Summary of main issues

1. In February 2018, the West Yorkshire and Harrogate Health and Care Partnership (WY&H HCP) System Leadership Executive Group put forward an expression of interest to be considered by NHS England [NHSE] and NHS Improvement [NHSI] to be part of the Integrated Care System (ICS) development programme.

2. The purpose of this report is to introduce an update following the announcement in May 2018 that WY&H HCP has been accepted to participate in the second wave of the ICS development programme - initially in shadow format.

3. The report provides an overview of the purpose of the ICS, the benefits and opportunities it may bring and the next steps to progress development of an ICS for West Yorkshire and Harrogate.

4. Appropriate representatives have been invited to the meeting to discuss the details of the emerging proposals for a West Yorkshire and Harrogate ICS and address questions from members of the Joint Committee.

Recommendations

5. That the Joint Committee considers the details presented and agrees any specific scrutiny actions and/or future activity.
Background documents¹

6. None.

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.