

CABINET – August 2017

PROGRESS ON SCRUTINY PROJECTS

Review	Methodology	Type of report	Expected date for report to Cabinet	Comments
Continue participation in Joint Overview & Scrutiny Committee (JHOSC) for Shaping a Healthier Future Programme	Joint Committee	Update reports will be provided for O&S/Health and Social Care sub committee and Cabinet (for information)	As required	The latest meeting of the JHOSC was held on 20 April 2017. Neither Harrow member representative was able attend, however there was officer attendance. The substantive items on the agenda were the London Ambulance Service and the North West London Accident and Emergency (A&E) Performance Report for the winter of 2016/17. The next meeting of JHOSC has been cancelled.
Health Visiting Service	Challenge Panel and Visits to Clinics	Final Report to O&S and Cabinet (Scrutiny Report)	15 June 2017	The review is complete and the report and recommendations were presented at the O&S Committee on the 27 th June and July Cabinet – Cabinet response expected in September.
Regen Financing	Challenge Panel and Field Visits	Final Report to O&S and Cabinet (Scrutiny Report)	Awaiting new date	Site visits are underway and the Challenge Panel meetings are set for 12 and 21 September.
Centre for Public Scrutiny – Review of Scrutiny in Harrow	CFPS led review comprising research and workshops	Final report to O&S, cabinet and possibly Council	Nov/Dec - TBC	In response to the Peer Review we are working with the Centre for Public Scrutiny to review our scrutiny function in Harrow. Research into the models of scrutiny in other ‘contestable’ council has taken place and workshops with Senior Officers, Cabinet and Scrutiny Leadership Group took place in June/July to gather views as to what currently works well or not, ideas for improvement and a develop a shared understanding of the role and principles that should guide scrutiny going forwards. Report expected in September.

<p>Annual Health Scrutiny Research</p>	<p>Health Sub-Committee led review comprising research, field visits</p>	<p>Final report to Cabinet (Scrutiny Report)</p>	<p>March 2018</p>	<p>Meeting with the Chair and Vice-chair of the Health-Sub Committee took place in July. Aims of review agreed as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop a greater understanding of what constitutes ‘dementia-friendly’ housing. • Assess whether or not current housing provision within Harrow (Harrow Council owned, sheltered accommodation, housing associations, retirement homes) is suitable for and meets the needs of people suffering from Dementia <p>1 Chair and Members of the Health Sub-Committee to agree scope off- line by w/c 4th September.</p> <p>2: Research and evidence gathering and field visits September-November 2017</p> <p>3: Endorsement of final scope from O&S Health-Sub Committee: November</p>
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