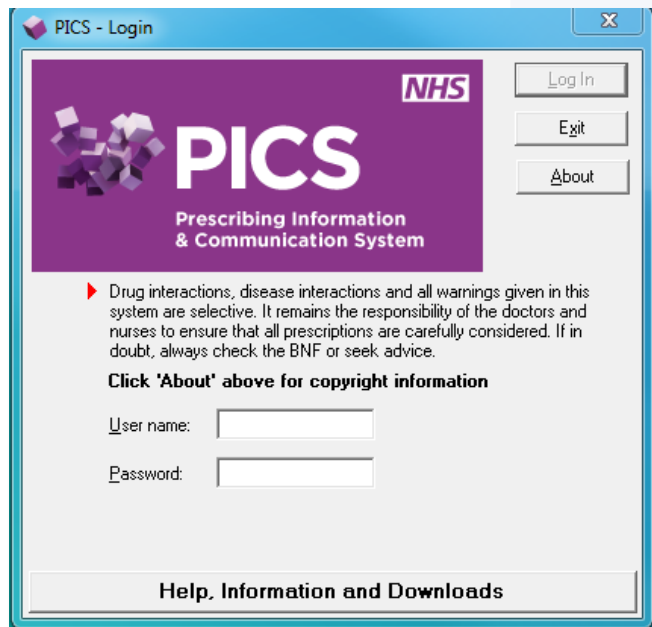
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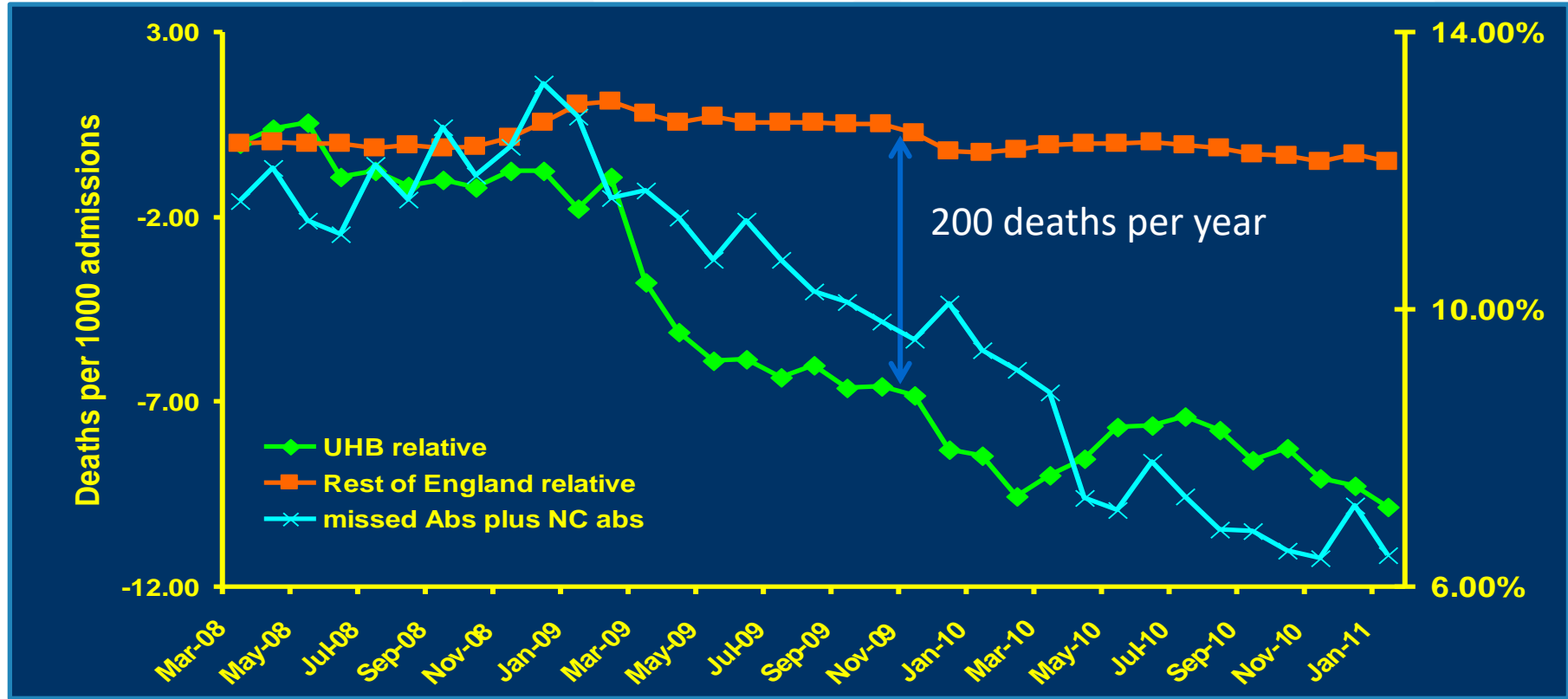
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# UHB's history as an innovator in digital health




