

<b>HEALTH SCRUTINY PANEL</b>
<b>28 MAY 2014</b>
<b>WORK PROGRAMME 2014/15</b>
<b>REPORT OF HEAD OF DEMOCRATIC SERVICES</b>

**1. Purpose**

- 1.1 To consider the Panel's work programme for 2014/15, based on areas of work identified by the Panel at previous meetings and any further suggestions raised at this meeting.

**2. Action required**

- 2.1 The Panel is asked to note the work that is currently planned for municipal year 2014/15 and make amendments to this programme if considered appropriate.

**3. Background information**

- 3.1 The Health Scrutiny Panel is responsible for carrying out the overview and scrutiny role and responsibilities for health and social care matters and for exercising the Council's statutory role in scrutinising health services for the City. The terms of reference for the Panel is included elsewhere on this agenda.
- 3.2 The Panel is responsible for determining its own work programme to fulfil its terms of reference. The work programme is attached at Appendix 1.
- 3.3 The work programme is intended to be flexible so that issues which arise as the year progresses can be considered appropriately. This is likely to include consultations from health service providers about substantial variations and developments in health services that the Panel has statutory responsibilities in relation to.
- 3.4 Where there are a number of potential items that could be scrutinised in a given year, consideration of what represents the highest priority or area of risk will assist with work programme planning. Changes and/or additions to the work programme will need to take account of the resources available to the Panel.
- 3.5 Councillors are reminded of their statutory responsibilities as follows:

While a 'substantial variation or development' of health services is not defined in Regulations, a key feature is that there is a major change to services experienced by patients and future patients. Proposals may

range from changes that affect a small group of people within a small geographical area to major reconfigurations of specialist services involving significant numbers of patients across a wide area.

This Panel has statutory responsibilities in relation to substantial variations and developments in health services set out in legislation and associated regulations and guidance. These are to consider the following matters in relation to any substantial variations or developments that impact upon those in receipt of services:

- (a) Whether, as a statutory body, the relevant Overview and Scrutiny Committee has been properly consulted within the consultation process;
- (b) Whether, in developing the proposals for service changes, the health body concerned has taken into account the public interest through appropriate patient and public involvement and consultation;
- (c) Whether a proposal for changes is in the interests of the local health service.

Councillors should bear these matters in mind when considering proposals.

- 3.6 Nottingham City and Nottinghamshire County Councils have established a Joint Health Scrutiny Committee which is responsible for scrutinising decisions made by NHS organisations, together with reviewing other health issues that impact on services accessed by both City and County residents.

#### **4. List of attached information**

- 4.1 The following information can be found in the appendix to this report:

**Appendix 1 – Health Scrutiny Panel 2014/15 Work Programme**

#### **5. Background papers, other than published works or those disclosing exempt or confidential information**

None

#### **6. Published documents referred to in compiling this report**

None

7. **Wards affected**

All

8. **Contact information**

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### Health Scrutiny Panel 2014/15 Work Programme

<p><b>28 May 2014</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> <p>• <b>Nottingham CityCare Partnership Quality Account 2013/14</b>            To consider the draft Quality Account 2013/14 and decide if the Panel wishes to submit a comment for inclusion in the Account  <span style="float: right;">(Nottingham CityCare Partnership)</span></p> </li> <li> <p>• <b>Adult Integrated Care</b>            To review progress in the Adult Integrated Care Programme  <span style="float: right;">(lead – Nottingham City CCG)</span></p> </li> <li> <p>• <b>Health Scrutiny, Healthwatch and Health and Wellbeing Board Working Agreement</b>            To agree a protocol guiding the relationship between health scrutiny, Healthwatch Nottingham and Nottingham City Health and Wellbeing Board</p> </li> <li> <p>• <b>Walk In Centres</b>            To consider the outcomes of consultation and engagement carried out in relation to remodelling Walk-in Centres/ development of an Urgent Care Centre and next steps in development of the proposals  <span style="float: right;">(Nottingham City CCG)</span></p> </li> <li> <p>• <b>GP Practice Change - The Practice Nirmala</b>            To consider proposals to close The Practice Nirmala  <span style="float: right;">(NHS England Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire Area Team)</span></p> </li> <li> <p>• <b>GP Practice Change - Merger of Boulevard Medical Centre and Beechdale Surgery</b>            To consider proposals to merge Boulevard Practice and Beechdale Practice  <span style="float: right;">(NHS England Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire Area Team)</span></p> </li> </ul>
<p><b>30 July 2014</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> <p>• <b>Discussion with Portfolio Holder for Adults and Health/ Chair of the Health and Wellbeing Board</b>            To consider the Portfolio Holder for Adults and Health's work over the last year and progress in delivery of</p> </li> </ul>

	<p>objectives relating to health and adult social care; current areas of work; and priorities and plans for 2014/15. (Nottingham City Council)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> <b>Healthwatch Nottingham Annual Report</b>            To receive, and give consideration to the Annual Report of Healthwatch Nottingham (Healthwatch Nottingham)         </li> <li> <b>Integration of Public Health within Nottingham City Council</b>            One year on, to review the integration of public health within the Council, including how the Public Health Grant is used to address wider determinants of health. (Nottingham City Council)         </li> <li> <b>Transfer of health visiting commissioning (tbc)</b>            To consider plans for the transfer of health visiting commissioning responsibilities to the City (Nottingham City Council)         </li> </ul>
<b>24 September 2014</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> <b>NHS Health Check Programme</b>            To review performance of the NHS Health Check Programme and progress in access for individuals not registered with a GP (Nottingham City Council)         </li> </ul>
<b>26 November 2014</b>	
<b>28 January 2015</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> <b>Nottingham CityCare Partnership Quality Account 2014/15</b>            To consider performance against priorities for 2014/15 and development of priorities for 2015/16 (Nottingham CityCare Partnership)         </li> </ul>
<b>25 March 2015</b>	

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**To schedule**

- Implications of the Care Act for the Council
- Implications of the Cavendish Review (review of healthcare assistants and support workers in NHS and social care) for Nottingham
- Transition between CAMHS and adult mental health services
- School nurse service
- Implementation of Strategy to Reduce Avoidable Injuries in Children and Young People
- Findings of the Strategic Review of the Care Home Sector
- The strategic response to health inequalities/ to what extent is the JHWS supporting a reduction in health inequalities?
- How is public health contributing to progress with carbon emission reductions, energy savings and sustainable development?
- Sex and Relationships Education in schools

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- Service user experience of care at home services (autumn 2014)

**Items to be scheduled for 2015/16**

**May 2015**

CityCare Partnership Quality Account 2014/15