



Health Select Committee

Wednesday, 17 February 2010 at 7.00 pm
Committee Rooms 1 and 2, Brent Town Hall, Forty Lane, Wembley, HA9 9HD

Membership:

Members

Councillors:

Leaman (Chair)
Crane (Vice-Chair)
Baker
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Mrs Fernandes
Jackson
R Moher

first alternates

Councillors:

Castle
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Tancred
Mistry
Ms Shaw
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Agenda

Introductions, if appropriate.

Apologies for absence and clarification of alternate members

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1 Declarations of personal and prejudicial interests	
Members are invited to declare at this stage of the meeting, any relevant financial or other interest in the items on this agenda.	
2 Minutes of the previous meetings - 9 December 2009 and 7 January 2010	1 - 10
3 Matters arising (if any)	
4 Deputations (if any)	
5 Access to Health Sites Scrutiny Review Recommendation Follow Up	11 - 30
This report updates the Health Select Committee on the progress made in implementing the recommendations from the Access to Health Sites Task Group.	
6 Brent's Childhood Obesity Treatment Programme	31 - 36
This report, as requested by the Health Select Committee in December 2009, provides information on the MEND Childhood Obesity Programme and the progress which has been made in reducing childhood obesity.	
7 Improving GP Access Update	37 - 42
The Health Select Committee has asked to be kept informed on the work that NHS Brent is doing to improve access to GP services in the borough. NHS Brent has provided a report on this, which includes the results of the 1st and 2nd quarter GP access survey results for 2009/10. As of this year, satisfaction with GP access will be surveyed quarterly rather than annually.	
8 Smoking Cessation Service Performance Update	43 - 48
The Health Select Committee has asked NHS Brent to provide a quarterly update on the performance of the smoking cessation service. The update is attached at appendix 1.	

9 Stag Lane Clinic 49 - 52

The Health Select Committee had asked for an update on GP services in Kingsbury following discussions on the Stag Lane Clinic. NHS Brent has provided a brief statement setting out the latest position with Stag Lane (see appendix 1).

10 Public Consultation on Paediatric Services Update 53 - 58

The Health Select Committee has asked for an update on the consultation taking place on paediatric services provided by North West London NHS Hospitals Trust. Members will recall that at the special meeting of the Health Select Committee held on the 7th January 2010, Members made a number of recommendations relating to the public consultation. Following that meeting Councillor Chris Leaman wrote to NHS Brent and North West London NHS Hospitals setting out those recommendations (see appendix 1).

David Cheeseman, Director of Strategy at North West London NHS Hospitals, has responded to the letter (see appendix 2). As the committee asked for an update on the progress of the consultation, it has been agreed with the chair that this will be done verbally at the meeting. This is so the latest position with regards to this work can be reported on the day of the meeting.

11 Health Select Committee Work Programme 59 - 72

This report sets out a list of items for inclusion in the Health Select Committee work programme in 2009/10.

12 Any Other Urgent Business

Notice of items to be raised under this heading must be given in writing to the Democratic Services Manager or his representative before the meeting in accordance with Standing Order 64.

13 Date of Next Meeting

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