

West Coast Partnership Development (WCPD) is the Shadow Operator for HS2, designing new high-speed services, as well as reshaping existing Avanti West Coast intercity services.

Our aim is of a service that sets new standards for customer experience in rail. We will deliver integrated, low-carbon, high-speed journeys that bring people and communities closer together, and become central to the country's economy.



# Our four key priorities

#### The best travel experience

We are aiming to deliver the best travel experience in Britain. We'll do this by keeping things simple, and prioritising our customers.

#### **Operational excellence**

From the first day of operation a service that works how it should, with journeys on time every time.

# Driven by our people

We are experienced and technically excellent, working together with a focus on our customer.

#### **Delivering together**

We have a collaborative, flexible and integrated approach to how we think and how we deliver.



# We believe that High Speed Services should be the best travel experience in Britain

**Our customer vision** is about delivering a seamless end-to-end journey, providing us and our partners with an aligned focus to keep customers at the heart of our decision making. This will span our work and play a major part in the planning process for our people, operations and customer experience.

#### Personalised journeys

We will know our customers and they'll be able to personalise their experience where possible.



## **Seamless integration**

Making transport integration to and from High Speed Services seamless and easy.



Deliver a service that strives for carbon neutrality.



# Simple, great value pricing

Using dynamic pricing to offer a simpler, more value for money approach.



# Faster journeys

Focus on the end-to-end journey,  $\qquad \qquad$  making it fast and effortless for customers.



Our designs ensure all customers have a comfortable journey.



# Reliable railway

The core offer should be consistently high quality and reliable.



## **Our remit**

Whilst adhering to the customer vision, our remit is to give recommendations to the Department for Transport on:

- Rolling stock design
- Customer proposition
- Customer and staff interface
- Fares
- Branding
- Future business structure
- Timetable



