

HEALTH & ADULT SOCIAL CARE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
30 September 2020

AGENDA ITEM NUMBER	SUBJECT AND RESOLUTION	DECISION REFERRAL	PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR ACTION
2.	Apologies Councillor Nazir (Councillor Marlow substituting)	-	-
3.	Disclosure of Interests Councillor Reilly and T Keech advised that they were on the Council of Governors of Milton Keynes University Hospital. T Keech advised that she was the Interim Chief Executive of Healthwatch Milton Keynes and that she would be presenting Item 8 of this Agenda and would not participate in discussion of this item as a member of this Committee.	-	Overview and Scrutiny Officer
4.	Minutes That the Minutes of the meeting of the Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Committee meeting held on 24 June 2020 be approved and signed by the Chair as a correct record.	-	Overview & Scrutiny Officer

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5.	<p>Covid-19 Public Health Update</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That the Deputy Director of Public Health and his colleagues be thanked for their contribution to the Committee’s scrutiny of this item. 2. That the report be received and noted. 3. That there be a standing item on the Agenda of this Committee on data specifically related to the Covid-19 pandemic in Milton Keynes. 4. That the Head of Communications be asked to ensure that ongoing communications on Covid-19 reiterates the national guidance on who and when to test and self-isolate. 5. That the Director of Public Health be asked to provide an update to the Committee on details of any new testing sites when this information is available. 6. That the Director of Public Health be asked to provide an updated analysis of the impact of Covid-19 on the BAME community when this data is next reviewed. 	<p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p>	<p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>Planning Group</p> <p>Head of Communications</p> <p>Director of Public Health</p> <p>Director of Public Health</p>

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6.	<p>‘Starting Well’ – Has Covid-19 impacted the Health and Wellbeing Strategy?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That the Head of Public Health Programmes and her partner colleagues be thanked for their contribution to the Committee’s scrutiny of this item. 2. That the Director of Public Health be asked to provide the Committee with the latest data on the CAMHS waiting list times. 3. That the Director of Public Health be asked to provide the Committee with the latest data on immunisation rates for 1-year olds and 3 and a half year olds and a brief update on any issues that may be occurring with this programme. 4. That, given the concerns the Committee has regarding the impact unemployment and poverty is having / will potentially have on the “Starting Well” strand of the Health and Wellbeing Strategy, the Leader provides the Committee with reassurance that he is fully aware of the importance of the recovery of the local economy to this strand and that the Council, together with its partners, will be using its best endeavours to achieve this. 5. That the Head of Communications be asked to ensure that ongoing communications on Covid-19 highlights the financial support that is available to those that must self-isolate and that this message is sent out in appropriate languages. 	<p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>Leader of the Council</p> <p>-</p>	<p>-</p> <p>Director of Public Health</p> <p>Director of Public Health</p> <p>Head of Communications</p>

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7.	<p>Winter Planning</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That the witnesses be thanked for their reports and their contribution to the Committee's scrutiny of this item. 2. That the Chief Executive of Milton Keynes Hospital be asked to review signage at the hospital, particularly at A&E, to ensure that it is clear and obvious what to do if you self-present or are sent to the hospital by 111 with Covid-19 symptoms. 3. That a note be sent to the Cabinet member to acknowledge how impressed the Committee have been by the joint partnership working occurring across the system to address winter pressures. 4. That the Planning Group be asked to consider holding a sub-committee meeting to review the merger plans of the CCG and in particular any financial impact on the Milton Keynes health economy. 5. That the Head of Communications be asked to ensure that ongoing communications on Covid-19 includes messages to promote 111 and not to avoid contacting GP's with any health concerns. 6. The Committee noted their concern about the current 18 week and 52 week waiting times and it was recommended that: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. a letter be sent to the local MP's highlighting the Committee's concerns about the waiting times and asking for their concerted effort to ensure that the hospital has all the support it needs to reduce these times. b. a report be provided to the Committee in six months' time on the current status of the waiting lists. 7. That the Hospital, CCG and Adult Social Care be asked to provide a written update on the winter pressures experienced this season to the Committee in six months' time. 	<p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p> <p>-</p>	<p>-</p> <p>Chief Executive Milton Keynes Hospital</p> <p>Overview and Scrutiny Officer</p> <p>Planning Group</p> <p>Head of Communications</p> <p>Overview and Scrutiny Officer</p> <p>Planning Group</p> <p>Overview and Scrutiny Officer</p>

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8.	<p>Healthwatch Annual Report</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That the Interim Chief Executive of Healthwatch Milton Keynes be thanked for her report and her contribution to the Committee's scrutiny of this item. 2. That the Annual Report be noted. 	<p>-</p> <p>-</p>	<p>-</p> <p>Minutes</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 an update from Public Health on Covid-19 is added as a standing item to the agenda. 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>Planning Group</p> <p>All</p>