

Health Scrutiny Committee – 2015/2016 Work Plan

Updated – 15 March 2016

Health Scrutiny Committee	
Date	Topic
2 June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> North West Ambulance Service
15 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prevention – to focus on falls, care homes 'no lift' policies and the role of CQC regarding those policies. What LCC and partners can do to address the issues
1 September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Joint Working – fragmented commissioning amongst partners. To use mental health commissioning as the example. To include how partners share information and intelligence.
13 October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Access to Services – using services for deaf people as an example and a comparison between rural and urban areas
24 November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health & Wellbeing Board update Healthwatch update
26 January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transforming care for adults with learning disabilities

15 March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Director of Public Health – update on the latest developments relevant to Public Health
26 April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Better Care Fund • Update on year's topics

Steering Group		Progress
CQC/Monitor inspections – ongoing review	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A review of the inspection process undertaken by CQC and Monitor in relation to Acute Trusts 	22.6.15 – met with CQC Inspection Manager to determine the process/management of an actual inspection
Non-Executive Directors – ongoing review	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An investigation into the role, responsibilities and effectiveness on Non-Executive Directors on Acute Trust Boards 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 22.6.15 – agreed dates to attend individual Trust Board meetings • ELHT Board attended by CC Brindle • Meeting to be arranged with TDA officers – 5 October • SOHT Board attended by CC Holgate – 7 October • LTHT Board attended by CC Holgate – 11 November
End of year HSC report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An annual report highlighting the work and outcomes of the Committee 	
Healthwatch – joint working	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consideration of how the Committee and Healthwatch can work in partnership to achieve shared outcomes 	Healthwatch Chief Executive invited to SG 26 October. Follow up with attendance at Committee - 24 November

Additional topics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inclusion and Disability Service – at the request of the Budget Scrutiny Working Group 	tba
	Occupational Therapy - capacity and collaborative working	Meeting to be arranged with OT service managers for both adults and children's services
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Commissioning of Health Visitors from October 2015 	Meeting to be arranged with Mike Leaf
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintaining oversight of Healthier Lancashire 	Met with Sam Nicol 26 October. BSB 2 December.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lancashire Teaching Hospitals Trust <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Your Hospital, Your Health – review of clinical strategies and hospital estate ○ Financial situation following investigation by Monitor 	Attended SG on 13 July. BSB delivered 17 November
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Southport & Ormskirk Hospital Trust – action plan following CQC inspection 	Attended SG on 3 August. CC Hennessey and Cllr Liz Savage also in attendance.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAMHS review for Health & Wellbeing Board 	Officers to be invited to a SG meeting in the Autumn to provide an update - tba
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Falls Prevention – role of care homes 	Meeting with Paul Simic, Chief Executive of the Lancashire Care Association arranged for 5 October
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GP recruitment/vacancies 	CSR/GP CCG undertaking a 'Workforce for the Future' project. Meeting to discuss to be arranged for 16 November.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SOHT – retendering of Community Services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Officers from WLCCG to be invited to 	

		<p>meet with Steering Group. (7 December)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Progress meeting arranged for 7 March to update SG
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commissioning Support Unit 	<p>Meeting with Lynda and Maureen Harrison from CSU to discuss delivery of support in Lancashire – 18 January</p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rosendale Task Group report on NWAS 	<p>Cllr Barbara Ashworth at Pat Couch to present final report 16 November</p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mental Health services 	<p>Julie Dockerty and Jon Blackburn attended SG on 8 Feb</p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adults with Learning Disabilities 	<p>Following on from Committee on 26 Jan SG met with Maria Howard (ELCCG) on 8 Feb to discuss commissioning of community based services for adults with learning disabilities</p>

Task Groups:

- Shortage of Nurses – request presented to Scrutiny Committee 13 November. Approved.