

Adult Social Care and Health Select Committee Chair's Update – September 2018

Scrutiny Review – Gambling	
Achieved since last meeting	<p>The review is considering the scope and impact of gambling, and gambling related harm in Stockton-on-Tees.</p> <p>Members heard from GamCare (via videolink) and NECA a north east based treatment organisation in July.</p> <p>A range of views have been sought from other stakeholders with submissions made by trade associations, and local community service providers.</p> <p>The summary of evidence was due to be considered on 11 September, together with any outstanding feedback.</p>
Problems or concerns	None
Planned next month	Members will be considering the draft final report.
On track – yes / no	Yes. The Cabinet reporting date is now in November.

Scrutiny Review – Homelessness in Vulnerable Groups	
Achieved since last meeting	The scope was due for agreement at the meeting on 11 September.
Problems or concerns	None
Planned next month	The Committee will begin to take evidence in October.
On track – yes / no	Yes.

Reporting-in Reviews – Food Hygiene	
Planned next month	The Committee will consider this issue at the meeting on 2 October.
On track – yes / no	Yes.

Reporting-in Reviews – Water Safety	
Planned next month	The Committee is due to consider this issue in October.
On track – yes / no	Yes.

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Overview / Performance and Quality Assurance	
Key Issues / Problems or concerns	<p>CQC Report Updates – These continue to be considered on a quarterly basis.</p> <p>Healthwatch - Annual Report and Enter and View Report on Arrival Practice is due to be considered in September.</p>
Requests for more information	A new schedule of frontline visits is being drawn up (including visits associated with the Homelessness review).

NHS Updates / Consultations	
Key Issues / Problems or concerns	<p>Sustainability and Transformation Plan (STP)</p> <p>The statutory Joint Committee has been formed by all seven affected Authorities (including North Yorkshire) in order to consider proposals emanating from the STP/ Integrated Care System process.</p> <p>The previous proposals related to the Better Health Programme will not now be taken forward, and the Committee is pressing for updated public communications and progress on alternatives from the region's NHS.</p> <p>Local hospital Trusts have appointed Ian Carruthers to examine more</p> <p>Tees Respite and Short Breaks Review</p> <p>Middlesbrough and Redcar and Cleveland Councils have made referrals to the Secretary of State on this matter. Any future changes to services will be monitored by Tees Valley Committee following the completion of the referral process.</p>
Requests for more information	None

Regional Health Committees	
Key Issues / Problems or concerns	<p>Tees Valley Committee – Stockton BC will be chairing and supporting this Committee during 2018-19 under the rotational arrangements. The Committee agreed to establish a Task and Finish Group to consider the impact on services and patients of the remedial works at Roseberry Park. This will meet in September.</p> <p>Regional Committee – This Committee is now chaired by South Tyneside Council for 2018-19. The next meeting was due on 7 September.</p>

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Requests for more information	None.
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Monitoring	
Key Issues / Problems or concerns	No updates have been considered since previous meeting.
Requests for more information	

Next Meeting	
2 October 2018 4pm	