Health Select Committee

Update to Executive Scrutiny Committee

8 March 2011

EIT Programme

Update on Progress (including issues/ problems/ successes)

The officer-led Task and Finish Review of Adult Service Structures will be considered by the Committee. The options report was considered on 24 January.

Timescales

The Committee is due to consider the preferred options at the meeting of 8 March. The Select Committee will consider the scope of the Committee-led review of Mental Health and Learning Disability Services at the same meeting.

Monitoring

The latest quarterly monitoring was considered at the meeting of 21 February. The Alcohol review has now been fully 'signed off'.

Other Work

At the meeting on 21 February the Committee received an update on the Momentum programme, and also considered the priorities for inclusion in North Tees and Hartlepool's Foundation Trust's Quality Account. The draft Account will be published in mid-April and the Committee will work jointly with Stockton LINk in order to produce a statement for inclusion.

A further session will be organised in March in order to give a more detailed overview of the amended Outline Business Case for the Hospital element of the Momentum project in particular.

Regional review of the health needs of the ex-service community

The final report of the project as a whole was considered at a meeting of the Regional Joint Health Scrutiny Committee on 14 January. The report has made a number of recommendations for the region's Councils, NHS and a wide range of other organisations.

The report was considered and endorsed by Cabinet on 17 February. The report is also being considered by the all Councils in the region, and all other relevant organisations will be contacted for a response with a view to creating a regional action plan.