

UPDATE ON WORK PROGRAM : HEALTH AND WELLBEING OSC-
08/09/09

New Reports to assist in monitoring the Committee's work programme

It was agreed by the Scrutiny Chairs Group in September 2008 to use the following reports to monitor the work programme for each Scrutiny Committee. The last item on each Scrutiny Committee agenda should be 'Review of the Committee Work Programme'.

Report 1 - Monitoring Report for Scrutiny Committee Work Programme

This report will list all items that have been selected by the Committee for inclusion on the work programme for the current year.

It will also include items, such as previous Panel Reviews, where recommendations have been made to Cabinet. It is important that the implementation of these recommendations is monitored. Otherwise there is no measure of the success of scrutiny.

For each item on the work programme, the report will give a description, an indication of how the item will be dealt with, a relative timescale for the work and brief comments on progress.

Report 2 - Suggestions for Additions to Work Programme

The Work Programme for the Committee should be reviewed at each meeting. This will include members having the opportunity to ask for new Items to be added to the programme. This report will list any newly suggested items. Committee will then have the opportunity to agree (or not) for them to be added to the programme.

Report 3 - Proposed Outline Meeting Schedule for the Municipal Year

The report will, for each scheduled Committee meeting, list those items which are likely to be on the meeting agenda. This will give the opportunity for Committee members to take a greater lead in organising their work programme.

Report 4 - Progress Report on In-Depth Panel Reviews

This report will give a very brief update on progress / timescales for in-depth panel reviews which are in the 'ownership' of the Committee.

REPORT 1
MONITORING REPORT FOR SCRUTINY COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME
HEALTH AND WELLBEING SCRUTINY COMMITTEE : 2009 / 2010

Date of New item	Topic Description	How the topic will be dealt with	Estimated Complete Date	Comments on Progress	Complete?
Feb 2008	Hospital Discharge Review	Panel Review	Report due March 2009	Final report presented to Committee on 25 th March 2009. Recommendations to be monitored. Initial Action Plan due in April 09. Follow-up report due in Nov 09.	
July 2008	Transforming Adult Social Care	Officer reports		Report to Committee 2nd Sept 08 and 24th Nov 08. Subsequent reports to follow. Call-In meeting held on 4 th Dec 08. Further report to meeting on 22 June 2009.	
July 2008	Update on Wirral Respond & Convey Pilot (NW Ambulance service)	Officer Report		Report to Committee 2nd Oct 08 Visit to Emergency Control Centre to be arranged (delayed at present).	
July 2008	Alcohol services, including geographical differentiations in the borough	Initial officer report which may lead into an 'in depth' panel review.		Report to Committee 24th Nov 08. Possible future scrutiny review.	
July 2008	Update on Children's Transition to Adult Social Services	Initial officer report. Children's Services Scrutiny Committee has also requested a similar report in Jan 09. A joint panel review involving both committees may follow.		Report to Committee in Jan 09. Follow-up report due in January 2010.	
July 2008	Review of Meals on Wheels contract	Officer report		Report to committee in Nov 08. Agreed for further report to Committee in approx one year's time. Follow-up report to Sept 09 meeting.	

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July 2008	Reducing health Inequalities in the borough Health Inequalities Action Plan – A recommendation in the Action Plan reads: “Ensure that Scrutiny has a programme to monitor progress on the Health Inequalities Action Plan, and that this programme includes a focus on the preventative agenda as well as on health service delivery.	Officer reports		Presentations to Committee on 20th Jan 09, 25th March 09 and 8 th Sept 09.	
Sept 2008	Individual Budgets	Officer report		Report to Committee in Nov 08. Report back on pilot project due in Sept 09.	
Sept 2008	IDeA Healthy Communities Peer Review	Officer Report		Report to Committee 2nd Oct 2008. Subsequent reports to follow.	
Oct 2008	Reform of funding for Support & Care in Britain	Officer Report		Report to Committee in Nov 08. Further report due to a future meeting.	
Jan 2008	Possible presentation by Professor Ken Wilson - Hospital Readmissions and depression	Presentation to Committee			
Jan 2008	Public Interest Disclosure Act – Adult Social Services follow-up of PIDA disclosure	Officer Report			
March 2009	Homelessness and Health	???			
March 2009	Support for people with dementia in hospital and in the community	Panel Review	March 2010		
March 2009	Update report on ‘Valuing People Now’ and Wirral Learning Disability Partnership Board	Officer Report		Report to Committee in June 2009. Further report due to a future meeting.	
March 2009	LINKs – How is LINKs progressing and how can the Scrutiny Committee best work with LINKs	Joint meeting			
March 2009	Dignity in Care	Officer Report			
June 2009	Members training session on Departmental Structure and Service Provision	Training session			

REPORT 2
SUGGESTIONS FOR ADDITIONS TO WORK PROGRAMME
HEALTH AND WELLBEING SCRUTINY COMMITTEE : 08/09/09

Topic Description	Topic suggested by	How the topic will be dealt with	Estimated Completion Date
Follow-up report on the 'Out of Hospital' scheme operated by VCAW	Ann Bridson		
'Transition from Children's to Adult Social Services' – possible review to include meetings with young people who have moved through the transition and some who do not get support as adults	Ann Bridson		
Issues relating to Scrutiny Programme Board	Ann Bridson		

REPORT 3
PROPOSED OUTLINE MEETING SCHEDULE FOR THE MUNICIPAL YEAR
HEALTH AND WELLBEING SCRUTINY COMMITTEE : 2009 / 2010

Meeting Date	Topic Description
22/06/09	Transforming Adult Social services - Update Valuing People Now – Implementation LINKs Annual report Hospital Discharge Action Plan – Progress report Process and Outcomes of the ‘Warrens’ consultation Committee Work Programme for 2009 / 10
08/09/09	Transforming Adult Social services - Update North West Ambulance Service – Presentation Meals on Wheels – Progress report Strategy for Carers Individual Budgets Q1 Performance and Financial Monitoring Report Health Inequalities Dignity in Care Update on Swine flu Adult Social Services Charging Policy for Service Users Residing at ‘In House’ Supported Living Units (PIDA) - Update to be confirmed.
10/11/09	Hospital Discharge Action Plan – Update Performance and Financial Monitoring Report Progress report from Dementia Scrutiny Panel Additional Co-opted members

Meeting Date	Topic Description
19/01/10	Update on Children's Transition to Adult Social Services Performance and Financial Monitoring Report
25/03/10	Final report from Dementia Scrutiny Panel Performance and Financial Monitoring Report Joint 'End of Winter' report on hospital admissions (WUHT / Wirral NHS / Social Services) Annual Health Check

REPORT 4
PROGRESS REPORT ON IN-DEPTH PANEL REVIEWS
HEALTH & WELLBEING SCRUTINY COMMITTEE : 08/09/09

Title of Review	Members of Panel	Progress to Date	Date Due to report to Committee
Dementia	Councillors Ann Bridson (Chair) Sheila Clarke Denise Roberts Chris Teggin	Scope agreed. Planning of review is ongoing. 'Evidence' gathering meetings have commenced.	March 2010