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

Scrutiny Review – Gambling	
Achieved since last meeting	The review final report is due to be considered on 16 October.
Problems or concerns	None
Planned next month	-
On track – yes / no	Yes. The Cabinet reporting date is November.

Scrutiny Review – Homeles	ssness in Vulnerable Groups
Achieved since last meeting	The scope was due for agreement at the meeting on 11 September.
	A presentation was provided on the background to the review at the Committee's meeting in October.
Problems or concerns	None
Planned next month	The Committee will begin to take evidence from commissioned providers and partners.
On track – yes / no	Yes.

Reporting-in Reviews – Fo	ood Hygiene
Planned next month	The Committee considered this report at the meeting on 2 October. Members were updated on the work of the service, food hygiene ratings, and the proactive trading services provided to local businesses.
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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Key Issues / Problems or concerns	CQC Report Updates – These continue to be considered on a quarterly basis. The CQC have been invited to attend November's meeting to provide their annual update. Healthwatch - Annual Report and Enter and View Report on Arrival Practice were considered in September.
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	Sustainability and Transformation Plan (STP) / Integrated Care System (ICS)
	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.
	The previous proposals related to the Better Health Programme will not now be taken forward, and the Committee is pressing for updated pubic communications and progress on alternatives from the region's NHS.
	Information on new approaches to engagement were outlined at September's meeting.
	Local hospital Trusts have appointed Ian Carruthers to examine more options for collaboration. More information on this has been requested from the Foundation Trust Chief Executives in November.
	Tees Respite and Short Breaks Review
	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.
	Birchtree Practice
	On 2 October the CCG updated the Committee on the decision to close the specialist Birchtree Practice. This provides primary medical care for people receiving substance misuse treatment (substance misuse services will continue to be provided by the CGL service).
Requests for more information	The Committee requested further updates on the implementation of the changes at Birchtree and will monitor these in due course.

**Regional Health Committees** 

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Key Issues / Problems or concerns	<b>Tees Valley Committee</b> – Stockton BC will be chairing and supporting this Committee during 2018-19 under the rotational arrangements.
	September's meeting considered updates on GP numbers, CCG finances, and urgent care. Further information on primary care sustainability and CCG finances was requested for the new year.
	The Committee also agreed to establish a Task and Finish Group to consider the impact on services and patients of the remedial works at Roseberry Park.
	<b>Regional Committee</b> – This Committee is now chaired by South Tyneside Council for 2018-19. The meeting on 7 September agreed to consider further the issue of NHS interpretation and translation services
Requests for more information	None.

Monitoring	
Key Issues / Problems or	No updates have been considered since previous meeting.
concerns	
Requests for more information	

Next Meeting
6 November 2018 4pm