

Meeting of the Full Council - 14 October 2021

Report on the Health Scrutiny Committee meeting held on 14 September 2021

Chair: County Councillor David Westley

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Mental Health Integrated Community Care Transformation (MHICC)

The report presented updated the committee on the strategic outline for the Community Mental Health Transformation Programme. It set out to:

- Provide information on the Community Mental Health Framework for Adults and Older Adults' and the ambition for an enhanced place-based community mental health model.
- Describe the aims for this programme in more detail and the engagement process that will be followed.
- Provide an overview of the plan and roll out including the governance for the Community Mental Health Transformation programme.

Resolved: That

- i. The report and next steps of the MHICC Transformation Programme, as presented, be noted;
- ii. Representatives from the Lancashire and South Cumbria NHS Foundation Trust be asked to provide another update to the committee at a later date; and
- iii. County council officers be asked to prepare a briefing note for the committee on the support provided to the MHICC Transformation Programme by the county council to date.

Lancashire & South Cumbria Pathology Collaboration Update

The report was provided to update members about the planned formation of a single pathology service for Lancashire and South Cumbria by 2023. The information provided served to give an overview of the rationale for change, benefits, associated workstreams and timescales.

Resolved: That

- i) The report and timescales involved in the programme of work, as presented, be noted;
- ii) The changes were not considered to cause substantial variation to services for Lancashire's residents; and
- iii) A further report would be received by the Health Scrutiny Steering Group in 12 months' time to provide an update on progress and assurance that the programme of work remained on track.