# TITLE Local Involvement Network (LINk) Update (standing item)

FOR CONSIDERATION BYHealth Overview and Scrutiny Committee – 28September

#### WARD

None Specific

#### LEAD PERSON Christine Holland - christinemholland@btinternet.com

#### PURPOSE OF REPORT

To review the progress that has been made by the Wokingham LINk since the last Committee meeting on 2 August 2011.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

To note the progress update on the Wokingham LINk.

#### SUPPORTING INFORMATION

#### **GENERAL MATTERS**

- Two of the database members have expressed an interest in continuing to work as volunteers with the Steering Group.
- The Support Officer Jennie Grieve will issue the latest e bulletin to the database in the near future.
- We are drawing attention to the website which is now available at <u>www.wokinghamlink.org</u> it is still a work in progress and any suggestions would be welcome.
- There will also be information about the new x-ray service available at the Royal Berkshire Bracknell Clinic, Brants Bridge, Bracknell for Wokingham Borough Patients who are referred by their GP for a non-urgent x-ray. The service is by appointment (telephone 01344 662928) and parking is free, but patients must be able to walk unaided. Some of the larger pharmacies are offering a free service to collect from a surgery and deliver repeat prescriptions to patients who are confirmed by their GP as housebound. It would be worth an approach to the pharmacist as well as the GP if the service would be useful. Some pharmacies offer a separate service of postal delivery of prescription medication for a fee, this is not intended to be for those who are housebound.

#### CONTINUING PROJECTS

- Neurological Survey Project
- Parents Experience of the CAMHS (Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service). Tony Lloyd visited the CAMHS unit at Wokingham Hospital and met with Kazem Bholah (BHCT CAMHS Manager for Wokingham, Windsor and Maidenhead ) and Emily Nobbes, a clinical psychologist. The essence of the improvements arising from

the review is a streamlined diagnostic pathway using a multidisciplinary final assessment process and it was stated that these changes together with some improvements in the environment had met most of the concerns raised by the Wokingham Link. We are now considering doing a corroborative survey of parents to confirm that they concur with the opinions of the CAMHS unit professionals. Tony is planning to meet with the Acting Director for CAMHS at the BHCT and will also be devising a questionnaire for parents in collaboration with Kazem that will be used in Wokingham and may be used in West Berkshire as well.

- Pharmaceutical Service talks provided by Community Pharmacists to local groups
- Support to the Westmead Project
- Community Engagement Survey extension to Young Parents.
- Referral of Pharmacy waiting times at RBFH The Chief Nurse had followed up the issue and there was now an action plan to address the issues both within Lloyds and on the prescribing side. The Chief Pharmacist explained that all cancer drugs would now go via the pharmacy and that the issue appeared to have been resolved
- Establishing contact with Providers such as the division of the Berkshire Healthcare Foundation Trust which provides Community Care Services which operate in Wokingham Borough e.g. District Nurses and Community Hospitals. A meeting with BHFT and the 6 Berkshire LINks has taken place.

• Following changes in the provision of Social Care, the Steering Group met with Mike Wooldridge and Mike Stillman to talk about Personal Budgets and Personal Assistants. This was useful and it was arranged that members of the Steering Group would meet some of the Choice Champions to seek their views of these matters.

• Establishing contact with Residential Care Homes in the Wokingham Borough to build relationships.

Pat Evans and Christine Holland accepted an invitation to speak to the residents of the Liberty of Earley House about changes in the NHS and their experiences of health matters. We have pursued one of their concerns about use of bus passes to pay for transfers by the Earley Volunteer Car service to approved medical appointments.

#### Analysis of Issues

n/a

#### **Corporate Implications (this must include Financial Implications)**

n/a

#### **Reasons for Decision**

No decision required.

## Alternative Options considered, if any

n/a

#### **Reasons for considering the report in Part 2** n/a

List of Background Papers

n/a

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### TITLE Health Consultations

FOR CONSIDERATION BY Health Overview

Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee – 28 September 2011

#### WARD

None Specific

LEAD OFFICER Charles Yankiah, Senior Democratic Services Officer

#### PURPOSE OF REPORT

To bring to the attention of the Committee the current "live" health consultations.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

To decide on which of the "live" Consultations the Committee would like to be consulted on and respond to prior to the deadline dates.

