

Adult Social Care Scrutiny Commission

Draft Work Programme 2021-2022

Meeting Date	Topic	Lead Officer	Actions Arising	Progress
	To keep a watching brief on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Councils Forward Plans • Councils Budgeting reports • Consultations • ASC Performance Monitoring reports 			
29 June 2021	(Overview of ASC services for benefit of new membership – separate session to be held) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Covid-19 Recovery Plans – update • ASC Operational Strategy 2021-24 • Strengths Based Practice in Adult Social Care • Leicestershire County Care Ltd (LCCL) -update • Draft Work Programme 2021/22 		ASC Operational Strategy item: Commission to receive future updates, and officers be encouraged to flag areas of improvement. Strengths Based Practice in Adult Social Care item: Commission added to work programme to allow for members to track progress. LCCL update item: Commission to be kept informed of progress.	
26 August 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Covid-19 update • HealthWatch Leicester & Leicestershire Annual Report • Domiciliary Care • Procurement Plan • Work Programme, including proposal for new review into Care Packages Budget costs. 		HealthWatch Leicester AR item: Members recommended for HealthWatch to improve their attendance, engagement and sharing of information with ASC scrutiny. Domiciliary Care item: Members requested item on Carers Tech to future meeting. Dom Care item scrutiny to continue via task group review. Procurement Plan item: Members requested for item to come back with bigger font for legibility and table to show higher value contracts at top, if possible. WP – proposal for new review agreed.	

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7 October 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Covid-19 update • Procurement Plan • Work Programme, including progress update on task group review, led by Cllr March. • Afghan refugees resettlement – verbal update on ASC impacts 		<p>Procurement Plan item:Members recommended contracts for further scrutiny:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Transport of Vulnerable Persons (jointly with Childrens Scrutiny)</i> • <i>Domestic Violence (jointly with N/hoods Scrutiny)</i> • <i>Liberty Protection Safeguarding (ASC)</i> • <i>Extra Care Development (ASC)</i> • <i>Domiciliary Support (ASC task group)</i> <p>Covid update item: Members agreed to keep covid updates on future agendas.</p> <p>Afghan refugees resettlement item Members be kept informed of any progress, and that broader consideration be given to refugees and asylum seekers in the city, in relation to adult social care impacts.</p> <p>Work Programme re: progress on task group item: Members requested an additional ‘deep dive’ evidence session.</p>	
2 Dec 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Covid update • Existing Winter Care Plan update on ASC aspects. • Learning Disabilities Plan update • Leicester Safeguarding Adult Board Annual Report • Task Group report – progress update 			

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13 January 2022	<p><i>Draft items tbc:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Council Annual Budget reports - TBC • Mental Health Strategy 2021-2025, final plan to come back • Carers and Domiciliary Strategy • Carers Technology Aids • ASC Performance monitoring • HealthWatch Leicester & Leicestershire re: engagement with scrutiny • Task Group report – progress update 			
10 March 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local Plan update TBC 			

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<p>Forward planning – possible items:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Autism Strategy</i> • <i>Dementia Strategy update</i> • <i>ASC Workforce Planning for the future</i> • <i>Carers Strategy</i> • <i>Tackling isolation</i> • <i>Unisons Ethnical Care Charter</i> • <i>Better Care Fund (BCF) Annual Report</i> • <i>Contracts and Assurance Annual Quality Report</i> • <i>Age UK Leicester, Leicestershire & Rutland</i> • <i>Procurement Plan: contracts for further scrutiny:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <i>Transport of Vulnerable Persons – to bring an update for members when further progress is made, as this commissioning review is underway. To be considered jointly with Childrens Scrutiny.</i> ➤ <i>Domestic Violence –to be considered jointly with Neighbourhoods Scrutiny</i> ➤ <i>Liberty Protection Safeguarding – under Adult Social Care. Ruth to bring a report once further clarity and guidance is received from the Dept of Health & Social Care, to include associated Advocacy contracts</i> ➤ <i>Extra Care Development – under Adult Social Care. Kate to bring an update for members when further progress is made, as this commissioning review is underway.</i> ➤ <i>Domiciliary Support – under Adult Social Care, to be considered as part of ongoing task group work into care costs packages review.</i> 				