

SLOUGH BOROUGH COUNCIL

REPORT TO: Health Scrutiny Panel **DATE:** 24 March 2014

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PART I **CONSIDERATION & COMMENT**

QUALITY AND IMPROVEMENT AT HEATHERWOOD AND WEXHAM PARK HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

1 Purpose of Report

To provide information on the latest position regarding the Action Plan at Heatherwood and Wexham Park Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust to address warning notices issued by the Care Quality Commission (CQC) and Monitor; and the roles played in this process by the Slough Clinical Commissioning Group and Healthwatch Slough in the improvement journey.

Note: The Slough Clinical Commissioning Group will provide a verbal update of the role it has undertaken in monitoring progress against the Action Plan at the meeting.

2 Recommendation(s)/Proposed Action

That the Panel consider the information provided in the report and through discussion at its meeting to assess the progress made in addressing the concerns raised by the CQC and Monitor, and the sustainability of the measures being put in place.

3 Documents Attached

- A - Update to the Action Plan to address Warning Notices Issued by Care Quality Commission and Monitor Enforcement Actions (Heatherwood and Wexham Park Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust)
- B - Healthwatch Slough's Work Plan regarding Wexham Park Hospital
- C - Healthwatch Slough's Report Findings on Wexham Park Hospital

4 Background Papers

- 1 - Care Quality Commission: Inspection Reports (July 2013 and December 2013)
- 2 - Slough Health Scrutiny Panel Agendas and Minutes (17 September 2013 and 13 January 2014)