- We were at the forefront of designing clinical decision support in the NHS, through the development of PICS
- PICS provides real-time drug prescribing checks for drug interactions, contra-indications, dose limits and allergies; observations, early warning
- Well-recognised across the NHS; implemented at neighbouring trusts
- Substantial improvements in patient outcomes achieved

# PICS impact: Mortality and missed antibiotics





A healthcare professional in red scrubs and blue gloves is using a handheld device to scan a patient's arm. The patient is wearing a dark blue top. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

Around 10,000 patients now through world's  
first AI powered skin cancer pathway, 2,200  
avoiding the need for a face-to-face  
appointment

2WW performance  
improved from 7% in  
August 2020 to 94% in  
January 2021

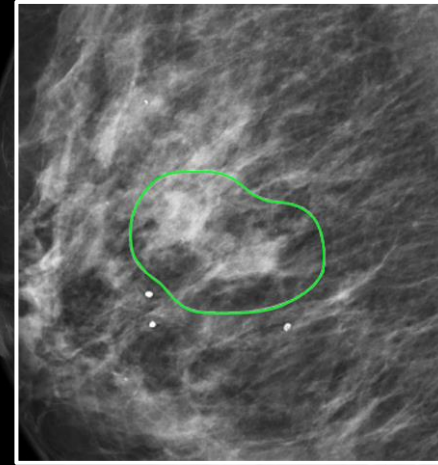
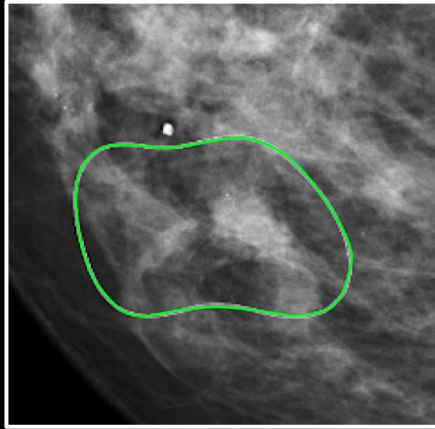
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analytics

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Malignancy suspected on:  
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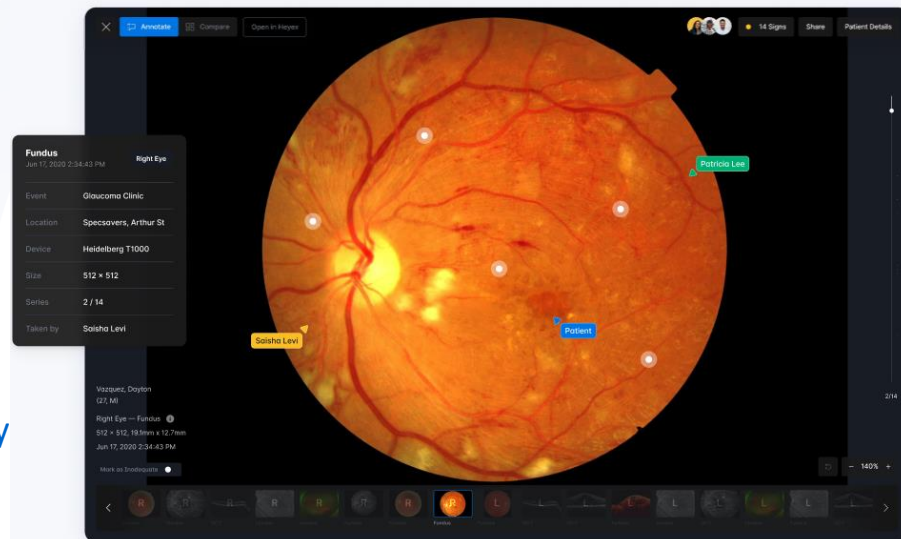
**Ground truth:** Surgery proven cancer on R side (H5)

