

## CABINET – 26 NOVEMBER 2009

Resolution of minute 206 - Change Options

**Resolved - That in respect of:**

- (1) Supported Living: Further work be carried out on the realignment of the staffing structure to achieve efficiencies to bring costs in line with those in the independent sector. The realignment must take account of the Consultation feedback. Following that realignment, a further proposal be put before the Cabinet regarding the future of this service;**
- (2) Mapleholme: The 'Take a Break' scheme be extended to all people who use the respite service at Mapleholme. The relocation of the service be deferred until a decision is reached regarding the provision of Intermediate Care;**
- (3) Meadowcroft: Some bed capacity be retained at Meadowcroft and its focus be incrementally changed from bed based to community based services, whilst further work is undertaken to develop robust alternatives for respite and intermediate care services;**
- (4) Fernleigh: A report from NHS Wirral be requested, to inform Members of progress being made in the review of the service currently provided at Fernleigh;**
- (5) Officers be thanked for their hard work on change options;**
- (6) Residential Care: People who currently live in these units be enabled to access alternative accommodation, preferably in their own tenancies. At the same time, the staffing structure be realigned to reflect these changes;**
- (7) Dementia Care: A future report be presented to the Cabinet to update it on the progress of the Commissioning Strategy for Dementia Care; and**
- (8) Day Services: A feasibility study be undertaken into the creation of a LATC.**