Adult, Health and Social Care Select Committee

Update to Executive Scrutiny Committee – 15 January 2007

Review of Alcohol Services

Update on Progress (including issues/problems/successes)

The Committee will finalise its report at the meeting on 7th January as the meeting on the 18th December was not quorate.

Timescale for Review

As a result of two extra meetings this review will be reported at the 17th January Cabinet and not the 20th December Cabinet as originally projected.

Next Review

The Committee was to develop the scope and project plan for its review of audiology services in the borough. This review has now been superseded by a Cabinet referral to review the information that is being used to determine the future outcome of Parkview Residential Home. The Committee's findings will be reported to Cabinet in March 2008.

Other Work

The Committee is to receive presentation/information from Carole Langrick, Director of Strategic Service Development regarding the current position of Momentum – pathways to healthcare (new hospital location and service provision) on 7th January 2008. The consultation period for the location of the new hospital site is being brought forward to June 2008 instead of January 2009.

The Committee will be consulted by the North Tees PCT and North Tees and Hartlepool Hospitals Trust in January / February regarding its submission to the Healthcare Commission's Annual Healthcheck.