

Overview and Scrutiny Work Programme 2020-2021

Scrutiny Committee				
Month	Education and Children's Services	External	Health	Internal
June			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Update from the ICS on NHS Cells for Lancashire and digital and engagement with local people. Temporary changes to clinical services across the ICS during the COVID-19 pandemic 	
July	Response to the COVID 19 pandemic in Lancashire - perceptions of the experiences of children and young people, and headlines from the operation of service during the COVID-19 emergency period.	Strengthening flood risk management and preparedness		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> RIPA annual report The impact of Covid 19 on county council services Highways – challenges faced following pandemic and resuming 'normal' work programmes
September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Education: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What powers do we have as a county council/what can we do to support schools and parents. - Position update on the wider reopening of schools Schools Causing Concern Task Group report – response to recommendations SEND Ofsted inspection report Review of work programme 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adult social care – winter preparations (Supporting the social care sector including domiciliary care workers) NHS 111 First (tbc) 	Covid 19 – what comes next? Including building pan-Lancashire working and Democratic involvement in resilience forums and maintaining democratic leadership during a crisis

	October	Children's Social Care - protecting vulnerable/valuable children – plans in place to manage spikes in referrals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Universal credit • Decarbonisation pathway – Lancashire, Electricity North West (tbc) 		
Month	November	Education – digital poverty, lesson learned and preparation for 2 nd wave/local lockdowns. Digital aspirational views – turning challenge into opportunity.		Suicide prevention in Lancashire	<p>Speeding Traffic and the lack of enforcement</p> <p>Scrutiny of the Council's response to the Government's call for local councils to invest in street safety</p>
	December	Impact of the pandemic on children and young people's mental health – plans in place to support and an update on CAMHS including managing increase in contacts, anxiety of YP on return to school and availability of more online support		Housing with Care and Support Strategy 2018-2025	
	January	Early Years sector – impact on private providers supporting vulnerable children and families (include update on the EY Strategy and School Improvement Model)	Strengthening flood risk management and preparedness – update on implementing recommendations.		Youth Employment and Skills – impact on youth as one of the hardest hit groups during the pandemic (consideration to be given to which scrutiny committee will be most relevant to consider this topic)
	February	Lancashire schools attainment update report (standing item)			

	March	**Family Safeguarding Model – update on implementation of model in Oct/Nov 2020			
	April	**Health and Medicines in Schools: Progress update on the task group work Childhood immunisation programme 0-19 Healthy Child programme			
Other Topics	Topics from work programmes 2019/20 not scheduled	Participation strategy update Road safety Independent children's homes Getting to Good plan update NEET Child poverty – pupil premium and effects on education Lancashire Breaktime SEN equipment in schools School transport Maintained nurseries update Parking at schools	Lancashire energy strategy Review of Community Safety Partnerships and governance arrangements (2021 tbc) Greater Lancashire plan LCC Carbon Plan/Internal Energy and Water Management Policy LEP – response to the pandemic – economic recovery plan incorporating 'green' principles Impact of pandemic on road safety and lessons learnt	Urgent Mental Health Pathway Transforming Care (Calderstones) Social Prescribing Cessation of the Lancashire Wellbeing Service Tackling period poverty Delayed transfers of care Stroke Programme Vascular, head and neck Review of Primary Care Networks and Neighbourhoods Transforming hospital services and care for people in Southport, Formby & West Lancs Disabled Facilities Grants	Local Government Funding and Income Generation Task Group Update on Reducing Single Use Plastics in Lancashire

**suggested topics for further discussion