

	Community Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee 30 January 2019
	Report from the Director of Performance, Policy and Partnerships
Community and Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee Work Programme 2018-19 Update	

Wards Affected:	All
Key or Non-Key Decision:	Non-key
Open or Part/Fully Exempt:	Open
No. of Appendices:	None
Background Papers:	None
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1.0 Purpose of the Report

- 1.1 This report updates members on the committee's work programme for 2018/19 and captures scrutiny activity which has taken place outside of its meetings.

2.0 Recommendations

- 2.1 Members of the committee to discuss and note the contents of the report, including updates about scrutiny issues outside of the work programme.
- 2.2 Members of the committee to note the changes to the committee's work programme for 2018/19 as set out in Appendix 1.

3.0 Detail

- 3.1 Members of the Community and Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee discussed their work programme for 2018/19 earlier this year, which is published as Appendix 1. The programme sets out what items will be heard at committee and which items will be looked at as task groups. However, the assumption made was that

it would evolve according to the needs of the committee, and spare capacity would be left to look at issues as they arise.

- 3.2 For practical reasons it may be necessary to move items to be heard at a particular committee. In addition, members and co-opted members can at any time suggest an item to be looked at by committee, which provided it is agreed by the chair, would mean the work programme changes. A change to the agenda for 17 April 2019 is that the item on new accommodation for independent living (NAIL) will now be discussed as part of Budget scrutiny led by the Resources and Public Realm Scrutiny Committee. Instead, there will now be a report on the Adult B Safeguarding Adult Review which will be overseen by the Independent Chair of the Brent Safeguarding Adult Board. To simplify the work programme and allow more time to be spent on in-depth discussion of fewer items, it has been suggested that items are moved from 2018/19 into the work programme for the next municipal year as Appendix 1 sets out.
- 3.3 Members of the committee noted that London North West Healthcare NHS Trust, which oversees Northwick Park and Central Middlesex Hospitals, received a Requires Improvement rating from the Care Quality Commission in a report which was published in August 2018. In response a special committee meeting was organised for 13 December 2018 to discuss the report.
- 3.4 The members' task group reviewing contextual safeguarding is now completing its work. The Chair of the task group, Councillor Hylton, will make a full report back to the committee on 18 March 2019 after the feedback report at the committee meeting on 30 January 2019.
- 3.5 Members of the committee asked for an update about progress with actions around public health set out in the Air Quality Action Plan 2017-2022. This information will be given in the update report to committee on 18 March 2019.

4.0 Financial Implications

- 4.1 There are no financial implications arising from this report.

5.0 Legal Implications

- 5.1 There are no legal implications arising from this report.

6.0 Equality Implications

- 6.1 There are no equality implications arising from this report.

7.0 Consultation with Ward Members and Stakeholders

- 7.1 Ward members who are members of the committee have been involved in this report.

Report sign-off

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