

HEALTH AND ADULT SOCIAL CARE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
WORK PROGRAMME 2020/21

Date of Meeting	Item	Objective / Proposed Outcomes	Action / Witness
24 June 2020	<i>Covid-19 – Public Health Update</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To receive a high level update on the number of local Covid-19 cases and deaths. 2. To be advised of plans going forward, for example for track and trace. 3. To consider any lessons learnt as to what went well or what should be done differently in the event of any future waves. 	1. Director of Public Health
	<i>The Impact of Covid-19 on Care Homes</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To review how the Council is conforming to government guidance and supporting care home settings. 2. To consider what the market impact of Covid-19 will be on care homes. 3. To assess what the potential closure of some care homes may mean both in terms of the impact on current residents and whether there may be a greater shift to in-home care and what the cost implications maybe of this. 	1. Director of Adult Social Care
	<i>Carers and Day Care Services – Covid-19</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To review the impact that Covid-19 has had on carers and day care services. 2. Consider the difficulties being experienced by services users. 	1. Director of Adult Social Care

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30 Sept 2020	<i>Starting Well – Has Covid-19 impacted the HWB strategy?</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To scrutinise the impact the Covid-19 pandemic has had on the Health and Wellbeing Board strand 'Starting Well'. 2. To assess how local services including maternity, immunisation and health visitors have adapted to meet demand and any gaps in service. 3. To consider the impact increasing unemployment rates and poverty will have and plans in place to mitigate any impact. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Director of Public Health 2. MK CCG
	<i>Winter Planning</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To review the plans in place to deal with winter pressures in the hospital system in light of any further waves of Covid-19 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. MK Hospital 2. Director of Public Health 3. Director of Adult Social Care
	<i>Healthwatch Annual Report</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To receive and consider the Healthwatch Annual Report 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. CEO Maxine Taffetani

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16 Dec	<i>Mental Health & Wellbeing – access to services</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To scrutinise the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on mental health and wellbeing services 2. To consider any changes that have occurred to demand over this time and the ability of those in need to be able to access services 3. To review the need for any further service offering 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. CNWL 2. Director of Public Health
	<i>Domestic Abuse Strategic Partnership</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Review effectiveness of the new partnership arrangements 2. Consider the improvements made as a result of the change in the council plan and increased funding 3. To scrutinise the impact Covid-19 has had on domestic abuse in Milton Keynes 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Cabinet member 2. MK Act 3. TVP officer 4. Public Health Lead
	<i>Quality Accounts</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To note the report 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Chair of the Quality Accounts Panel

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11 March 2021	<i>Review of the 6 Primary Care Networks and changes to the CCG</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Review the success of the new primary care networks, what has been set up by the new GP hubs, how are they working and is it making an impact on admissions 2. Consider the impact of the changes to the CCG arrangements 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. CCG representative 2. Lead from GP hub 3. PPG representative
	<i>The Wider Determinants of Health</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To scrutinise the impact on the 'wider determinants of health' that may have occurred as a result of economic impacts of the Covid-19 pandemic 2. Consider the measures public health has taken to minimise the impact of these and the plans in place for the future 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Director of Public Health
	<i>Review of Council Plan/ Cabinet Members Annual Report</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To receive a report on the Council Plan 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Cabinet member

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Items to consider adding to the work programme

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TBC	<i>Supply and quality of care homes in MK</i>	1. A review of older peoples care home provision in MK and if current provision is enough for the future, particularly given the known growth in dementia in MK. A broad overview of quality of current provision would be useful for committee to have included within papers.	1. Victoria Collins and Mick Hancock 2. Care home provider (Regional manager Excelcare) 3. User groups 4. Healthwatch – to discuss enter and view programme
	<i>Children’s Obesity</i>	1. Understand the issues facing Milton Keynes with regards to Childhood obesity, what measures are being taken currently to tackle the issue and any shortfalls within our service – focussing on the council’s public health role and the prevention aspect of the services offered.	1. Director of Public Health
	<i>End of Life Care</i>	1. Review the support services currently offered, and the availability of care and support to enable people to end their lives where they choose.	1. Victoria Collins 2. Hospital representative 3. CCG- they are writing the strategy
	<i>Cancer – prevention, screening and early identification</i>	1. Consider the services offered by health in Milton Keynes, their effectiveness and whether other tactics could be enlisted to improve the figures	1. Director of Public Health 2. CCG Representative 3. NHSE or Cancer Alliance representative 4. Service user
	<i>Use of the Better Care Fund</i>	1. Consider the current use of the BCF and its impact against metrics, reviewing whether or not it is being used effectively and how successfully partners are working together.	1. Victoria Collins, Mick Hancock 2. CCG representative