

Report of Head of Scrutiny and Member Development

Report to Scrutiny Board (Health and Wellbeing and Adult Social Care)

Date: 24 April 2013

Subject: Leeds Dementia Strategy – progress update

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1 Purpose of this report

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to introduce a verbal update on the progress of the Leeds' draft Dementia Strategy – *Living Well with Dementia in Leeds (2012-2015)* and development of the associated action plan.

2 Background

- 2.1 In June 2012 the Scrutiny Board (Health and Wellbeing and Adult Social Care) identified 'dementia' as one of its priority work areas for 2012/13. At its meeting on 25 July 2012, the Scrutiny Board considered Leeds' draft Dementia Strategy – *Living Well with Dementia in Leeds (2012-2015)* and welcomed the opportunity to discuss the on-going work being undertaken.
- 2.2 Following its July 2012 meeting, the Scrutiny Board provided an agreed consultation response and highlighted a desire to consider the draft action plan produced following analysis of all the consultation responses.
- 2.3 At its meeting in January 2013, the Scrutiny Board heard from the Chair of the Dementia Board and received a further update on the development of the Dementia Strategy for Leeds and the associated action plan. At that meeting it was agreed to present the finalised strategy and delivery/ action plan and noted that the Scrutiny Board might then identify specific areas on which to focus in the future.

3 Main issues

- 3.1 Given the Scrutiny Board's on-going involvement in the development of the Dementia Strategy for Leeds, appropriate representatives have been invited to attend the meeting to provide a further update on the development of the strategy and associated action plan.

4 Recommendations

4.1 Members are asked to consider the issues presented and discussed at the meeting and determine what, if any, further scrutiny activity may be required at this time.

5 Background papers¹

None used

¹The 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.