

NHS ENGLAND MODERNISING RADIOTHERAPY SERVICES PROPOSALS - IMPACT ON SATH





PROPOSED PROVIDER MODEL

Population	Cancer Sites Treated	Infrastructure
< 0.5 million	Common cancers: Breast, Urology, Colorectal, Lung	Satellite with services from larger provider
> 0.5 < 1.0 million	Common + less common cancers	Larger provider with subspecialist sites
Network population 3 – 6 million	+ Rare cancers	Lead provider with comprehensive services

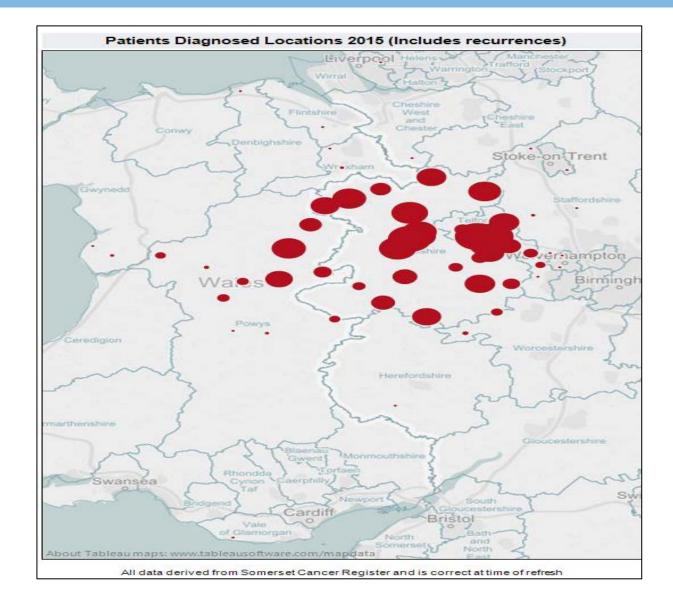


POPULATION

- SaTH's Radiotherapy population is **535,790**
 - 452,790 in England
 - 83,000 in Powys
- NHS England's figures only include the radiotherapy catchment population in England
- Unless the Powys population is taken into account SaTH would be down-graded to a satellite unit



LOCATIONS





LOCAL IMPACT

- SATH would lose less common cancers:
 - Increasing distance for patients to travel
 - Loss of expertise
 - Serious problems retaining and recruiting staff
 - Loss of activity of 4077* fractions per annum
 - Loss of income of £659,209* per annum
 - Loss of excellent reputation
 - Loss of clinical trials

*Data provided by Radiotherapy services

 Engagement with NHSE to ensure that SATH is recognised in the appropriate tier group to ensure provision of essential services locally.