#### SUPPORTING INFORMATION

#### INTRODUCTION

This paper provides an overview of "live" consultations in relation to health policy as of 19 September 2011. Details provided on all "live" consultations have been taken directly from the Department of Health website.

For further information on consultations please refer to the Department of Health or Directgov websites, see link below –

http://www.dh.gov.uk/en/Consultations/Liveconsultations/index.htm

#### LIVE CONSULTATIONS

1. Consultation on proposed changes to regulations for Care Quality Commission registration – Appendix 3

Launch date: 18 July 2011

Closing date: 7 October 2011

The Care Quality Commission (CQC) took responsibility for the regulation of health and adult social care providers in April 2009. The regulatory framework that CQC operates is underpinned by two main sets of regulations: The Health and Social Care Act 2008 (Regulated Activities) Regulations 2010, and The Care Quality Commission (Registration) Regulations 2009.

Please respond to the consultation via the online link below -

**Contact:** Registration Consultation

| Address: | Room 3E58    |
|----------|--------------|
|          | Quarry House |
|          | Quarry Hill  |
|          | Leeds        |
|          | LS2 7UE      |

Email: proposedchangestoregs2010@dh.gsi.gov.uk

Link -

http://www.dh.gov.uk/en/Consultations/Liveconsultations/DH 128222

## 2. Consultation on Preventing Suicide in England: A Cross-Government outcomes strategy to save lives

Launch Date: 19 July 2011

Closing Date: 11 October 2011

This document sets out a proposal for a new suicide prevention strategy for England with the aims of reducing the suicide rate and improving support for those bereaved or affected by suicide. The draft strategy brings together knowledge about groups at higher risk of suicide, effective interventions and resources available. The closing date for consultation responses is 11 October 2011. Consultation responses will inform the final strategy, early in 2012

Please respond to the consultation via the online link below -

**Contact:** Mental Health and Disability Division

Address: Department of Health 133–155 Waterloo Road London SE1 8UG

Email: <u>suicideprevention@dh.gsi.gov.uk</u>

Link: http://www.dh.gov.uk/en/Consultations/Liveconsultations/DH 128065

3. Fundamental Review of Data Returns – A consultation on the recommendations of the review

Launch Date: 30 August 2011

Closing Date: 22 November 2011

Consultation on the findings of the Fundamental Review of Data Returns. This covered all national data returns requested by the Department of Health in England and its Arms Length Bodies (ALBs) from NHS organisations.

**Contact:** Fundamental Review of Data Returns Consultation

Address: Room 3E48

 Quarry House

 Quarry Hill

 Leeds

 LS2 7UE

 Email:
 fundamentaldatareview@dh.gsi.gov.uk

 Link:
 http://www.dh.gov.uk/en/Consultations/Liveconsultations/DH 129725

4. Consultation on Allocation Options for distribution of additional funding to local authorities for: Local Health Watch, NHS Complaints Advocacy, PCT Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards

Launch Date: 27 July 2011

Closing Date: 24 October 2011

Subject to the passage of the Health and Social Care Bill, the Department (DH) will allocate funding for Local HealthWatch, NHS Complaints Advocacy and, potentially, PCT Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards from October 2012. This additional funding will be added to the current DH Learning Disabilities and Health Reform grant. This consultation is asking for your views on options for distributing the new funding for Local HealthWatch, NHS Complaints Advocacy and PCT Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards (DOLS).

**Contact:** Sarah Horne and Chris Eleftheriades

Address: Social Care Strategic Policy and Finance Room 328 Wellington House London SE1 8UG

**Phone:** 020 7972 4871

Email: <u>scgrants@dh.gsi.gov.uk</u>

5. NHS Pension Scheme - consultation on proposed increases to employee contribution rates effective from April 2012

Launch Date: 28 July 2011

Closing Date: 21 October 2011

The Government has given a commitment to review the long-term affordability and sustainability of public service pensions. The Independent Public Service Pensions Commission, chaired by Lord Hutton, concluded in its report that reform is needed. The Government accepted Lord Hutton's recommendations as a basis for consultation with public sector workers and trade unions on long-term reform of pension arrangements.

