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Scrutiny Review - Gambling	
Achieved since last meeting	The scope for the review was agreed at the meeting in December. Members also received a presentation to set the scene for the review.
	The review will be considering the scope and impact of gambling, and gambling related harm in Stockton-on-Tees.
	The review will consider the licensing regime, government policy, local activity, harm prevention and treatment measures, and local views and perceptions including of young people.
Problems or concerns	None
Planned next month	Committee will be receiving evidence from a range of partners.
On track – yes / no	Yes.

Scrutiny Review – Adult	Care Management (Reporting-in Review)
Achieved since last meeting	This is an officer-led reporting-in review that will report in to the Committee at key stages.
	The Committee considered the scope of the review in December. It will examine three main areas to identify efficiencies: Assessment Process, Support Planning Process, and Client Financial Assessments.
	Lean reviews have taken place on these topics and the findings were reported to Committee in June. These reviews have supported the wider review of Adult Social Care structures that is being undertaken by the Director.
Problems or concerns	None
Planned next month	A wrap up report is planned for early 2018.
On track – yes / no	Yes

Scrutiny Review – Sustainability of the Care Market (Reporting-in Review)	
Achieved since last meeting	This is an officer-led reporting-in review that will report in to the Committee at key stages, with a focus on the development of the Five Lamps Home Care pilot project. An update outlining progress in setting up the service was presented

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	on 14 February.
Problems or concerns	None
Planned next month	The next more detailed update will be scheduled when the project is well established and information on outcomes is available for consideration.
On track – yes / no	Yes

Overview / Performance and Quality Assurance	
Key Issues / Problems or	North Tees and H'pool Trust Quality Accounts – Members have
concerns	been invited to the annual Quality Account market place event in February where various leads on services are available to talk about their service areas.
Requests for more information	Members have previously requested a visit to the new Drug Treatment service.

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NHS Updates / Consultations		
Key Issues / Problems or concerns	Better Health Programme –This programme of acute services reconfiguration is now a key part of the local Sustainability and Transformation Plan (STP).	
	The statutory Joint Committee has been formed by all seven affected Authorities (including North Yorkshire) in order to consider and respond to the consultation. In advance of the formal consultation, the Committee will be reviewing the public feedback to date, plans for consultation, and the development of the options appraisal process. The Committee is now named the STP Joint Health Scrutiny Committee.	
	This met on 8 November and local authority chief officers were invited to provide input. Concerns were expressed about engagement with local authorities and the impact on local planning.	
	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 will follow up on these issues.	
	National Review of Congenital Heart Disease	
	The new National Review included services for adults, and the services provided at Newcastle Hospitals Trust. The region's response to the consultation was submitted last year. Following decisions made by NHS England in November, Newcastle upon Tyne Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust to provide level 1 CHD services (including surgery) until at least March 2021, with further consideration to be given, by NHS England, to the future	

service and its level 1 CHD service.

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	Stockton Health Centre (Tithebarn) Registered Patient GP Service
	The Committee was updated in November that all patients have reregistered or been allocated to an alternative Practice following the closure of Tithebarn.
	NHS Commissioned Learning Disability and Complex Needs Respite Services Review
	The CCG's are due to make a decision on 1 February.
	The Joint Committee has responded to the proposals on behalf of the four affected Local Authorities, and meet to consider the final decision on 1 February.
Requests for more information	None

Regional Health Committees	
Key Issues / Problems or concerns	Tees Valley Committee – Darlington Council are hosting during 2017-18. The last meeting was on 19 January and was due to consider an update on the remedial work to Roseberry Park hospital. Regional Committee – This Committee is chaired by Hartlepool in 2017-18, and is next to meet on 15 February.
Requests for more information	None.

Monitoring	
Key Issues / Problems or concerns	In December progress reports were considered on Access to Services for people with Learning Disabilities and/or Autism, Licensing and Public Health, and Home Care.
Requests for more information	Further details were requested on Practices who had received training on patients with learning disabilities, and the delay in identifying clinical leads.

Next Meeting	
13 February 2018 4pm	