

CUMBRIA HEALTH SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Meeting date: 22 May 2019

From: Policy and Scrutiny Team

COMMITTEE BRIEFING REPORT

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 This report updates the Committee on developments in health scrutiny, the Committee's Work Programme and monitoring of actions not covered elsewhere on the Committee's agenda.

2.0 ISSUES FOR SCRUTINY

The Committee are asked to:

- (i) Receive an update on the Joint Cumbria and Lancashire Health Scrutiny Committee
- (ii) Consider the appointment of a Joint Health Scrutiny Committee for the whole Lancashire and South Cumbria Integrated Care System
- (iii) Update from the Joint Health and Adults Scrutiny Advisory Group.
- (iv) Review the existing Work Programme.

3.0 UPDATES

Joint Cumbria and Lancashire Health Scrutiny Committee

- 3.1 A meeting of the Joint Cumbria and Lancashire Health Scrutiny Committee took place on the 26th March 2019.
- 3.2 A Chair of the Committee could not be appointed as the meeting was not quorate. Members agreed Cllr Wilson to Chair what was an informal meeting of the Committee.
- 3.3 Aaron Cummins introduced the Better Care Together Work Programme item which includes their plans for the coming year, and gave a summary of the planned projects for 2019/20.
- 3.4 Members and Officers had a discussion about the various projects, of which the key points were:
 - Recognising the importance of linking both physical and mental health to achieve health outcomes

- Working with partners on public engagement methods, with the aim of achieving a citizens jury
 - Promoting the community approach to health and the value of the third sector in making connections in the community for individuals
 - Digital transformation is underpinning a lot of changes and want to get better at sharing the stories of what is being achieved
 - Recognition that issues with stroke services need to be addressed
- 3.5 It was agreed that the next steps for the work programme of the Joint Health Scrutiny Board focus on the following:
- Community beds
 - Ophthalmology
 - ENT
- 3.6 The next meeting will take place in late June/early July 2019, prior to which work will be undertaken with Lancashire Councillors to ensure attendance
- 3.7 For clarification the existing Committee only scrutinises changes to Health Services for the Morecambe Bay area, the subsequent section briefs Members on arrangements being put in place for the whole of Lancashire and South Cumbria.

The appointment of a Joint Health Scrutiny Committee for the Lancashire and South Cumbria Integrated Care System

- 3.8 Lancashire County Council is taking the lead on establishing the Joint Committee. At this stage it has been agreed that the Chair of the Cumbria Health Scrutiny Committee attend the Steering Group which is developing the terms of reference. This has yet to meet due to the local elections but is expected to be convened imminently.

Joint Health and Adults Scrutiny Advisory Group.

- 3.9 The Joint Advisory Group met on the 28th February and focused on Population Health Management Models being developed in the North and South Systems
- 3.10 It made the following recommendations:
- Consideration of the resources required to enable communities to engage in the co-production of services to be undertaken within both System Leadership Boards.
 - Information and data from Social Care to be incorporated in the Population Health Management System (Radar) in North Cumbria
 - Examples and Case Studies of mobilised communities across both systems working in and with Integrated Care Communities which have led to tangible outputs to be shared with Members.
 - Importance of 'Activated Communities & Individuals' to be included in the 'Improving health and wellbeing throughout the life-course' section of the draft Health and Well Being Strategy.

- Findings of the Population Health Management Accelerator Programme pilot in Barrow to be reported back to the Cumbria Health Scrutiny Committee.

Group Meeting Date	Topic
13 th June	Health and Care System Plans for the North and South

4.0 WORK PROGRAMME

- 4.1 The Committee's work programme is attached at Appendix 1 for the Committee to consider and review.

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Appendices

Appendix 1 - Work Programme

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