Ahead of longer term reform, the Commission made clear that there is a rationale for increasing pension scheme member contributions to ensure a fairer distribution of costs between taxpayers and members. The Government has announced plans to produce £2.8bn savings per year by 2014-15 through increasing public service employee pension contributions. This document presents for consultation proposals to increase the level of contributions paid by members of the NHS Pension Scheme in 2012-13.

The Department of Health and the Welsh Government invite views on:

- their preferred approach to delivering the required savings by increasing employee contributions to the NHS Pension scheme by the amounts set out in Table 1 (see attached consultation document above); and
- other ways of delivering those savings through increased employee contributions within the Government's preferred scheme design parameters.

This consultation does not invite comments on the contribution rates in 2013-14 and 2014-15 as these will be the subject of further discussion with Trade Unions. This consultation concerns proposed increases relating to 2012-13 only.

Contact: NHS Pensions Policy Team

Address: Room 2W12 Quarry House Quarry Hill Leeds LS2 7UE

Email: <u>nhspensioncontributions@dh.gsi.gov.uk</u>

6. Developing Safe and Sustainable acute services in South Central Stroke, major trauma and vascular surgery

Launch Date: 23 August 2011

Closing Date: 30 September 2011

The three Primary Care Trust (PCT) clusters in the NHS South Central region want to talk to local people about proposals to improve services for those who experience a stroke, major trauma or vascular surgery.

The proposals are to concentrate these services in places where there are specialists and support services available around the clock. National clinical experience shows that this approach saves lives and improves patient recovery.

The three Primary Care Trust clusters in South Central who would like your views are:

- NHS Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire
- NHS Berkshire
- NHS Southampton, Hampshire, the Isle of Wight and Portsmouth.

The documents explain each of the three services and the proposed changes. Views are being sought as part of a six-week engagement exercise and your feedback will help the PCT cluster decide the best way forward.

**Contact:** The Public & Patient Involvement Team

Address: Freepost RRLX - SZAY - LTKX PPI Team

|  | NHS Berkshire West<br>57-59 Bath Road   |
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|  | Reading   |
|  | RG30 2BA  |
| Phone:<br>Email:   | 0118 982 2782<br>ppi.team@berkshire.nhs.uk  |
|  | pp.team@berKsmre.mis.uk   |
| 7. Joint St  | rategic Needs Assessment (JSNA ) - children and young people  |
| Launch Da  | ate: 13 September 2011  |
| Closing Da   | ate: 11 October 2011  |
| and upper to<br>needs are of<br>and 'comm<br>short- and to<br>reduce heat<br>health, child<br>community<br>have summ<br>prefer the for<br>health.net | is a mandatory requirement and a joint responsibility for Primary Care Trusts<br>tier Local Authorities. The JSNA tells us what the health and social care<br>of the local population - now and in the future. The JSNA informs planning<br>issioning priorities' (what social care and health services - plan to buy) for the<br>medium- term. Aim to improve health and wellbeing, independence and<br>of the inequalities. Are asking for people's views on the JSNA, relating to sexual<br>dren and young people and tuberculosis. Are really interested in views from<br>organisations, patients and their carers as well as the general public. We<br>harised the JSNA so that it is easier to understand and comment on. If you<br>ull versions please contact the PPE Team on 0118 982 2962 or at<br><b>work@berkshire.nhs.uk</b> . Gather people's views by 11 October and will<br>n what people said. |
| Contact:   | The Engagement Team   |
| Address:   | NHS Berkshire West<br>57 - 59 Bath Road<br>Reading<br>RG30 2BA  |
| Tel:   | 0118 982 2916   |
| E mail:  | ppi.team@berkshire.nhs.uk   |
| Analysis o   | flssues   |
| n/a  |   |
| Corporate  | Implications (this must include Financial Implications)   |
| n/a  |   |

#### n/a

#### **Reasons for Decision**

No decision required.

