Health & Adult Social Care Scrutiny Panel

DATE 24th July 2024

REPORT OF Assistant Chief Executive

SUBJECT Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Panel Work

Programme 2024/25

STATUS OPEN

CONTRIBUTION TO OUR AIM

The scrutiny panels act as a reviewing mechanism for decisions made relating to the strategic policy, performance and resources required to deliver the ambitions of the Council and its key partnerships. The aim of the scrutiny process is to make sure decision making is robust by providing constructive challenge. This contributes to the Council being effective and efficient, and therefore it is integral to the delivery of the Council Priorities.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report reflects work undertaken by the Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Panel; within the panel's terms of reference, to identify topics to be included in the 2024/25 work programme. The panel is asked to agree the work programme.

1. BACKGROUND AND ISSUES

The appendix to this report summarises the suggested work programme and the panel's likely timetable of activities during 2024/25 to undertake this work. The report will be a live document and progress on each of the work programme items will be monitored throughout the year.

In addition to the work programme items, there will be the opportunity for members to identify agenda items from the forward plan, the Council's quarterly performance and resources report (with a focus on those issues relevant to the remit of the panel) and the tracking of its recommendations. The panel may also respond to issues of public concern.

Members are asked to consider and agree the work programme for the ensuing municipal year.

The panel may also consider any issues it may wish to remove or add to this year's work programme.

2. RISKS AND OPPORTUNITIES

Any actions which the council may undertake as a result of recommendations made by scrutiny will be the subject of further reports, which will include risk assessment(s) by the author(s) concerned.

3. REPUTATION AND COMMUNICATIONS CONSIDERATIONS

The work programme demonstrates the breadth of matters considered by scrutiny.

4. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

There are no financial considerations included within this report.

5. CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE IMPLICATIONS

There are no impacts on children and young people as a direct result of this report. Any actions which the council may undertake as a result of recommendations made by scrutiny will be the subject of further reports, which will include children and young people implications by the author(s) concerned.

6. CLIMATE CHANGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no impacts on climate change and the environment as a direct result of this report. Any actions which the council may undertake as a result of recommendations made by scrutiny will be the subject of further reports, which will include climate change and environmental implications by the author(s) concerned.

7. MONITORING COMMENTS

In the opinion of the author, this report does not contain recommended changes to policy or resources (people, finance or physical assets). As a result, no monitoring comments have been sought from the Council's Monitoring Officer (Chief Legal Officer), Section 151 Officer (Director of Finance) or Strategic Workforce Lead.

8. WARD IMPLICATIONS

May impact on all wards

9. BACKGROUND PAPERS

Annual report of scrutiny 2022/23 Panel tracking reports

10. CONTACT OFFICER(S)

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PROPOSAL FOR ITEMS UNDER CONSIDERATION: Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Panel 2024/25

AGENDA ITEMS	24 th July	25 th September	27 th November	29 th January	19 th March
	4.30pm	4:30pm	4:30pm	4:30pm	4:30pm
THEME:	·			·	
STANDING / GENERAL AGENDA ITEMS:-	Work Programme 2024/25 to be agreed. 2023/24 Council Plan Year End Performance and Provisional Financial Outturn Report Director of Public Health Annual Report .	Q1 Finance Monitoring and Council Plan Report Disabled Facilities Grant (DFG) progress update on reducing the waiting times Adult Services Annual Complaints Report inc Ombudsman Humber Acute Review Consultation Outcome Winter planning and hospital discharge All Age Housing with Care Strategy	Q2 Finance Monitoring and Council Plan Report Work Programme Update 2024/25 .	Safeguarding Adults Board Annual Report	Q3 Finance Monitoring Council Plan Refresh Report? Work Programme 2024/25 inc item for the next municipal year

Agenda Items Still to be Scheduled:

• C/F to September 2024 North East Lincolnshire All Age Housing with Care Strategy

Briefing Papers;

- Dentistry
- Transformation fund created by the sale of council assets how much went to care, what was it spent on, what has it delivered.
- End of Life care compared to other local authorities.
- ICB service reconfiguration

Agenda Items:

- Market shaping & contracting support at home.
- East Midlands Ambulance service performance and recruitment
- Mental Health Strategy plan delivery update
- Urgent and emergency care (the status post Covid and the impact of A&E waiting times on patient outcomes)
- Market shaping strategy

Workshop:

Public Health:

- To understand how the public health grant spent.
- To understand and recognise the complexity and intendency between societal, health, care and financial issues, as well as the difficulty in assessing the likely and actual effectiveness of NELC work which might take a generation to deliver outcomes.
- To consider the following area to focus on as part of the panels work programme e.g. health inequalities, smoking in pregnancy, suicide rates, loneliness, teenage conception, and life expectancy.