

Health and Adult Services Scrutiny Committee

Work Programme 2022-23

The Health and Adult Services Scrutiny Committee Work Programme details the planned activity to be undertaken over the forthcoming municipal year.

The Health and Adult Services Scrutiny Committee has the responsibility to review and scrutinise any matter relating to the planning, provision and operation of the health service in the area, and to review and scrutinise county council Adult Services and Public Health. In addition, the Committee has statutory responsibility for the scrutiny of NHS proposals for a substantial development or variation relating to both adults and children's health in Lancashire. Accordingly, the work of the Health and Adult Services Scrutiny Committee will focus on the following areas:

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- Adult Services
- Public Health
- Functions in relation to the Scrutiny of NHS services as set out in the NHS Act 2012

The programme is determined by the Committee following a planning session at the start of the municipal year. This includes provision for the rights of county councillors to ask for any matter to be considered by the committee.

Coordination of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee programmes is undertaken by the Scrutiny Management Board. This is in line with the Overview and Scrutiny Committees' Terms of Reference, as set out in the county council's [Constitution](#) (Part 2 Article 5).

Cabinet Members

The Cabinet Member portfolios aligned to the Health and Adult Services Scrutiny Committee's responsibilities are:

[County Councillor Graham Gooch](#) – Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care

[County Councillor Michael Green](#) – Cabinet Member for Health and Wellbeing

The areas of responsibility for each Cabinet Member are set out at [Appendix A – Scheme of Delegation to Cabinet Members](#) to the county council's constitution.

Health and Adult Services Scrutiny Committee Programme 2022-23

Committee Meeting Schedule							
Scrutiny Activity	13/7/22 <small>(informal session)</small>	21/9/22	2/11/22	14/12/22	1/2/23	22/3/23	3/5/23
LCC Service Area Report to Committee		LCC Public Health transformation – health protection post covid	Adult Services – Social Care Reforms and impact on demand and market	Adult Services - Integrated neighbourhood working-challenges and opportunities	Public Health - Happier Minds – challenges, step up, step down services, aftercare	Workforce - Combined report from Health Education England/NHS/ Adult Services Staffing resource challenges & new ways of working across ASC and NHS	Public Health – wider determinants (housing, climate change, pollution etc)
NHS Report to Committee		New Hospitals Programme Update Report		Strengthening community services - VCFS confidence in supporting services. Expanding virtual wards.	Community Mental Health Transformation Programme Update Report	HEE – workforce challenges and opportunities New Hospitals Programme Update Report	Health and Care Act – integration of services with the ICS. Measurement of quality and VFM on service provision contracts.
Short Scrutiny (Rapporteur) Review Update							
Other Scrutiny Review Update	Service Area Update						
Cabinet Member	Portfolio Update	Health and Wellbeing Portfolio	Adult Services Portfolio	Adult Services Portfolio	Health and Wellbeing Portfolio	Adult Services Portfolio	

Health and Adult Services Scrutiny Steering Group Work Programme 2022/23

	Meeting Schedule							
Scrutiny Activity	29/6/22	6/9/22	12/10/22	23/11/22	18/1/23	1/3/23	19/4/23	24/5/23
LCC Service Area Reports	Disabled Facilities Grants	Public Health – mental health key challenges and opportunities Continuing Healthcare update	ASC Winter Plan 2022/23	Public Health – Healthier Hearts (health checks)	Health and Care Act – scrutiny process changes update	Liberty Protection Safeguards?		
Annual Reports (Quality reports etc)						Quality Accounts	Quality Accounts	Quality Accounts
NHS New Service Briefings	LSC Pathology Collaboration Update		LSC Pathology Collaboration Update	Shaping Care Together Update (tbc)	Shaping Care Together Update (tbc)			
NHS Existing Service Area Updates	North Mersey Hyper Acute Stroke Services		Healthcare Flow– wait list, intermediate care, ambulance service, virtual wards (respiratory)	Do Not Resuscitate Orders and People with Learning Disabilities	East Lancs Hospital Trust good practice - community services, virtual wards, intermediate care			
Other	ToR update	Champion for Mental Health – update from CC Morris	Blackpool Victoria Hospital – CQC inspection	CQC framework and readiness for inspection				