



**Community and Wellbeing Scrutiny
Committee**
9 July 2019

**Report from the Assistant Chief
Executive**

Update: Scrutiny Committee Work Programme 2019-2020

Wards Affected:	All
Key or Non-Key Decision:	Non-key
Open or Part/Fully Exempt:	Open
No. of Appendices:	1
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 2019/20 and captures scrutiny activity which has taken place outside of its meetings.

2.0 Recommendation(s)

2.1 Committee to discuss and note the contents of the report, including updates about scrutiny issues outside of the work programme.

3.0 Detail

3.1 The scrutiny committee's work programme sets out the policy areas and decision-making, which are the responsibilities of the Cabinet, that the committee will review and scrutinise during the municipal year. It also states the scrutiny task groups which it will set up as in-depth reviews. The committee's work plan for 2019/2020 is set out in Appendix 1. A scrutiny committee's work plan may change during the municipal year as new issues arise and items are added. An assumption of the work programme is that it will evolve according to the needs of the committee, and spare capacity would be left to look at new issues. In addition, for practical reasons it may be necessary to move items to be heard at a particular committee date.

- 3.2 As part of its remit set out in the constitution, the Community and Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee can scrutinise, and make recommendations, to NHS organisations. It reviews the provision and operation of health services in the borough and can make reports or recommendations to NHS bodies or Full Council.
- 3.3 There have been two meetings of the committee since the Annual Council Meeting. On 9 May there was a call-in by non-executive members of a decision by the Cabinet of approval to establish an Alternative Provision Free School with Integrated Youth Offer from the Roundwood Youth Centre. The scrutiny committee agreed that it did not wish to refer the decision back to Cabinet. The second meeting of the scrutiny committee was on 11 June, at which the committee discussed a report on the findings and recommendations of the Adult B Safeguarding Adult Review (SAR). The committee made two recommendations to the Cabinet on the basis of the discussion and report.
- 3.4 On 21 June there was a meeting of the North West London Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee which was attended by Cllr Ketan Sheth as Brent Council's representative on the joint committee. The meeting focused on a discussion document, published on 28 May 2019 by the North West London Collaboration of Clinical Commissioning Groups, which proposes the merger of the eight clinical commissioning groups in North West London by April 2020, and creating a single clinical commissioning group for north-west London. As a result of the meeting, members of the joint committee are considering organising a separate meeting to discuss an expected updated version of the proposal document. This issue is on the work plan of the Community and Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee for 4 September 2019.
- 3.5 The committee has responded to the 2018/2019 Quality Accounts of Imperial Healthcare NHS Trust, and London North West Hospitals NHS Trust. These are expected to be published later in the summer.

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 committee members will review this report.

REPORT SIGN-OFF

Peter Gadsdon
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Appendix 1: Community and Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee Work Programme 2019-20

Tuesday 9 July 2019

Report	Cabinet Member/s	Strategic Director/s	External	Cabinet Forward Plan Item	School Education Item	Health/NHS Item **
1. Substance Misuse: Treatment, Recovery and Wellbeing Service	Cllr Krupesh Hirani, Lead Member for Public Health, Culture and Leisure	Dr Melanie Smith, Director of Public Health		No	No	No
2. Palliative and End of Life Care	Cllr Harbi Farah, Lead Member for Adult Social Care		Brent Clinical Commissioning Group	No	No	Yes
3. Urgent Care Centre, Central Middlesex Hospital	Cllr Harbi Farah, Lead Member for Adult Social Care		Brent Clinical Commissioning Group	No	No	Yes
4. Childhood Obesity: Members' Task Group Scoping Paper	Cllr Krupesh Hirani, Lead Member for Public Health, Culture and Leisure	Dr Melanie Smith, Director of Public Health		No	No	Yes

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Wednesday 4 September 2019

Report	Cabinet Member/s	Strategic Director/s	External	Cabinet Forward Plan Item	School Education Item	Health/NHS Item **
1.Home Care Re-commissioning	Cllr Harbi Farah, Lead Member for Adult Social Care	Phil Porter, Strategic Director Community Wellbeing		Yes	No	No
2. Proposal for Single North West London CCG	Cllr Harbi Farah, Lead Member for Adult Social Care		Brent Clinical Commissioning Group	No	No	Yes

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Wednesday 27 November 2019

Report	Cabinet Member/s	Strategic Director/s	External	Cabinet Forward Plan Item	School Education Item	Health/NHS Item **
1. Brent Safeguarding Adults' Board Annual Report	Cllr Harbi Farah, Lead Member for Adult Social Care	Phil Porter, Strategic Director Community Wellbeing	Independent Chair, Brent Safeguarding Adults' Board	No	No	No
2. Peer Review: Adult Safeguarding	Cllr Harbi Farah, Lead Member for Adult Social Care	Phil Porter, Strategic Director Community Wellbeing	Independent Chair, Brent Safeguarding Adults' Board	No	No	No
3. Brent Local Safeguarding Children Board Annual Report	Cllr Mili Patel, Children's Safeguarding, Early Help and Social Care	Gail Tolley, Strategic Director Children and Young People	Independent Chair, Brent Local Safeguarding Children Board	No	No	No
4. Overview and Scrutiny Task Group Report: Childhood Obesity	Cllr Krupesh Hirani, Lead Member for Public Health, Culture and Leisure	Dr Melanie Smith, Director of Public Health		No	No	Yes

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Tuesday 4 February 2020

Report	Cabinet Member/s	Strategic Director/s	External	Cabinet Forward Plan Item	School Education Item	Health/NHS Item **
1. Single Homeless Prevention Service	Cllr Eleanor Southwood, Lead Member for Housing and Welfare Reform	Phil Porter, Strategic Director Community Wellbeing		No	No	No
2. Brent Council Housing Management Services	Cllr Eleanor Southwood, Lead Member for Housing and Welfare Reform	Phil Porter, Strategic Director Community Wellbeing		No	No	No
3. Brent Council Housing Repairs	Cllr Eleanor Southwood, Lead Member for Housing and Welfare Reform	Phil Porter, Strategic Director Community Wellbeing		No	No	No

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Monday 16 March 2020

Report	Cabinet Member/s	Strategic Director/s	External	Cabinet Forward Plan Item	School Education Item	Health/NHS Item **
1. Early Intervention to Reduce Youth Crime	Cllr Mili Patel, Children's Safeguarding, Early Help and Social Care	Gail Tolley, Strategic Director Children and Young People		No	No	No
2. Contextual Safeguarding Task Group: One-Year Update	Cllr Mili Patel, Children's Safeguarding, Early Help and Social Care	Gail Tolley, Strategic Director Children and Young People	Independent Chair, Brent Local Safeguarding Children Board	No	No	No

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Wednesday 22 April 2020

Report	Cabinet Member/s	Strategic Director/s	External	Cabinet Forward Plan Item	School Education Item	Health/NHS Item **
1. School Standards and Achievement Report 2018-19, including Achievement of Boys of Black Caribbean Heritage	Cllr Amer Agha, Lead Member for Schools, Employment and Skills	Gail Tolley, Strategic Director Children and Young People		No	Yes	No

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