

Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee – Work Programme

Current Scrutiny Reviews		
Title of Review	Detail	Proposed Completion Date

Initial Scoping Reviews

Subject area for initial scoping	Detail	Proposed Dates
Sussex Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee (JHOSC)	<p>Regulations require the establishment of a JHOSC where a substantial variation to services effects more than one local authority area.</p> <p>A JHOSC will be established if there is a need to consider potential future substantial variation in service resulting from both the Clinically Effective Commissioning (CEC) programme and the Sussex Health and Care Partnership (SHCP), although no substantial variations have yet been confirmed.</p> <p>The JHOSC would be established by each of the relevant local authorities ahead of consideration of any substantial variation and membership appointed to it on a politically proportional basis.</p>	Ongoing

List of Suggested Potential Future Scrutiny Review Topics

Suggested Topic	Detail

Scrutiny Reference Groups		
Reference Group Title	Subject Area	Meetings Dates
Brighton & Sussex University Hospitals (BSUH) NHS Trust HOSC working group	<p>A joint Sussex HOSCs working group to scrutinise the BSUH response to the findings of Care Quality Commission (CQC) inspections and the Trust's wider improvement plan.</p> <p>*an update was provided on BSUH at the most recent Sussex Health and Care Partnership HOSC working group</p> <p>Membership: Cllrs Belsey and two vacancies</p>	<p>Last meeting: 9 September 2020*</p> <p>Next meeting: TBC 2021</p>
Sussex Partnership NHS Foundation Trust (SPFT) HOSC working group	<p>Regular meetings with SPFT and other Sussex HOSCs to consider the Trust's response to CQC inspection findings and other mental health issues, including ongoing reconfiguration of dementia inpatient beds in East Sussex.</p> <p>Membership: Cllrs Belsey, Pragnell and Osborne</p>	<p>Last meeting: 27 September 2019</p> <p>Next meeting: TBC 2021</p>
The Sussex Health and Care Partnership (SHCP) HOSC working group	<p>Regular liaison meetings of Sussex HOSC Chairs with SHCP leaders to update on progress and discuss current issues. Wider regional HOSC meetings may also take place on the same day from time to time.</p> <p>The group has met monthly during the Covid-19 pandemic and other HOSC members have been given the opportunity to submit written questions to the Chief Executive of the Sussex CCGs ahead of each meeting.</p> <p>Membership: HOSC Chair (Cllr Belsey) and Vice Chair (Cllr Pragnell) and officer</p>	<p>Last meeting: 20 November 2020</p> <p>Next meeting: TBC 2021</p>
Reports for Information		
Subject Area	Detail	Proposed Date
Future Car parking arrangements at Conquest Hospital	Confirmation from ESHT about the planned car parking arrangements at the Conquest Hospital under the Building for our Future programme	2021

Training and Development

Title of Training/Briefing	Detail	Proposed Date
New Member induction	Induction sessions with new Members of the Committee. Potential group induction of any new Members following 2021 elections.	As required
Joint training sessions	Joint training sessions with neighbouring HOSCs on health related issues.	TBC
Building for Our Future	A briefing on the Building for Our Future plans for the redevelopment of Eastbourne District General Hospital (EDGH), Conquest Hospital and Bexhill Hospital developed by East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust (ESHT)	TBC
Visit to Ambulance Make Ready station	A visit to the new Brighton Ambulance Make Ready station.	TBC

Future Committee Agenda Items		Witnesses
10th June 2021		
Inpatient Mental Health Services	<p>Consideration by the Committee of the proposals for the future of the Department of Psychiatry, currently located at Eastbourne District General Hospital (EDGH) and provided by Sussex Partnership NHS Foundation Trust (SPFT), and whether they constitute a substantial variation to services requiring formal consultation with the Committee under health legislation.</p> <p>Further reports will be necessary if the HOSC agrees proposals are a substantial variation to services</p> <p><i>Please note: dates are dependent on the NHS own decision making process.</i></p>	Representatives of East Sussex CCG & SPFT
COVID-19 update	<p>To consider an update on the performance of the NHS in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.</p> <p>Report to focus on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the restoration and recovery of the cancer care targets • how the NHS is helping more vulnerable groups receive the vaccine 	Representatives of the East Sussex CCG & provider hospital trusts
Committee Work Programme	To manage the committee's programme of work including matters relating to ongoing reviews, initial scoping reviews, future scrutiny topics, reference groups, training and development matters and reports for information.	Democratic Services Officer
23rd September 2021		
Cardiology and ophthalmology	Consideration by the Committee of the proposals for cardiology and ophthalmology services at East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust (ESHT) and whether they constitute a substantial variation to services requiring formal consultation with the Committee under health legislation.	Representatives of East Sussex CCG & ESHT

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Eastbourne Station Health Centre	An update on the progress of the closure of the Eastbourne Station Health Centre	Representatives of the East Sussex CCG
NHS 111	An update on the performance of the new NHS 111 Clinical Assessment Service (CAS) provided by South East Coast Ambulance NHS Foundation Trust (SECAmb) and the NHS 111 First national programme.	Representatives of the East Sussex CCG and SECAmb
Primary Care Led Hub (PCLH)	To consider an update on the development of the service at Hastings Station Plaza to date.	Representatives of the East Sussex CCG
Committee Work Programme	To manage the committee's programme of work including matters relating to ongoing reviews, initial scoping reviews, future scrutiny topics, reference groups, training and development matters and reports for information.	Democratic Services Officer
2nd December 2021		
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Items to be scheduled – dates TBC		
Sussex-wide review of emotional health and wellbeing support for children and young people	To consider the work done in response to the Foundations for Our Future report produced following a Sussex-wide review of emotional health and wellbeing support for children and young people.	Representative of East Sussex CCGs
Transition Services	A report on the work of East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust (ESHT) Transition Group for patients transitioning from Children's to Adult's services	Representatives of ESHT

Patient Transport Service	<p>To consider proposals to recommission the Patient Transport Service (PTS) and to consider the outcome of the Healthwatch PTS survey.</p> <p><i>Note: provisional dependent on CCGs' plans</i></p>	Representatives of lead CCG and Healthwatch
Implementation of Kent and Medway Stroke review	<p>To consider the implementation of the Hyper Acute Stroke Units (HASUs) in Kent and Medway and progress of rehabilitation services in the High Weald area.</p> <p><i>Note: Timing is dependent on NHS implementation process</i></p>	Representatives of East Sussex CCG/Kent and Medway CCG
Primary Care Networks (PCNs) and future of primary care	A report on the performance of PCNs and the future plans for primary care in East Sussex	Representatives of ESHT/PCNs