



Report of Head of Scrutiny and Member Development

Report to Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Yorkshire and the Humber)

Date: 17 October 2014

Subject: Process for handling consultation responses

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1 Purpose of this report

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to outline NHS England's process for handling consultation responses associated with the review of congenital heart disease.

2 Background

- 2.1 As noted and considered elsewhere at the meeting, a 12-week public consultation process around proposed CHD service standards and specifications commenced on 15 September 2014. The consultation period closes at 5:00pm on 8 December 2014.

3 Main issues

- 3.1 NHS England has set out details of the process for handling consultation responses. This is attached to this report.

4 Recommendations

- 4.1 The JHOSC is asked to note and comment on NHS England's process for handling consultation responses.

5 Background papers¹

5.1 None used

¹ The background documents listed in this section are available to download from the Council's website, unless they contain confidential or exempt information. The list of background documents does not include published works.