**Radiologists:** not recalled (IC) **X**    **Mia:** recalled **✓**

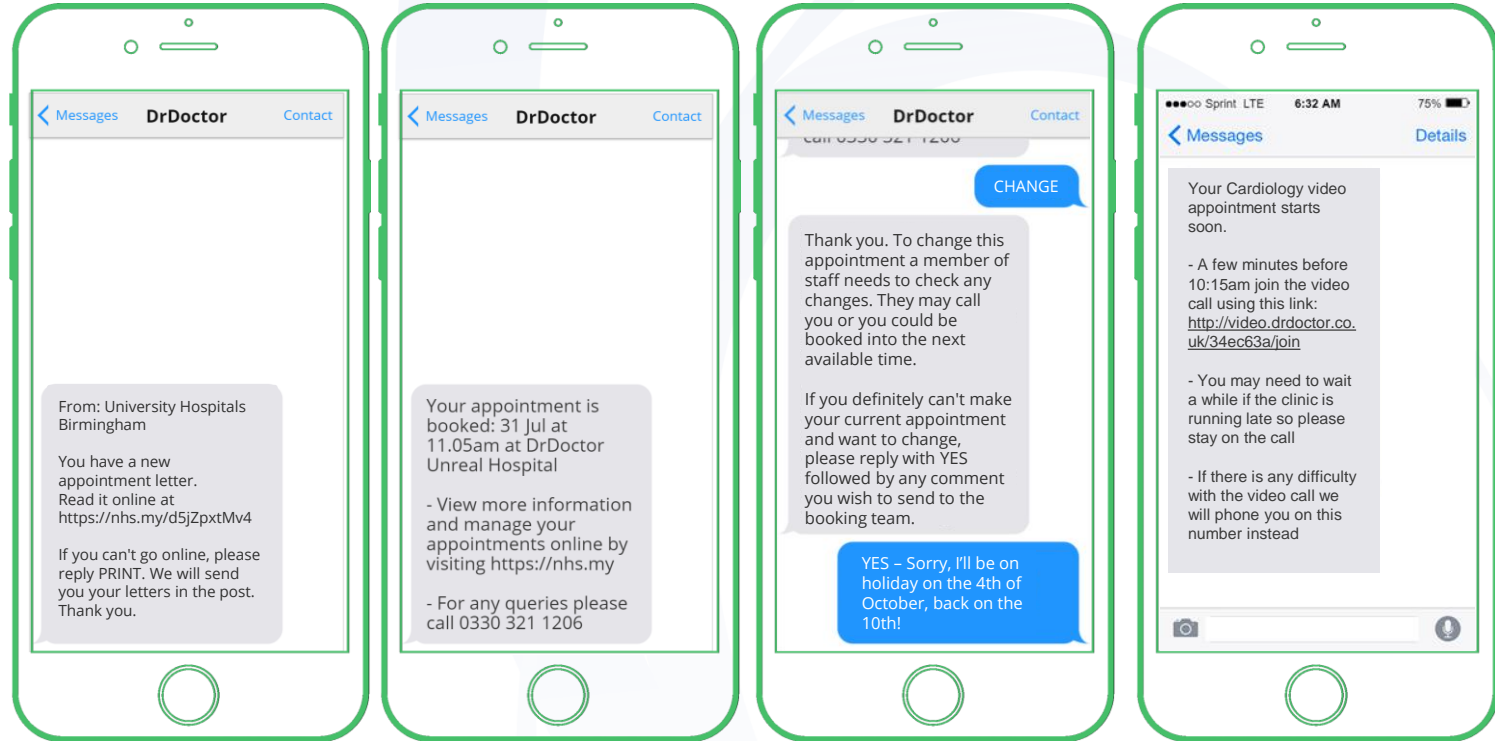


# Community Diagnostic Hubs

- Asynchronous virtual review by default
- Example benefits (eye care):
  - Patients time in department: 20 minutes in a community clinic (versus baseline 45 mins in hospital)
  - Clinicians spend 12 minutes on average reviewing each case (versus baseline 20 minute appointments in hospital)
  - Expecting reduction in referral rates from richer communication between secondary and primary care
  - New recruitment and development opportunities for non medically registered staff, drawn from the local communities we serve



