



Report of the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development

Scrutiny Board (Health)

Date: 12 December 2008

Subject: Provision of Stroke Care

Electoral Wards Affected:

Ward Members consulted
(referred to in report)

Specific Implications For:

Equality and Diversity
Community Cohesion
Narrowing the Gap

1.0 Introduction

- 1.1 At its meeting on 18 November 2008 the Scrutiny Board (Health) identified the provision of stroke care as a particular area of interest, in particular the vision for improving stroke care, including preventative measures and urgent medical and surgical interventions.
- 1.2 As such, representatives from NHS Leeds and Leeds Teaching Hospital NHS Trust have been invited to attend the Board to provide an overview of stroke care provision and to address any questions and/or comments from the Board.

2.0 Recommendations

- 2.1 The Board is requested to:
- 2.1.1 Consider the information provided and discussed at the meeting;
 - 2.1.2 Identify and determine the scope and timing of any additional information that may be required and/or any specific matters that require further scrutiny.

3.0 Background Papers

None