## Alternative Options considered, if any

n/a

#### Reasons for considering the report in Part 2 n/a

| List | of | Background | Papers |  |
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| n/a  |    |            |        |  |

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#### **ITEM NO:42.00**

#### **APPENDIX 1**

### HEALTH OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Work Programme from July 2011

Please note that the work programme is a 'live' document and subject to change at short notice.

The information in this work programme is subject to approval at the Committee meeting scheduled for 31 May 2011.

The order in which items are listed at this stage may not reflect the order they subsequently appear on the agenda / are dealt with at the scrutiny meeting.

All Meetings start at 7pm in the Civic Offices, Shute End, Wokingham, unless otherwise stated.

## HEALTH OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY WORK PROGRAMME

| DATE OF<br>MEETING           | ITEM                                | PURPOSE OF REPORT   | REASON FOR<br>CONSIDERATION  | RESPONSIBLE<br>OFFICER /<br>CONTACT<br>OFFICER |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|--|--|
| 2 August<br>2011             | Community Care<br>Connect (Optalis) | Information about new traded enterprise for Adult Social Care services.   | Information on<br>current situation<br>and planned work                      | Mike<br>Wooldridge/<br>Mike Walsh              |
| Agenda<br>deadline:          | Adult<br>Safeguarding               | General update and review of the Annual Report.   | Progress Update  | Linda<br>MacEachen                             |
| Close of play<br>Thursday 21 | LINk Update                         | Standing Item   | Update on progress   | LINk Steering<br>Group                         |
| July 2011                    | Work Programme                      | Standing Item   | Consider items for<br>future consideration                                   | Democratic<br>Services                         |
|                              | Health<br>Consultations             | Standing Item   | To consider current<br>consultations and<br>results of past<br>consultations | Democratic<br>Services/<br>Rachel Masters      |
|                              | Care Quality<br>Commission          | To provide the update on the work of the Care<br>Quality Commission. Sue Sheath confirmed<br>attending – 20 June  | Deferred from the last meeting   | Democratic<br>Services/ Sue<br>Sheath          |
|                              | Age UK Woodley                      | A report on the services provided by Age UK<br>Woodley to be received at the next meeting –<br>spoke to Ann Parr on 21 June made formal<br>invitation and requested information regarding<br>visit – 11.30am (before lunch or between 1.30-<br>2.00pm) visit could last up to an hour – Ann Parr<br>0118 969 1471 | A follow up visit to be arranged   | Democratic<br>Services                         |

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| 28<br>September<br>2011<br>Agenda<br>deadline:<br>Close of play | Infection Control/<br>Cleaning<br>Contracts Report   | To inform the Committee about current processes<br>and practices on both the commissioning side and<br>practical side following concerns raised by a<br>Member of the Committee.   | To receive<br>information<br>following concern<br>raised by Member<br>of Committee and<br>to decide if further<br>review is required. | Bev Searle,<br>PCT/ Keith<br>Eales / <b>Nicola</b><br><b>Wesson, RBH</b>         |
| Friday 16<br>Sept 2011  | Berkshire<br>Healthcare<br>Foundation Trust  | Update on current and planned developments within the Trust and changes in Community Services  | Update on NHS<br>Trust  | Alex Gild,<br>BHFT/ Mike<br>Wooldridge   |
|   | NHS Berkshire<br>West Performance<br>and Finance<br>Update/ financial<br>management at<br>GP level | To inform the Committee of the current position and<br>explain any issues/future pressures, as well as<br>highlighting any areas of concern that the<br>Committee may need to consider further.<br>To include information on budget performance at<br>practice level and future plans for GP<br>Commissioning Consortia budget management. | To keep the<br>Committee<br>informed  | Bev Searle/<br>Nigel Foster/ Dr<br>Madgwick or Dr<br>Perry                       |
|   | Update on<br>progress to date<br>with the GP<br>Consortia  | To update the Committee on progress in this area in<br>a more general sense.<br>Linked to above item.  | To inform the Committee.  | Dr Madgwick or<br>Dr Perry,<br>contact via Bev<br>Searle or Nigel<br>Foster, PCT |
|   | Update on Public<br>Health   | At March 2011 meeting, the Committee requested<br>an update about Public in 6-9 months time, due<br>between Sept and Dec 2011.   | To update the<br>Committee on<br>progress.  | Janet Maxwell,<br>Director of<br>Public Health,<br>PCT                           |
|   | LINk Update  | Standing Item  | Update on progress  | LINk Steering<br>Group   |

