

Report of Head of Scrutiny and Member Development

Report to Scrutiny Board (Adult Social Services, Public Health, NHS)

Date: 24 November 2015

Subject: Cancer Waiting Times

Are specific electoral Wards affected? If relevant, name(s) of Ward(s):	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Are there implications for equality and diversity and cohesion and integration?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Is the decision eligible for Call-In?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Does the report contain confidential or exempt information? If relevant, Access to Information Procedure Rule number: Appendix number:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

1 Purpose of this report

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to introduce a report around Cancer Waiting Times and associated performance across Leeds' Clinical Commissioning Groups and Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust.

2 Summary of main issues

- 2.1 In June 2015, the Scrutiny Board identified Cancer Waiting Times as a specific area for inquiry during 2015/16. This is the first meeting where such details have been presented for consideration.
- 2.2 Attached is a joint report from Leeds' Clinical Commissioning Groups and Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust around Cancer Waiting Times and associated levels of performance against national targets.
- 2.3 Appropriate representatives have been invited to attend the meeting to present the attached information, address any questions from the Board and generally contribute to the discussion.

3 Recommendations

- 3.1 That the Scrutiny Board considers the report, including details presented at the meeting, and determines any future scrutiny actions or activity.

4. Background papers¹

4.1 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.