



Leicester  
City Council

## MINUTE EXTRACT

### Minutes of the Meeting of the SOCIAL SERVICES AND PERSONAL HEALTH SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Held: WEDNESDAY, 10 MARCH 2004 at 5.30pm

#### P R E S E N T :

Councillor Gill - Chair  
Councillor Mrs Chambers - Conservative Spokesperson  
Councillor Getliffe -Labour Spokesperson

Councillor Garrity

Councillor Nurse

#### CO-OPTED MEMBERS

Ms S. Bray – Voluntary Sector  
Mr J. Scruton – Voluntary Sector

#### IN ATTENDANCE

Councillor Suleman – Cabinet Link Member

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#### **80. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Members were asked to declare any interest they may have in the business to be discussed and / or indicate that Section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act applied to them.

There were no declarations.

#### **85. PROPOSED ARRANGEMENTS FOR DEVELOPING AN INTEGRATED LEARNING DISABILITY SERVICES IN LEICESTER**

The Corporate Director, Social Care and Health, submitted a report setting out an initial project plan for the lead commissioning and integration of all social care and health and NHS budgets and services for people with learning disabilities in Leicester City. The planned date for completion was 1 April 2005. Details were given of the initial timetable and project plan drawn up by officers from the City and County Councils, Rutland, and Primary Care and NHS Partnership Trusts.

Members referred to the key role in driving the process which could be undertaken by the Health Scrutiny Committee which was currently being set up. It was suggested that carers or users could be co-opted onto the Health Scrutiny Committee.

RESOLVED:

1. That Council be asked to consider the Committee's request that a person with learning disabilities be invited to join the Health Scrutiny Committee; and
2. that the Committee notes and supports the arrangement that the City Council takes on the lead commissioning responsibilities with integrated services from 1 April 2005 onwards.