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|                    | Work Programme          | Standing Item  | Consider items for future consideration                                      | Democratic<br>Services                         |
|                    | Development of HOSC     | To discuss the development of HOSC as well as the Work Programme |  |  |
|                    | Health<br>Consultations | Standing Item  | To consider current<br>consultations and<br>results of past<br>consultations | Democratic<br>Services/Rachel<br>Masters       |

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| 29 November<br>2011                                 | Community Care<br>Connect  | Information about new traded enterprise for Adult Social Care services.  | Information on<br>current situation<br>and planned work                          | Mike<br>Wooldridge                                     |
| Agenda<br>deadline:<br>Close of play<br>Thursday 17 | Patient Advice<br>Liaison Service<br>(PALS) Annual<br>Report 2010/11 | Annual Report on the Services provided for monitoring by the Committee.  | To monitor the work<br>being carried out<br>and pick up any<br>areas of concern. | Jo Cozens,<br>NHS Berkshire<br>West                    |
| Nov 2011  | Update on Public<br>Health   | At March 2011 meeting, the Committee requested<br>an update about Public in 6-9 months time, due<br>between Sept and Dec 2011. | To update the<br>Committee on<br>progress.                                       | Janet Maxwell,<br>Director of<br>Public Health,<br>PCT |
|   | LINk Steering<br>Group<br>Presentation                               | Annual Presentation by the LINk Sterring Group to report on the work they have been doing and future plans.                    | To keep the<br>Committee<br>informed.  | LINk Steering<br>Group                                 |

| LINk Update                                      | Standing Item  | Update on progress   | LINk Steering<br>Group  |
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| Work Programme                                   | Standing Item  | Consider items for<br>future consideration                                   | Democratic<br>Services  |
| South Central<br>Ambulance<br>Service NHS Trust  | The new Ambulance Quality Indicators (from April<br>1st) Although the A8 and A19 response times<br>remain in place (although renamed) the B19<br>indicator has gone and we now have a set of<br>outcome measures, eleven in total.<br>Tel - 01869 365039/07920027762 | To Update the<br>HOSC  | Duncan Burke,<br><b>PA - Rachel</b><br>Aindow - 01869<br>365036 |
| Health<br>Consultations                          | Standing Item  | To consider current<br>consultations and<br>results of past<br>consultations | Democratic<br>Services/Rachel<br>Masters                        |
| Royal Berkshire<br>Hospital                      | Chief Executive invited – confirmed attendance by letter on 23.06.11   | As a follow up to<br>his last visit  | Democratic<br>Services  |
| Review RBH<br>Maternity Unit<br>Closures in 2011 | Following the visit by Committee Members in March<br>2011 which revealed the number of times the Unit<br>had been forced to close during 2010, the<br>Committee agreed to review the situation six<br>months on.   | Follow up of visit in<br>March 2011.   | Keith Eales<br>/Nicola Wesson,<br>RBH                           |

| DATE OF<br>MEETING | ITEM       | PURPOSE OF REPORT                               | REASON FOR<br>CONSIDERATION                   | RESPONSIBLE<br>OFFICER /<br>CONTACT<br>OFFICER |
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| 25 January<br>2012 | CQC Update | To update the Committee on progress being made. | 6 monthly update<br>requested by<br>Committee | Sue Sheath                                     |

