
**REPORT FOR: HEALTH & SOCIAL
CARE SCRUTINY SUB-
COMMITTEE**

Date of Meeting:	12 June 2019
Subject:	Appointment of (non-voting) Advisers to the Sub-Committee 2019/20
Responsible Officer:	Hugh Peart, Director of Legal and Governance Services
Scrutiny Lead Member area:	N/A
Exempt:	No
Wards affected:	None
Enclosures:	None

Section 1 – Summary and Recommendations

This report informs Members in relation to the appointment of two non-voting advisers to the Sub-Committee. Members are requested to consider and agree the appointment of the advisers to the Sub-Committee for the 2019/20 Municipal Year.

Recommendations:

That, in accordance with the Committee Procedure Rules (Part 4B of the Constitution - Rule 33.9) the nominees named in this report, be appointed as advisers to the Sub-Committee for the 2019/20 Municipal Year.

Section 2 – Report

- 2.1 Rule 33.9 of Committee Procedure Rules (Part 4B of the Council's Constitution) provides for a Scrutiny Sub-Committee to appoint non-voting advisers (to assist in the work of the Sub-Committee either generally or on specific matters).
- 2.2 The following advisers have confirmed that they wish to continue as advisers to the Sub-Committee for the 2019/20 Municipal Year:
- Dr Nizar Merali (Local Medical Committee)
Mr Julian Maw (HealthWatch Harrow).
- 2.3 If appointed, the advisers will be required to comply with the Council's Protocol on Co-optees and Advisers (Part 5H of the Council's Constitution).

Ward Councillors' comments

Not applicable.

Financial/Legal Implications

There are no financial or legal implications arising from this report.

Performance Issues

None.

Environmental Impact

None.

Risk Management Implications

If not appointed, the Sub-Committee may not have access to expert external advice when conducting its business.

Equalities Implications / Public Sector Equality Duty

It is anticipated that appointing the proposed advisers will support the Council in meeting its Public Sector Equality Duty based on the advice they will be able to contribute.

Council Priorities

Promotes 'Protecting Vital Public Services' in a general sense by enabling scrutiny of health care services and that they meet the needs of Harrow residents.

Section 3 - Statutory Officer Clearance

Name: Sharon Daniels

on behalf of the
Chief Financial Officer

Date: 8 May 2019

Name: Paresh Mehta

on behalf of the
Monitoring Officer

Date: 8 May 2019

Ward Councillors notified: N/A

Section 4 - Contact Details and Background Papers

Contact: Daksha Ghelani, Senior Democratic Services Officer
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Background Papers: Council's Constitution

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