

Item

**Adult Social Care
and Health Select
Committee**

13 March 2018

Update on Regional and Tees Valley Joint Health Scrutiny

Summary

The Committee are requested to consider an update on the work of the Tees Valley and Regional Joint Health Scrutiny Committee.

Detail

Tees Valley Joint Health Scrutiny Committee

1. Darlington Council is chairing and supporting the Committee during 2017-18. The next meeting is on 18 April.

Sustainability and Transformation Plan Joint Committee

2. Stockton BC continues to be represented on this Joint Committee that was originally set up to consider the Better Health Programme proposals. This statutory Joint Committee was formed by all seven affected Authorities (including North Yorkshire) in order to consider and respond to the planned consultation. These plans were subsequently incorporated into the regional Sustainability and Transformation Plan.
3. Minutes of the meeting in November 2017 are attached at Appendix 1. At the meeting the Committee was informed that the planned consultation relating to major hospital changes was not now due to go ahead in 2018. The next meeting on 17 January followed up on these issues. Public communication is being prepared to outline next steps.

North East Regional Health Scrutiny Committee

4. The Committee met on 15 February. The Committee was updated on the regional neonatal and vascular regional reviews, North East Ambulance Service Quality Account, and an update on community pharmacies.
5. Attached at Appendix 2 and 3 are the Ambulance Service presentations.

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