

**People Select Committee
Chair's Update – November 2017**

Scrutiny Review – Sickness Absence	
Achieved since last meeting	A summary of the evidence received as part of this review was considered at the last Committee meeting in October 2017. Additional information was noted around a TUC <i>Dying to Work</i> campaign which Members agreed to support, and discussions took place regarding access to support for staff and their families who have a relative with a terminal illness. Draft recommendations were subsequently formulated and agreed.
Problems or concerns	None.
Planned next month	A draft report will be considered at the next Committee meeting in November 2017, with the agreed final report being presented to Cabinet in December 2017.
On track – yes / no	Yes.

Scrutiny Review – Mental Health and Wellbeing including Suicide and Self-Harm	
Achieved since last meeting	This review was postponed and will resume later in 2017-2018.
Problems or concerns	None.
Planned next month	The previously agreed scope and plan for this review will be revisited to ensure it remains appropriate, and it is intended that this will be brought to Committee at the next meeting in November 2017. Some initial background information around this issue may also be considered.
On track – yes / no	Yes.

Overview / Performance and Quality Assurance	
Key Issues / Problems or concerns	None.
Requests for more information	-

Monitoring	
Key Issues / Problems or concerns	The Committee have not considered any monitoring updates since the last meeting. The next monitoring updates are scheduled for the December cycle of meetings.
Requests for more information	-

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Next Meeting
Monday 20 th November 2017 (1.30pm)