



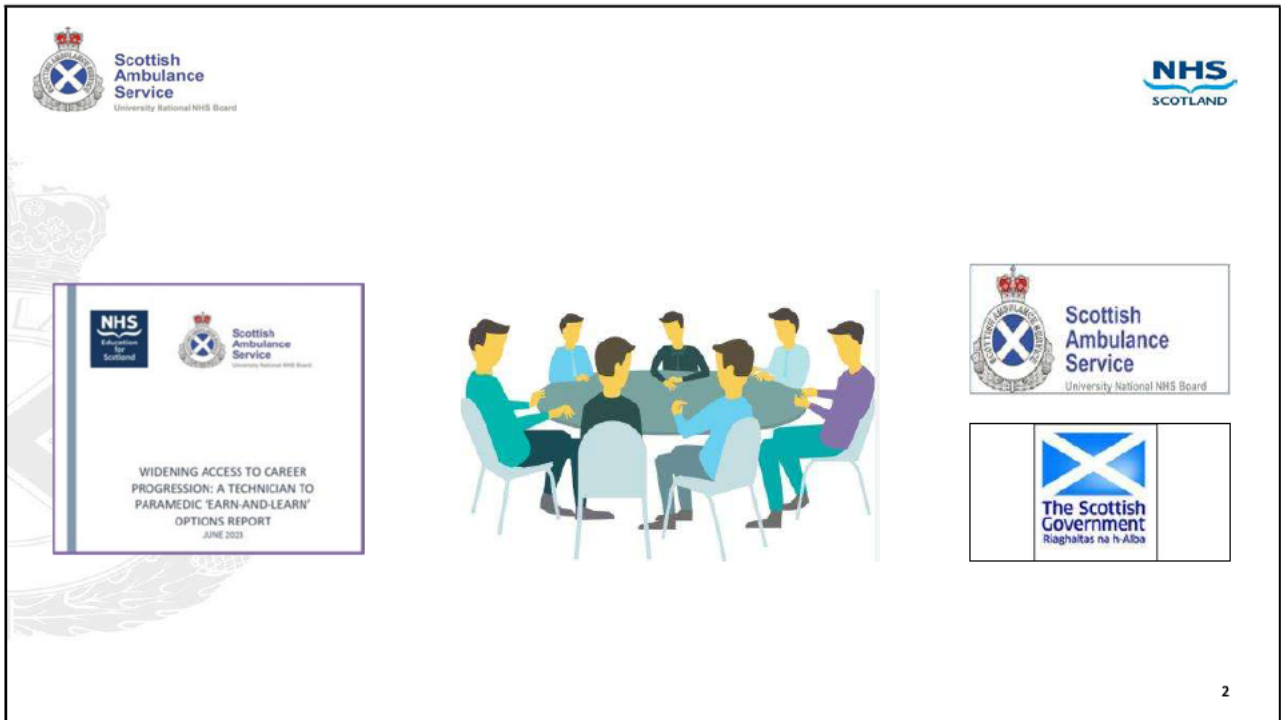
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## Tech to Para: SCoPE Update



Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2024



Background for those new to group

Dip HE expiry

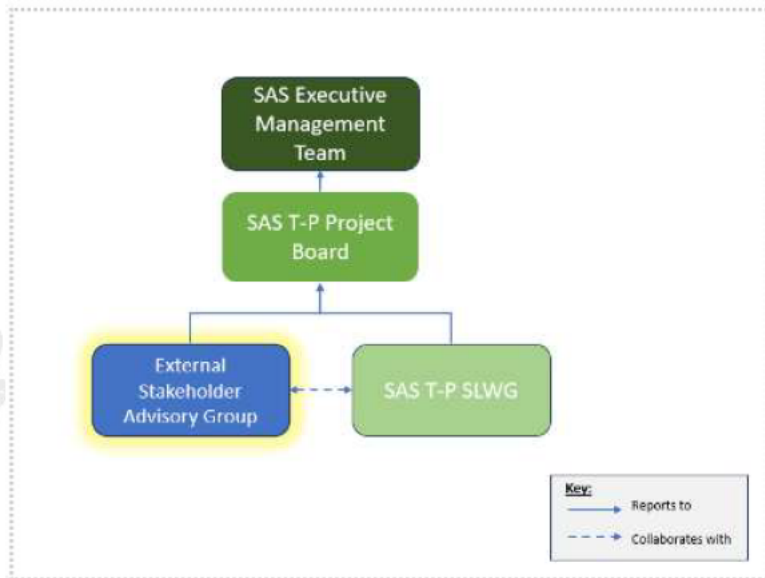
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Earn and learn solutions

