

Adult, Health and Social Care Select Committee

Update to Executive Scrutiny Committee – 5 February 2008

Review of Parkview Care Home

The Committee will undertake a review of Parkview Care Home as a result of a referral by Cabinet.

The Select Committee's overall aim/ objectives in doing this work is:

To determine:

- The national and local policy framework around services for older people
- The factual issues around Parkview Care Home focusing particularly on the building, occupancy, care standards, financial information and staffing

Timescale for Review

Evidence gathering day - 14 February 2008

Site Visits - 18 February 2008 (Parkview; The Poplars, Thornaby; Aspen Gardens, Hardwick)

Finalise views – 25 February 2008

Report to Cabinet – 13 March 2008

Other Work

The Committee will be consulted by the North Tees PCT and North Tees and Hartlepool Hospitals Trust on 10 March 2008 regarding its submission to the Healthcare Commission's Annual Healthcheck.

The Committee needs to determine its involvement in ensuring Best Value of the procurement of a host organisation to deliver the Local Involvement Network (LINK) in Stockton Borough. This has arisen as a joint procurement process with other Tees Valley authorities could not be achieved because of differing requirements.