| Agenda<br>deadline:<br>Close of play<br>Friday 13 | NHS Berkshire<br>West Annual<br>Performance and<br>Finance Update | To inform the Committee of the current position and<br>explain any issues/future pressures, as well as<br>highlighting any areas of concern that the<br>Committee may need to consider further.  | To keep the<br>Committee<br>informed   | Bev Searle                               |
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| Jan 2011  | LINk Update   | Standing Item  | Update on progress   | LINk Steering<br>Group                   |
|   | Work Programme  | Standing Item  | Consider items for<br>future consideration                                   | Democratic<br>Services                   |
|   | Health<br>Consultations   | Standing Item  | To consider current<br>consultations and<br>results of past<br>consultations | Democratic<br>Services/Rachel<br>Masters |
|   | CAMHS   | This review will focus on the transition of patients<br>from CAMHS to adult social services.<br>The review will be conducted in two parts, with the<br>first part taking the form as a visit to the Berkshire<br>Healthcare Trust in December to discuss this<br>transition, with a focus on eating disorders. |  | Democratic<br>Services                   |

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| 28 March<br>2012<br>Agenda<br>deadline:<br>Close of play<br>Friday 16<br>March 2011 | Review of RBH<br>Maternity Unit<br>One Year on                          | Following the visit by Committee Members in March<br>2011 which revealed a number of items the<br>Committee wanted to review again, it was agreed<br>they would look at these again in one year's time.<br>These were – the move towards two 12 hour shifts<br>on the Unit (if they had been agreed) and whether<br>there had been any detrimental safety impacts on<br>patients, the fact that one to one care was only<br>achieved 97% of the time for mothers in established<br>labour to see if this had improved, and to assess<br>the new Early Labour Triage Telephone Service to<br>see if it had led to any mothers giving birth prior to<br>admission following advice to stay at home. | Follow up of visit in<br>March 2011.   | Keith Eales /<br>Nicola Wesson,<br>RBH                                  |
|   | Joint Strategic<br>Needs<br>Assessment<br>Summary Report<br>LINk Update | To receive the Annual Report findings.<br>Standing Item   | Information<br>provided each year<br>on findings of the<br>report.<br>Update on progress | Janet Maxwell,<br>Director of<br>Public Health,<br>PCT<br>LINk Steering |
|   | Work Programme  | Standing Item   | Consider items for<br>future consideration   | Group<br>Democratic<br>Services   |
|   | Health<br>Consultations   | Standing Item   | To consider current<br>consultations and<br>results of past<br>consultations             | Democratic<br>Services/Rachel<br>Masters                                |

#### Items not scheduled but due to be considered during the 2011/12 Municipal Year:

- Quality Accounts of relevant NHS Trusts;
- Information about the Health and Wellbeing Board and other relevant changes emerging from new policies of the Coalition Government and Health White Papers;
- Healthwatch: briefing on the new body, its role and preparations for establishing locally;
- Community Care Connect: information about the new traded enterprise for Adult Social Care Services;
- Berkshire Healthcare Foundation Trust: changes in Community Services;
- Mental Health: Next Generation Care and 'No Health without Mental Health' Strategy;
- Consideration and response to any relevant consultations as they emerge.
- Changes to the Public Health system Professor John Newton, Regional Director Public Health, NHS South Central.

## **Member Visits**

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| Suggested Place of<br>Visit                            | Reason for Suggestion  | Time of year<br>proposed       | Date Agreed<br>for Visit                               | Lead Member (to<br>report back to<br>'HOSC) |
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| Age Concern<br>Woodley                                 | Review of Care for the Elderly/End of Life<br>Care   | September 2011                 | n namen her for an |   |
| TBC  | Eating Disorder treatment  | January 2012                   |  | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·       |
| Maternity Unit Visit<br>at Royal Berkshire<br>Hospital | Maternity Unit visit carried out in March<br>2011 by Members of the Committee<br>following a number of concerns.<br>Presentation received, would like to return<br>to follow up a number of points and have a<br>tour of the ward if possible. | March 2012                     |  |   |
| Royal Berkshire<br>Hospital                            | Infection control/cleaning contracts<br>concern raised by a Member of the<br>Committee, following information by<br>PCT/RBH at 28 Sept 2011 meeting, a visit to<br>investigate further may be appropriate.                                     | After 28 Sept<br>2011 meeting. |  | •   |