Produced report landscape June

SG convo funding NSS PgMO support to start to develop BC

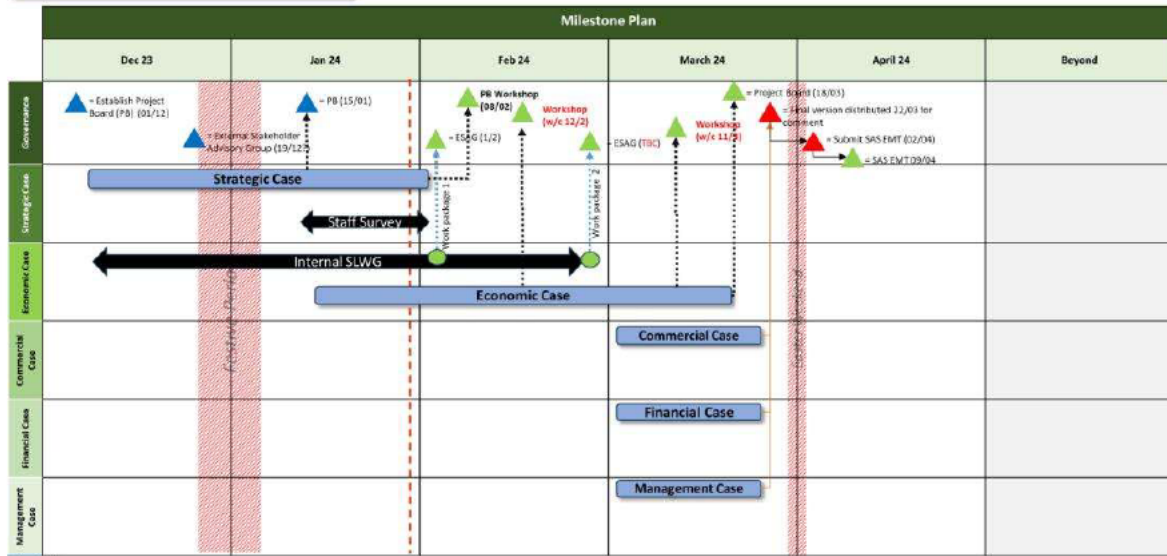
Funding November



### Governance structure

Working with relevant stakeholders /experts int and ext that might inform this work

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### Tight Timeframes

Destination of first phase of this project is SAS Board end of March - April



- Explore the 'Why'?
- Detailed Workforce data analysis
- Staff survey helping to inform
- F2F Workshop 8<sup>th</sup> February

