

Adult Care and Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee Tuesday 21st January 2020

REPORT TITLE:	POOLED FUND ARRANGEMENTS 2020/21 SCRUTINY REPORT
REPORT OF:	HEAD OF INTELLIGENCE (STATUTORY SCRUTINY OFFICER) BUSINESS SERVICES

REPORT SUMMARY

This report provides feedback from the Adult Care and Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee workshop held on 30th October 2019. The workshop was convened to allow Members to undertake pre-decision scrutiny on the integrated partnership proposals regarding the section 75 funding arrangements for the period of April 2020 to March 2021.

RECOMMENDATION/S

Members are requested to approve this report and request that the Joint Strategic Commissioning Board consider this report as part of its process of decision-making regarding the pooled fund arrangements for 2020/21.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

1.0 REASON/S FOR RECOMMENDATION/S

1.1 To enable the comments of Overview and Scrutiny Committee Members to be considered as part of the decision-making process for the pooled funding arrangements for 2020/21.

2.0 OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED

2.1 Not Applicable

3.0 BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- 3.1 As part of the Adult Care and Health Overview & Scrutiny Committee work programme, it was agreed by the Chair and Party Spokespersons that a Member workshop be convened to consider the developing pooled funding arrangements for 2020/21.
- 3.2 The agreed workshop also served to honour the recommendations agreed by Council in 2018/19 in relation to the need for 'improved and early dissemination of information to Elected Members' regarding pooled fund arrangements.
- 3.3 An all-Member workshop held on 30th October 2019 aimed to illustrate the proposed pooled funding arrangements for April 2020 to March 2021, enable scrutiny of these arrangements and ensure that Members questions were fully responded to. In turn, it was anticipated that this workshop would contribute to more transparent working arrangements with commissioners of local health and care services.

4.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 4.1 Not Applicable
- 5.0 LEGAL IMPLICATIONS
- 5.1 Not Applicable
- 6.0 RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS: ICT, STAFFING AND ASSETS
- 6.1 Not Applicable
- 7.0 RELEVANT RISKS
- 7.1 Not Applicable
- 8.0 ENGAGEMENT/CONSULTATION
- 8.1 Not Applicable
- 9.0 EQUALITY IMPLICATIONS

9.1 There are no direct equality implications of this report.

10.0 ENVIRONMENT AND CLIMATE IMPLICATIONS

10.1 Not Applicable

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APPENDICES:

Appendix 1: Pooled Funding Arrangements 2020/21 Scrutiny Report

BACKGROUND PAPERS

SUBJECT HISTORY (last 3 years)

Council Meeting						Date		
Adult	Care	and	Health	Overview	&	Scrutiny	27 th November 2018	
Committee								
Council						10 th December 2018		
Adult	Care	and	Health	Overview	&	Scrutiny	29 th January 2019	
Committee								