

Report of: Liz Jarmin (Head of Locality Partnerships)

Report to: Inner North East Community Committee

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To note

Title: The voice of people and communities in Leeds

Purpose of report

1. To provide the Inner North East Community Committee with an update on the work of Healthwatch, Leeds and the challenges it is facing from members of the public about primary care delivery. To also gather input from Elected Members and residents.

Main issues

2. The presentation is intended to provide the Inner North East Community Committee with an update on changes to Repeat Prescriptions and the difficulty registering with an NHS Dentist in the Leeds District.
3. The presentation provides the Inner North East Community Committee with an overview of the health concerns, linking the discussion to local issues relevant to the specific committee area.
4. The agenda item also provides elected member and the public the opportunity to provide feedback in relation to community engagement methods and the following council priorities:
 - Strong, engaged and well connected communities
 - Safe and sustainable places that protect and promote health and well being
 - Promote, prevention and improving health outcomes through an integrated health and care system.
 - Support carers and enable people to maintain independent lives
 - The best care in the right place at the right time
 - A mentally healthy city for everyone

Recommendations

5. Elected Members are asked to note the contents of the presentation that will be provided by an officer from Healthwatch.