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#### HEALTH OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE TRACKING NOTE 2011/12

|    | ITEM<br>NO. | ITEM/SUBJECT   | OFFICER<br>RESPONSIBLE             | DATE OF<br>MEETING | DUE<br>DATE        | COMMENTS |
|----|-------------|--|------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------|
|    | 1.          | MINUTE NO.72 - JOINT STRATEGIC NEEDS<br>ASSESSMENT (JSNA) SUMNARY –<br>Janet Maxwell, Director of Public Health, NHA Berkshire<br>West, be invited back to the Committee to give an update on<br>this area of work when appropriate.   | ELLA HUTCHINGS/<br>CHARLES YANKIAH | 23.03.11           | Sept-Dec<br>2011   |          |
|    | 2.          | MINUTE NO. 73 - PUBLIC HEALTH AND PREVENTION –<br>Janet Maxwell, Director of Public Health, NHA Berkshire<br>West, be asked to give the Committee an update on the<br>situation with Public Health in six to nine months time, as<br>appropriate.  | ELLA HUTCHINGS/<br>CHARLES YANKIAH | 23.03.11           | Sept –<br>Dec 2011 |          |
| 40 | 3.          | <ul> <li>MINUTE NO. 77 - MEMBER REPORT ON VISIT TO THE<br/>MATERNITY UNIT AT THE ROYAL BERKSHIRE HOSPITAL</li> <li>If the two 12 hour shifts within the Maternity Unit was<br/>agreed, the Committee would review the new shift<br/>working, one year on. Item to be added to the Committee</li> </ul> | ELLA HUTCHINGS/<br>CHARLES YANKIAH | 23.03.11           | Mar 2012           |          |
|    |             | <ul> <li>work programme;</li> <li>the Committee review the number of times the Maternity</li> <li>Unit had needed to close again in six months time. Item to be added to the Committee work programme;</li> </ul>  |                                    |                    | Sep 2011           |          |
|    |             | <ul> <li>one to one care for mothers in established labour - the<br/>Committee to review the matter again in one year's time.<br/>Item to be added to the Committee work programme;</li> </ul>   |                                    |                    | Mar 2012           |          |
|    |             | <ul> <li>Committee establish whether the Maternity Unit's new<br/>Early Labour Triage Telephone Service has led to any</li> </ul>  |                                    |                    | Mar 2012           |          |

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| 41        | <ul> <li>mothers giving birth prior to admission to the Unit as the service had only recently been introduced and it was only moving to 24 hour access in a few months time, the Committee would review the situation in one year's time. Item to be added to the Committee's work programme;</li> <li>Members of the Committee receive a short tour of the Maternity Wards during their next visit to the Maternity Unit. Democratic Services discuss the matter with the Maternity Unit and if possible arrange a date for the visit;</li> <li>the Committee request that the Royal Berkshire Hospital review arrangements for women who give birth to known stillborn babies to allow full separation from the normal labour ward and to give grieving patients the privacy they require; and</li> <li>a copy of the Members report be sent to the Royal Berkshire Hospital Maternity Unit, with the Committee's thanks to the Unit's staff for their kind assistance during an informative and interesting visit.</li> </ul> |                                    |                    | To be<br>confirmed   |          |
| 4.        | <ul> <li>MINUTE NO. 12 – LINK ANNUAL REPORT</li> <li>A copy of the Community Engagement Survey 2010 be made available and circulated to the Committee</li> <li>A financial assessment of the Wokingham LINk be submitted to the next meeting of the HOSC</li> <li>Parents Experience of CAMHS – steering group waiting to be invited to be involved in review</li> </ul>   | TONY LLOYD<br>CHRISTINE<br>HOLLAND | 31.05.11           | 02.08.11<br>28.09.11 |          |
| 5.        | MINUTE NO. 15 – ROYAL BERKSHIRE HOSPITAL CLINIC<br>WAITING TIMES<br>The National Outpatient Survey Action Plan (NOSAP) be  | LISA GLYNN/<br>NICOLA WESSA        | 31.05.11           | JAN 2012             |          |

