

Health Scrutiny Committee – 2015/2016 Work Plan

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 – screening programmes (overall performance and what more can be done) to include an update on Health Checks
1 September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Joint Working – fragmented commissioning amongst partners. To use mental health commissioning as the example
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"> Annual Complaint and Compliments report Health & Wellbeing Board update Healthwatch update
26 January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Self-Care – health literacy, the role of education and possible engagement with Youth Council – using diabetes as an example

15 March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assets – role of assets re social isolation, volunteers, facilities, groups etc. Also challenges of named GPs for over 75s (and how they might identify social isolation and signpost)
26 April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health Inequalities – using adults with learning disabilities as the example. Cross cutting theme with access to services and joint working
Steering Group	
CQC/Monitor inspections	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A review of the inspection process undertaken by CQC and Monitor in relation to Acute Trusts
Non-Executive Directors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An investigation into the role, responsibilities and effectiveness on Non-Executive Directors on Acute Trust Boards
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
Additional topics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inclusion and Disability Service – at the request of the Budget Scrutiny Working Group • Occupational Therapy - capacity and collaborative working • Commissioning of Health Visitors from October 2015 • Maintaining oversight of Healthier Lancashire