

## Elevator speech

- The South West Stroke Project is improving outcomes for people in the South West Local Health Integration Network who have a stroke or TIA (transient ischemic attack).
- Phase I of this project is focusing on realigning inpatient acute and rehabilitative inpatient care from 28 hospital sites to 7 Designated Stroke Centres.
- Phase II of this project is creating recommendations to enhance care for people with stroke and TIA after they leave the hospital; this includes secondary stroke prevention, outpatient and community rehabilitation and stroke recovery services.