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|             | <ul> <li>submitted to the Committee within 4/5 months</li> <li>The Steering Committee be invited to attend HOSC when the NOSAP is being presented</li> </ul>   |                        |                    |                      |          |
| 6.          | MINUTE NO. 22 – ADULT SAFEGUARDING   | Linda MacEachen        | 02.08.11           |                      |          |
|             | <ul> <li>the Chairman to assist in writing a letter on behalf of the<br/>Committee to the Chief Constable West Berkshire<br/>expressing concerns regarding the risk of losing the<br/>Specialist Adults Co-ordinator who has been a great<br/>support to the team in terms of specialist knowledge;</li> </ul> |                        |                    | ASAP                 |          |
|             | <ul> <li>a report be submitted to the Committee at the November<br/>meeting regarding detailed information in relation to the<br/>number of referral's, the outcomes and comparable data;<br/>and</li> </ul>   |                        |                    | NOV 2011<br>MAR 2012 |          |
|             | <ul> <li>an update be submitted to the Committee within 6 months<br/>time providing additional information regarding the following</li> </ul>  |                        |                    |                      |          |
|             | <ul> <li>The alleged perpetrators – details about the paid staff cases including any disciplinary action and impending cases and outcomes;</li> <li>Communication</li> <li>Framework-i</li> <li>Staff Training</li> </ul>  |                        |                    |                      |          |
| 7.          | <ul> <li>MINUTE NO. 23 - CARE QUALITY COMMISSION</li> <li>Sue Sheath provide information to be circulated to the Committee regarding the decision to delay the consultation</li> </ul>   | SUE SHEATH             | 02.08.11           | ASAP                 |          |

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|             | <ul> <li>in relation to the GP registration; and</li> <li>an update on the CQC be submitted for the November 2011 meeting.</li> </ul>  |                        |                    | NOV 2011    |          |
| 9.          | HEALTH CONSULTATIONS   | CHARLES YANKIAH        |                    |             |          |
|             | a) Consultation on Proposed changes to regulations for<br>Care Quality Commission Registration – Closing date: 7<br>October 2011 (Launched 18 July 2011)                     | ALL MEMBERS            | 18.07.11           | 07.10.11    |          |
|             | <ul> <li>b) Consulting on Preventing Suicide in England – Closing<br/>date: 11 October 2011 (Launched 19 July 2011)</li> </ul>   | ALL MEMBERS            | 19.07.11           | 11.10.11    |          |
|             | c) NHS Pension Scheme – Closing date:21 October 2011<br>(Launched 28 July 2011)  | ALL MEMBERS            | 28.07.11           | 21.10.11    |          |
|             | <ul> <li>d) Fundamental Review of Data Returns – Closing date: 22<br/>November 2011 (Launched 30 August 2011)</li> </ul>   | ALL MEMBERS            | 28.09.11           | 22.11.11    |          |
| 43          | <ul> <li>e) Consultation on Allocation Options for Distribution of<br/>Additional Funding to LA – Closing date: 24 October<br/>2011 (Launched date: 27 July 2011)</li> </ul> | ALL MEMBERS            | 28.09.11           | 24.10.11    |          |
|             | <ul> <li>f) Developing Safe and Sustainable Acute Services in<br/>South Central – Closing date: 30 September 2011<br/>(Launch date: 23 August 2011)</li> </ul>               | ALL MEMBERS            | 28.09.11           | 30.09.11    |          |
|             | <ul> <li>g) Joint Strategic Needs Assessment – Closing date: 11</li> <li>October 2011 (Launch date: 13 September 2011)</li> </ul>  | ALL MEMBERS            | 28.09.11           | 11.10.11    |          |
| 10.         | TRAINING   |                        |                    |             |          |