

Scrutiny Board (Health and Well-being and Adult Social Care)

The Scrutiny Board (Health and Well-being including Adult Social Care) is authorised to discharge the following overview and scrutiny functions¹.

1. to review or scrutinise the exercise of any council or executive function or any other related matter including :-
 - a) Reducing smoking in the over 18s
 - b) Service Change and Commissioning in Adult Social Care
 - c) Reducing avoidable admissions to hospital and care homes
 - d) The transformation of health and Social Care Services
2. to carry out such other reviews or policy development tasks as it may be requested to do by either the Executive Board or the Council.
3. to act as the appropriate Scrutiny Board in relation to the Executive's initial proposals for a relevant plan or strategy² within the Budget and Policy Framework³
4. to review or scrutinise executive decisions made that have been Called In⁴
5. To consider such proposals as are referred to it by local NHS bodies and the authority and to report back the result of its considerations to the referring body and others as appropriate.
6. In relation to matters in respect of which a local NHS body consults more than one scrutiny committee within its area, or in relation to matters which a number of Yorkshire and Humber Councils elect to jointly scrutinise a function or service provided by the NHS body⁵, to:
 - a) nominate Members to a joint committee, such nominations to reflect the political balance of the Board;
 - b) delegate its scrutiny functions to another local authority.
7. to receive and monitor formal responses to any reports or recommendations made by the Board

¹ In relation to functions delegated to the Director of Adult Social Services under the Officer Delegation Scheme whether or not those functions are concurrently delegated to any other committee or officer.

² Namely the Health and Wellbeing City Priority Plan

³ In accordance with Budget and Policy Framework Procedure Rules.

⁴ In accordance with the Scrutiny Board Procedure Rules.

⁵ Or in relation to matters which a number of councils are required to carry out joint scrutiny by virtue of a direction of the Secretary of State.

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8. to review outcomes, targets and priorities within the Council Business Plan and City Priority Plans and to make such reports and recommendations as it considers appropriate;
9. to receive requests for scrutiny and councillor calls for action⁶ and undertake any subsequent work

⁶ Including requests made in relation to health and social care matters in accordance with the Local Authority (Overview and Scrutiny Committees Health Scrutiny Functions) Regulations 2002 but not including requests in relation to crime and disorder matters.