

Economic plan

This plan identifies the areas prioritised for economic modelling. The final analysis may differ from those described below. The rationale for any differences will be explained in the guideline.

1 Guideline

Home care: delivering personal care and practical support to older people living in their own homes.

2 List of modelling questions

Review questions by scope area	1.1, 1.2, 2.1, 2.2., 3.1, 3.2, 3.3 care planning approaches
Population	Older people living in their own home who use publicly funded social care
Interventions and comparators considered for inclusion	Services that were provided as part of a planned social care package including home care, personal assistant services, equipment and adaptations, meals on wheels, telecare; and the case management approach that had been applied. Marginal effects inferred in statistical analysis
Perspective	Publicly-funded healthcare and personal social services (NHS and local authorities)
Outcomes	Social care related quality of life measured via the Adult Social Care Outcomes Toolkit (ASCOT) and psychological wellbeing measured via the General Health Questionnaire (GHQ)
Type of analysis	Statistical modelling, cost effectiveness