Case for Change

Pull on paramedic workforce

Wider system implications

Current and future

Survey 1600 – over 900 responses

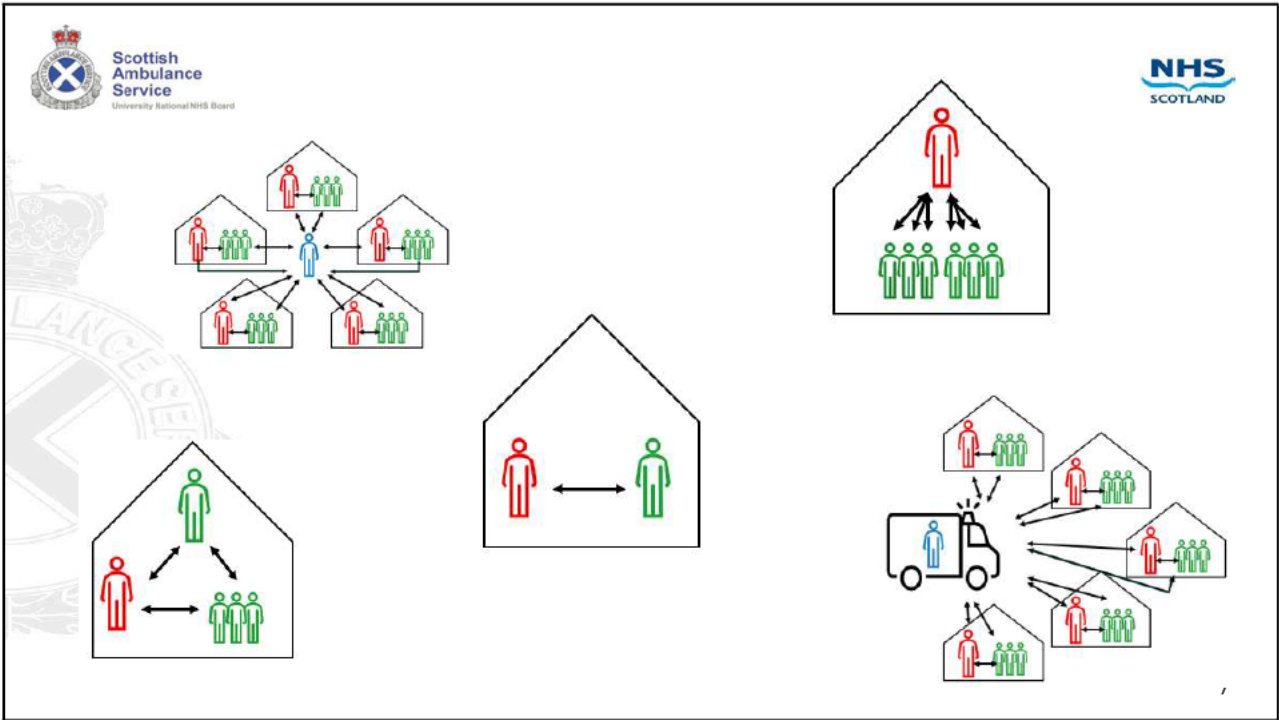
Feed into case for change

## Update on Economic Case



- Scoping out options to understand associated costs
- Determining Critical Success Factors
- Long list to short list to preferred option
- Practice placement arrangements

As per Milestone chart – underway and focus of this side is the options



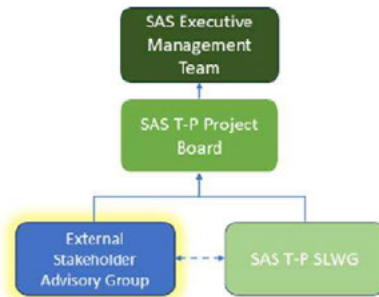
Conscious of placement arrangements and current BSc learners

1. Graduate Apprenticeship
2. Part Time Traditional Degree
3. Qualsafe/FutureQuals Provision
4. New Partnership Provision (Pathways 4.1/4.2/4.3/4.4)

- 4.1 \*3 year with degree award
- 4.2 \*3 year with **equivalency award**
- 4.3 \*\***FutureQuals** + 2 years to degree award
- 4.4 \*\***FutureQuals** + 2 years to **equivalency award**

**5. Open University**

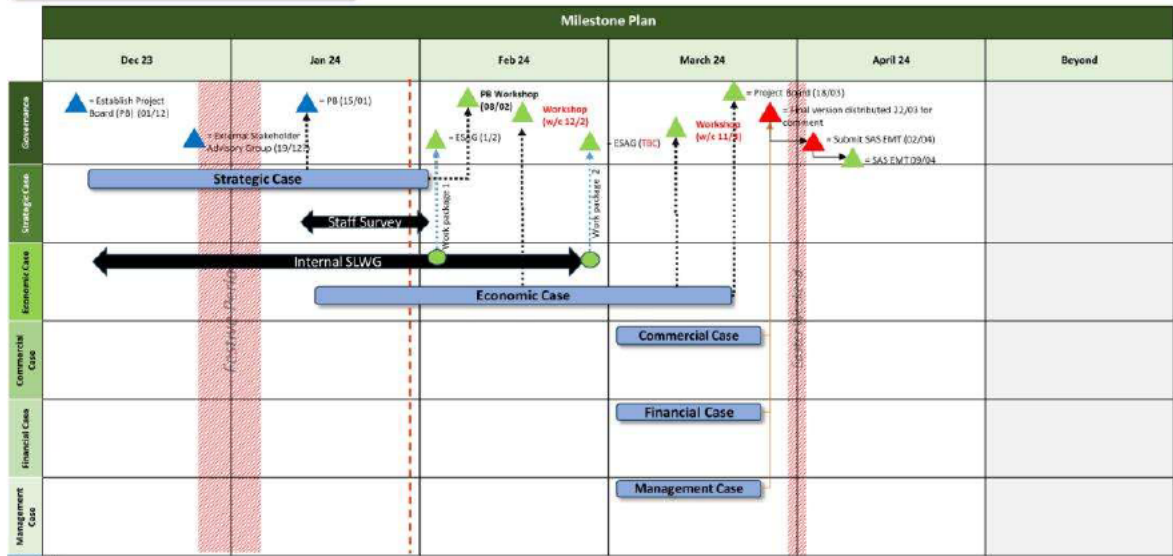
Long list of potential options from report



- Option overview
- Model:
  - Characteristics
  - Structure
  - Content
  - Placement arrangements
- Early SWOT analysis
- Cost assumptions

Paper to HCPC and CoP for feedback and I/P

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Destination for this work in first instance is SAS Exec Team – hopefully I can update on any progress from this later in the year



*Thank you*