



East Sussex Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee (HOSC): Work programme at a glance

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Please note that this programme is correct at the time of writing but may be subject to change. The order in which items are listed does not necessarily reflect the order they will appear on the final agenda for the meeting.

Issue	Objectives and summary	People providing evidence
Thursday 20th June 2013		
The new NHS commissioning landscape	An overview of the new NHS commissioning organisations which came into place on 1 st April 2013. To consider their priorities, plans and structures, particularly how commissioners will engage with local communities.	Clinical Commissioning Groups and NHS Commissioning Board Area Team
East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust Clinical Strategy - Shaping our Future	To consider a further progress report on the implementation of changes to stroke, general surgery and orthopaedic services. To consider the progress of work to develop options for sustainable maternity and paediatric services	Amanda Harrison, ESHT Catherine Ashton, CCGs/ESHT
<i>Provisional: East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust Foundation Trust application (timing tbc)</i>	<i>To consider the Trust's proposals as part of consultation on its Foundation Trust application. Timescale not yet confirmed.</i>	<i>Amanda Harrison, ESHT</i>
Thursday 12th September 2013		
East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust Clinical Strategy - Shaping our Future	To consider a further progress report on the implementation of changes to stroke, general surgery and orthopaedic services. To consider the progress of work to develop options for sustainable maternity and paediatric services	Amanda Harrison, ESHT Catherine Ashton, CCGs/ESHT

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<i>Provisional: Urgent care</i>	<i>To consider the plans of CCGs and partners to improve the healthcare system's response to urgent care needs, particularly outside of the main acute hospitals/A&Es. To include a briefing on the new NHS 111 service.</i>	CCGs, SECAMB ASC
Thursday 21st November 2013		
<i>Provisional: End of Life Care progress report</i>	<i>To consider progress of local NHS and social care partners in improving the quality of end of life care in East Sussex. (Item expected to be referred to HOSC from ASC Scrutiny Committee in June 2013)</i>	<i>Kay Muir, CCGs, Amanda Harrison, ESHT and Sophie Clark, ASC</i>
March 2014 (date tbc)		
Items tbc		
June 2014 (date tbc)		
Items tbc		
September 2014 (date tbc)		
<i>Provisional: Dementia Strategy</i>	<i>To consider a progress report on the East Sussex Dementia Delivery Programme, including an evaluation of Memory Assessment Services pilots.</i>	<i>Martin Packwood and Nigel Blake-Hussey, CCGs/ASC</i>

Current Scrutiny Reviews

Issue	Objectives and timescale	People providing evidence
<i>End of life care (seminar led by Adult Social Care and Community Safety Scrutiny Committee with HOSC Member involvement)</i>	<p>One-off exploratory session (28 February 2013) to consider three main questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is there enough support available to allow people to have a choice of where they wish to die, e.g., at home or in a hospice? • Is the Liverpool Care Pathway (LCP) being used appropriately? • To what extent are families and carers consulted during the end of life care of a patient, particularly if they are placed on the LCP? <p>Report to ASC Scrutiny Committee on 13 June 2013 – likely to recommend a HOSC progress stock take in 6-9 months – see above</p>	<p>Kay Muir, NHS Sussex/ CCGs</p> <p>Barry Atkins, ASC</p> <p>Dr David Hughes, ESHT</p> <p>Dr David Barclay, ESHT/St Wilfrid's Hospice</p> <p>Dr Nick McNeillis, ESHT</p>

If you have any comments to share about topics HOSC will be considering, as shown above, please contact:
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Acronyms

A&E – Accident and Emergency department

ASC – Adult Social Care

BSUH – Brighton and Sussex University Hospitals NHS Trust

CCG – Clinical Commissioning Group

ESCC – East Sussex County Council

ESHT – East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust

HOSC – Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee

NHS – National Health Service

NHS Sussex – the Primary Care Trust cluster for Sussex

SECAMB – South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Trust

SPT – Sussex Partnership NHS Foundation Trust

TBC – to be confirmed