

Adult Social Care Select Committee Work Programme 2013-14

Date	Item	Why is this a Scrutiny Item?	Contact Officer	Additional Comments
May 2014				
1 May	Commissioning in Adult Social Care	Scrutiny of Services/Policy Development – It is important that the Committee understands the concept of commissioning adult social care. The service will outline its commissioning principles, partnership working and future plans.	Anne Butler, Assistant Director for Commissioning	
1 May	Managing the Market	Scrutiny of Services/Policy Development – the Commissioning service has a priority to manage the care market. The Committee will scrutinise the current policies and strategies for doing so and contribute to any ideas for improvement.	Anne Butler, Assistant Director for Commissioning	
1 May	Adult Social Care – Local Authority Trading Company	Scrutiny of Services – The Committee will receive an update on the finalised arrangements for the Local Authority Trading Company.	Simon Laker	
June 2014				
26 June	Self-funder Strategy	Scrutiny of Services/Policy Development – The Service is working on a Self-funders Strategy, which includes the provision of information and advice. The Committee will scrutinise any draft of this strategy, and contribute to its development.	John Woods	
26 June?	GetWise	Scrutiny of Services – this welfare benefits advice service has been up and running for 12 months and the Committee will take the opportunity to review its performance over that period.	Anne Butler, Assistant Director for Commissioning, Norah Lewis,	

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26 June	Budget Monitoring	Scrutiny of Budgets – The Committee will scrutinise the most recent budget monitoring information.	Paul Carey-Kent	
26 June	Social Care Debt	Scrutiny of Services – The Committee will scrutinise the most recent social care debt information and include the internal audit report . Reducing social care debt is a priority for the Committee.	Paul Carey-Kent	
TO BE SCHEDULED				
	Review of in-house residential homes for older people	Policy development – The Committee will scrutinise the final options appraisal for the six in-house residential homes for older people, prior to a decision by the Cabinet.	Mark Lloyd	

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Task and Working Groups

Group	Membership	Purpose	Reporting dates
Family, Friends and Community Support working group	Margaret Hicks, Fiona White	To track project outcomes and deliverables for the Family, Friends and Community Support agenda	May 2014