# Establishing Routine Digital Lines of Communication With Our Patients



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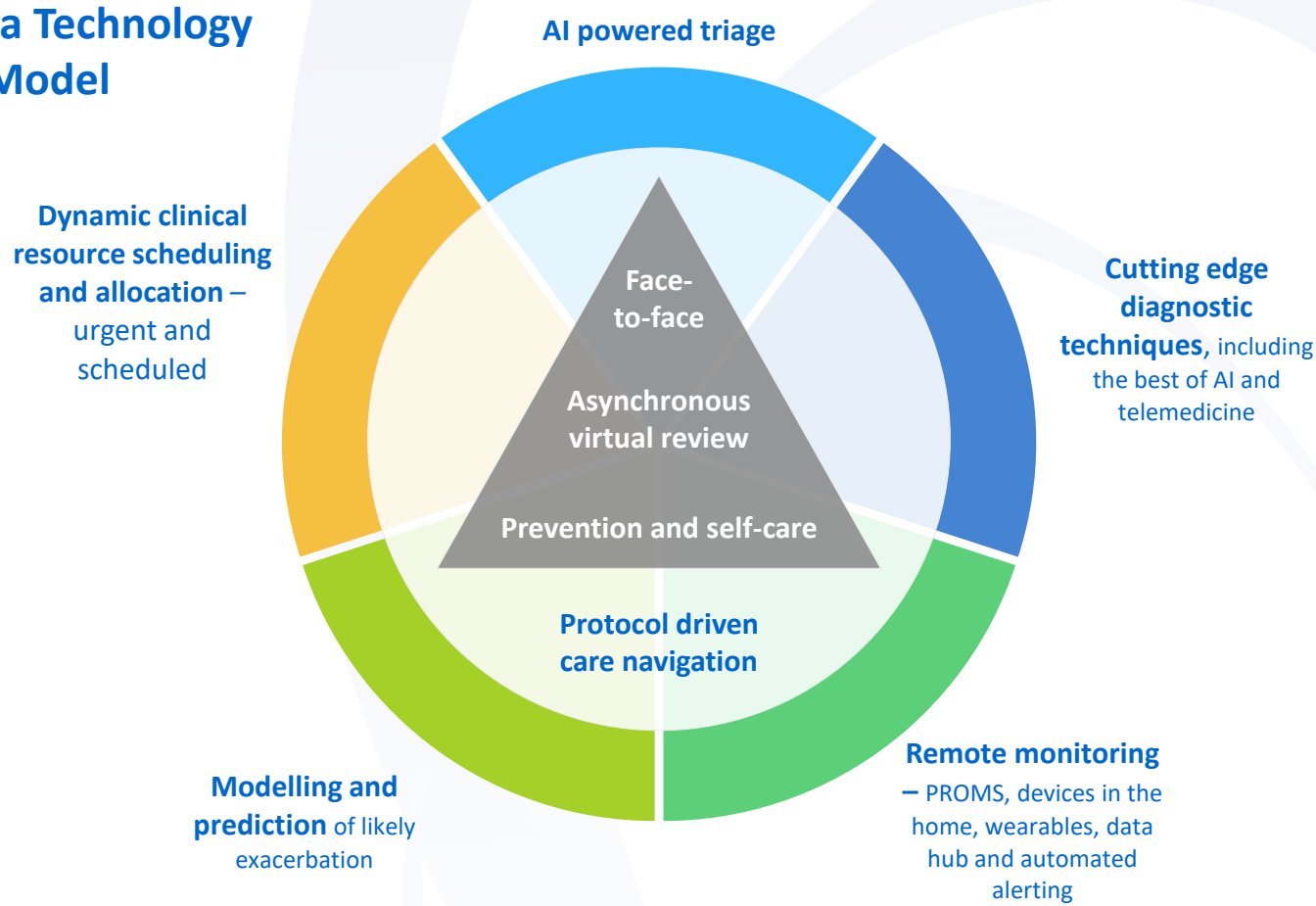
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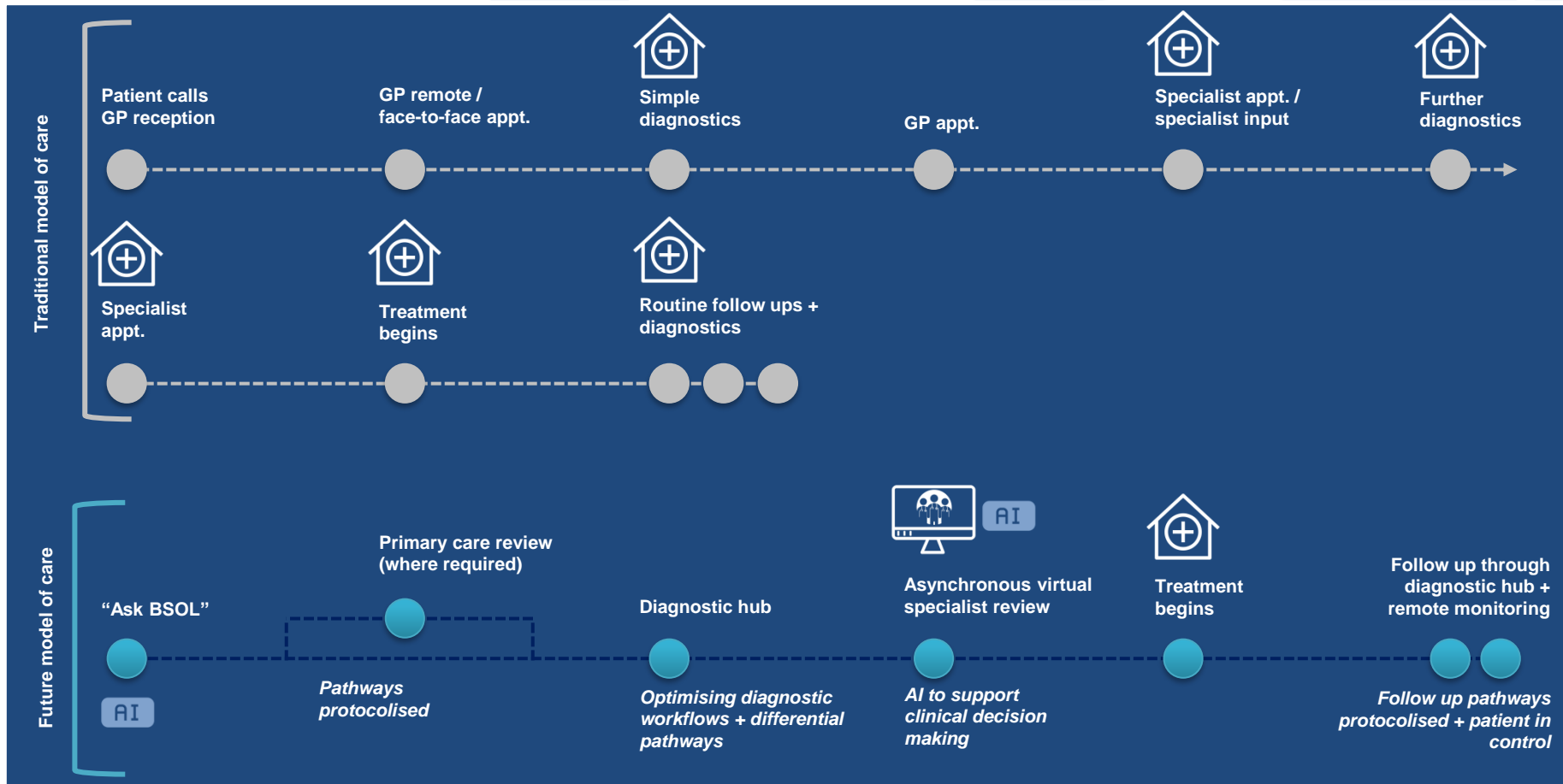


# Moving from service change to transformed healthcare

- Need to move away from just delivery of point solutions aimed at targeting discrete areas of clinical practice – in themselves, haven't fundamentally changed the model of care for patients
- Instead need to create ecosystem of transformation, changing paradigm of care delivery

