

HEALTH & ADULT SOCIAL CARE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

24 June 2020

AGENDA ITEM NUMBER	SUBJECT AND RESOLUTION	DECISION REFERRAL	PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR ACTION
2.	<p>Apologies</p> <p>None</p>	-	-
3.	<p>Disclosure of Interests</p> <p>Councillor Reilly advised that he had been appointed to the Council of Governors of Milton Keynes University Hospital, but he did not have any interest in the items on the agenda that would preclude him taking part in any discussions or votes the Committee might have.</p>	-	Overview and Scrutiny Officer
4.	<p>Minutes</p> <p>That the Minutes of the meeting of the Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Committee meetings held on 12 March 2020 and 20 May 2020 be approved and signed by the Chair as a correct record.</p>	-	Overview & Scrutiny Officer
5.	<p>Questions from Members of the Public</p> <p>That the questions from the public be received and noted.</p>	-	-

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6.	<p>Covid-19 Public Health Update</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That the Committees appreciation be noted to all those working in the Council's public health and adult social care teams for their efforts in responding to the Covid-19 pandemic. 2. That the Director of Public Health be asked to provide the Committee with further comparative data for Milton Keynes including the impact on BME communities and those from different socio-economic backgrounds. 3. That the Head of Communications be asked to ensure that ongoing Covid-19 communications incorporate key messages around keeping safe/not being complacent and that they consider how engagement with local communities on these messages can be improved. 4. That a letter be sent to the local MP's to ask them to take up with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care the Committees hope that the new relationship with the Joint Biosecurity Centre will result in better data being available locally. 	<p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p>	<p>-</p> <p>Director of Public Health</p> <p>Head of Communications</p> <p>Overview and Scrutiny Officer</p>
7.	<p>The Impact of Covid-19 on Care Homes</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That the Committees thanks be noted to all those working in adult social care and care home staff for the commitment and dedication they have shown over this difficult time. 2. That the Director of Adult Social Care be asked to provide the Committee with further information on the Risk Register. 3. That the Director of Adult Social Care be asked to provide the Committee with further commentary against the action points in the Council's response to Covid-19. 	<p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p>	<p>-</p> <p>Director of Adult Social Care</p> <p>Director of Adult Social Care</p>

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8.	<p>The impact of Covid-19 on Carers and Day Care Services</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That the Cabinet member for Health and Wellbeing be asked to explain the length of time it has taken to come up with a plan for re-opening day care services. 2. That the Director of Adult Social Care be asked to note the willingness of the Dementia Partnership to be involved with re-opening dementia day care services 3. That the Director of Adult Social Care be asked to provide the Committee with a fortnightly email update on progress with this issue until it is resolved and services are back up and running. 4. That a letter be sent to the local MP's pointing out the difficulties that a lack of guidance for providers of Day Care Services is having on the ability to reopen services and that whether the Department of Health and Social Care might consider the provision of such guidance as a matter of urgency. 	<p>Cabinet Member for Health and Wellbeing</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p>	<p>Committee Manager</p> <p>-</p> <p>Director of Adult Social Care</p> <p>Overview & Scrutiny Officer</p>
9.	<p>Draft 2020/21 Work Programme</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That the 2020/21 Work Programme be received and noted. 2. That the Planning Group be asked to consider the addition of an item updating the situation on care homes locally. 3. That if members of the Committee have any suggestions for items for scrutiny which are within the Committee's remit during 2020/21, they be fed into the Committee's Planning Group. 	<p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p>	<p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p>