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Agenda Item 7

Item 7: Scrutiny Board Statement: Enabling Active Lifestyles - Response

Submission from Councillor Lamb.

Thank you for the email and the invitation. Unfortunately, I'm working on Tuesday and so will sadly not be able to be at the board in person. I would be very pleased to have a chat with the Chair in advance of the meeting.

The one key issue that I feel is not addressed in the report is the key recommendation of the board last year which has sadly not been taken up. I hope that the successor board might consider retaining the pressure around this.

The evidence we received last year was incredibly compelling and we collectively and unanimously came to the view that getting the city active is the closest thing we have to a silver bullet to make significant impacts on a huge array of key city priorities from reducing cancer and dementia, to improving mental health and helping reduce poverty and a huge variety of other areas.

The potential gains were so significant that we felt that getting the whole city active should become a council wide obsession. If it is left to the sports service alone to deliver this strategy there will be some impact but it will be negligible.

Without planners thinking about this when they deal with planning applications and strategic planning and development for instance, how can this be effectively delivered?

If the older population in Leeds was fully active, the improvements to their quality of life and the subsequent easing on pressure and resources in Adult Social Care and the NHS could be enormous.

I could go on but the point is that there is a role in this for every department of council without exception and many of our partners. The prize is potentially huge but we are in danger of taking an excellent strategy but not giving it the profile and spotlight that it needs and deserves.

I hope these comments are helpful and I wish you and the board well in the year ahead. If I can be of assistance at any stage I would be only too happy to contribute.

Many thanks,

Cllr Alan Lamb
Deputy Leader of the Conservative Group
Chair of the Children & Families Scrutiny Board

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SCRUTINY BOARD (ADULTS, HEALTH AND ACTIVE LIFESTYLES) - WORKING GROUP

WEDNESDAY, 15TH AUGUST, 2018

PRESENT: Councillor H Hayden in the Chair

Councillors C Anderson, B Flynn,
G Harper, N Harrington, M Iqbal, S Lay,
D Ragan, K Wakefield and A Wenham

1 Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Judith Elliott, Councillor James Gibson and Dr John Beal (HealthWatch Leeds).

2 Declaration of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests

There were no declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests made at the meeting. However, Councillor Ragan advised the working group that her adopted son had been involved with the Child Development Centre, as a service user.

3 Late Items

There were no specific late items of business identified for consideration; however a member of the working group highlighted a matter for potential scrutiny toward the end of the meeting.

4 Minutes - 6 April 2018

Members considered the draft minutes of the working group, held on 6 April 2018.

The Chair provided an update on the items considered at that working group meeting in April 2018 and not included elsewhere on agenda, as follows:

Adults and Health: Customer Contact and Satisfaction (minute 31 refers) – the Adult Social Care Annual Complaints report has been incorporated into the 2018/19 work schedule.

Service Change Proposal: Adult Community Mental Health Services in Leeds (minute 35 refers) – service commissioners are fully involved in this process with Leeds CCG being a member of the project board since its inception in March 2018. The Trust has engaged with HealthWatch Leeds, which has done its own independent engagement exercise, and the third sector in Leeds via Forum Central which has also been part of the project board and stakeholder workstream meetings.

The Trust's Executive Team had recently decided to pause the project for a month to allow more time for key documents to be developed and considered

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in more detail internally. Members of the Scrutiny Board would continue to be updated on progress.

Service Change Proposal: Reconfiguration of maternity and Neonatal Services (minute 36 refers) – the key matters in terms of progress and next steps included:

1. A key criteria to receive NHS England assurance is confirmation that the capital funds have been secured.
2. At the end of July the West Yorkshire and Harrogate Health and Care Partnership confirmed the Leeds capital bid (mainly for this project) had been submitted as a priority. A national review of bids is anticipated to take in Autumn 2018.
3. Once NHS England is assured funding is available, an assurance process will be set in motion, which will also need signing off nationally.
4. The Clinical Senate report has been received. This is supportive of the model / proposals and makes some recommendations for further work as the project moves forward, including workforce plans.
5. All consultation materials have been prepared but public consultation cannot commence until the capital and NHS England assurance is confirmed.

RESOLVED –

- (a) To note the updates provided at the meeting.
- (b) To agree the minutes of the working group meeting held on 6 April 2018 as an accurate record.

5 Purpose and role of the Health Service Developments Working Group

The purpose and role of the Health Service Developments Working Group, as outlined as part of the agenda papers, were noted.

6 Child Development Centre

Members considered a report from Leeds Community NHS Trust regarding the Trust's decision to relocate the Child Development Centre / Service to the Reginald Centre.