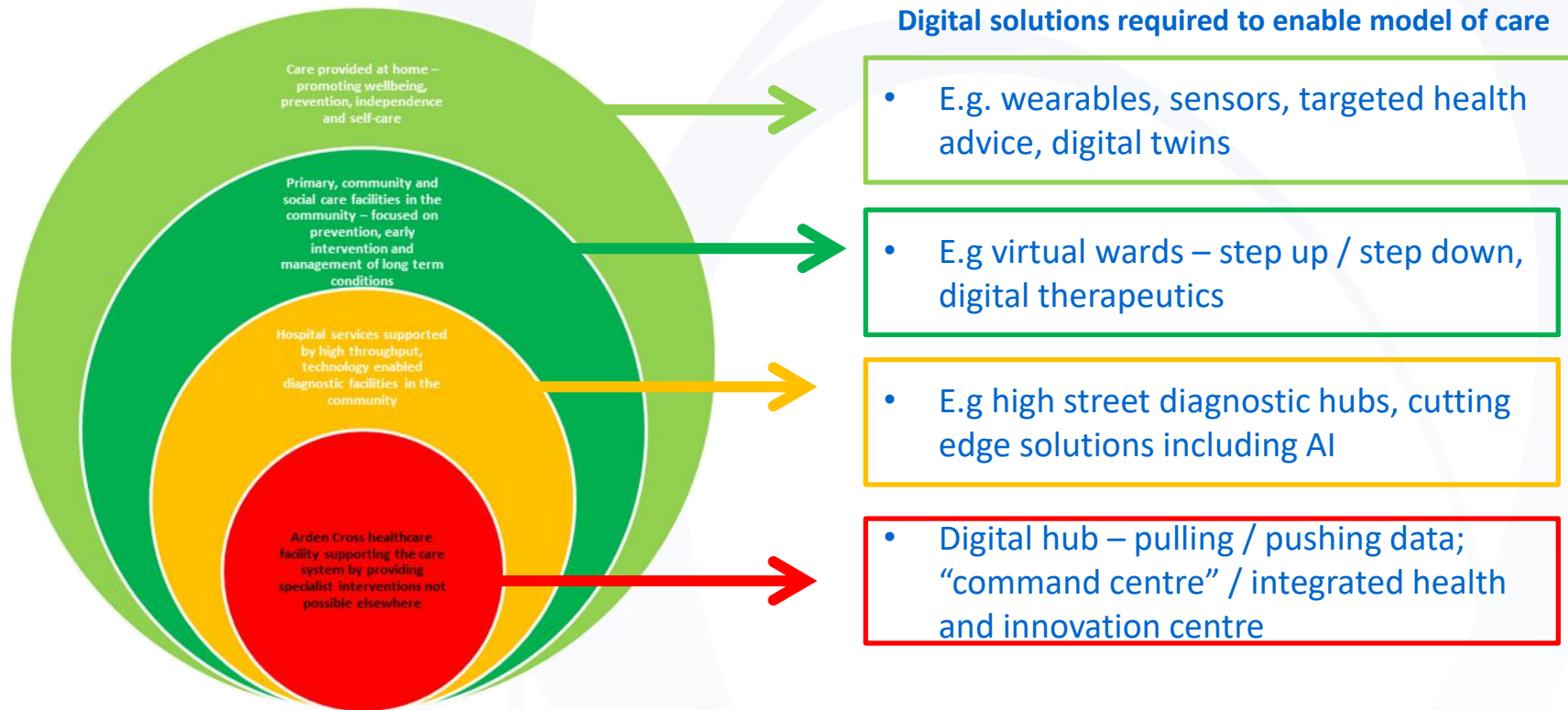
# Our Vision for a Technology Enabled Care Model







# Using our estate to enable new model of care



# How are we building this vision?

- Working in collaboration with our ICS partners, focussed on key test beds first e.g. Solihull
- Collaborating with some of the leading suppliers in the health tech industry – using our collective knowledge and expertise
- Identifying potential ways to “glue” point solutions together – looking for “super integrators”
- Continue to deliver value for patients and clinical teams in short to medium term, to demonstrate potential of digital transformation e.g. best of AI.