Members raised the following concerns and highlighted the need for additional information, as follows:

- The criteria for financial support (for travel) to be used by the Trust.
- The involvement of the Trust in a broader piece of work exploring transport matters.
- Concern regarding the potential incremental impacts of service changes on the parking capacity at the Reginald Centre and the surrounding area.

RESOLVED –

- (a) That the proposed service move be supported.

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- (b) That further information be provided on the areas of concern highlighted at the meeting.

7 Community Dental Services

Members considered a report from Leeds Community NHS Trust regarding the Trust's decision to adopt the Assessment Clinic Model as the route into accessing Community Dental Services in Leeds. This included the reduced service currently available at Seacroft Clinic ceasing from 1 December 2018.

Members were also advised of discussions regarding the future configuration of the dental estate (relating to Community Dental Services) in Leeds had taken place between NHS England and the Trust, with a view to reducing the number of sites in Leeds from five to three. The Trust proposed to run a 3-month consultation on the most appropriate / preferred sites and requested the Board's views.

Members raised the following concerns and highlighted the need for additional information, as follows:

- Concerns regarding the potential incremental impacts of service changes on the overall capacity at the Reginald Centre; and similar concerns regarding parking facilities previously highlighted.
- The need for more detailed information regarding the proposed consultation around rationalising the existing Community Dental Services estate.
- More consideration of the Scrutiny Board's approach to responding to the consultation.

RESOLVED –

- (a) That the Trust's adoption of the Assessment Clinic Model and the reduced service currently available at Seacroft Clinic ceasing from 1 December 2018, be noted.
- (b) That additional information be provided where necessary and further consideration be given to the areas of concern highlighted at the meeting.

8 Improving Access to Psychological Therapies (IAPT) Services

Members considered a range of information relating Improving Access to Psychological Therapies (IAPT) Services in Leeds and the associated review and re-procurement processes currently underway in Leeds.

Members highlighted a range of matters for further consideration as part of the review and re-procurement processes, including:

- Links to other priority areas across the City, including Housing, Education and Employment.
- Ensuring IAPT services formed an integral part of the City's overall mental health services that provided a continuum offer, with links and referral mechanisms to/from other service areas.

- Recognising young people aged 19-25 as a specific 'vulnerable group'.
- Considering how access to IAPT services might assist support released prisoners and help reduce reoffending.
- Concerns regarding 'payment by results' as a proposed way forward.

RESOLVED –

- (a) That the information and details discussed be noted.
- (b) That the matters highlighted at the meeting be considered as part of the current review and re-procurement processes being undertaken.

9 Urgent Treatment Centres in Leeds

Members considered a range of information presented by NHS Leeds Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) regarding the proposed development of Urgent Treatment Centres in Leeds and associated engagement.

This followed an earlier meeting and discussion with the working group in December 2017; where members had previously supported the direction of travel.

Members considered the more detailed proposals presented and again were generally supportive of the proposals. Members also highlighted the following areas:

- The need for Leeds CCG to ensure local ward members are appropriately briefed and kept updated on any developments within specific wards of the City;
- The substantial nature of the proposals but accepted the development as a 'Level 3' service change (with the associated engagement activity), as proposed by the CCG. (Primarily on the advice that this would facilitate a speedier outcome and help ensure the timescales associated with NHS England's directive were met).
- Given the substantial nature of the proposals, the need for Leeds CCG to ensure a 'level 4' standard of engagement applied where possible.
- The need for the Scrutiny Board to be provided with an update report following completion of the pre-engagement work.

RESOLVED –

- (a) That the proposed development be classed as a 'Level 3' service change/development.
- (b) That Leeds CCG ensures local ward members are appropriately briefed and kept updated on any developments within specific wards of the City.
- (c) Given the substantial nature of the proposals, that Leeds CCG apply a 'Level 4' standard of engagement wherever possible.
- (d) That, following completion of the pre-engagement work, a further update report be provided to the Scrutiny Board.

10 Other matters - Yorkshire Ambulance NHS Trust

A member of the working group highlighted Yorkshire Ambulance NHS Trust proposals regarding the deployment / use of Rapid Response Vehicles as an additional item for possible scrutiny; highlighting concerns in rural and semi-rural communities about response times.

The Chair requested that further information be provided to her and the Principal Scrutiny Adviser.

RESOLVED – That, subject to receipt of the additional information, the Principal Scrutiny Adviser explore the matter in more detail and update members of the Scrutiny Board in due course.

11 Date and Time of Next Meeting

RESOLVED – That the date and time of further working group meetings be determined in consultation with the Chair.

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