

SLOUGH BOROUGH COUNCIL

REPORT TO: Health Scrutiny Panel

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PART I **FOR COMMENT AND CONSIDERATION**

HEALTH SCRUTINY PANEL - WORK PROGRAMME 2020/21

1. **Purpose of Report**

For the Health Scrutiny Panel to discuss its work programme for 2020-21.

2. **Recommendations/Proposed Action**

That the panel review the work programme and potential items listed for inclusion.

3. **The Slough Joint Wellbeing Strategy, the JSNA and the Five Year Plan**

3.1 The Health Scrutiny Panel, along with the Overview & Scrutiny Committee and other Scrutiny Panels combine to meet the local authority's statutory requirement to provide public transparency and accountability, ensuring the best outcomes for the residents of Slough.

3.2 The effective scrutiny of the councils decision making and work in the area of health and social care underpins the delivery of all four of the Joint Slough Wellbeing Strategy priorities:

- Starting Well
- Integration
- Strong, healthy and attractive neighbourhoods
- Workplace Health

3.3 The work of the Health Scrutiny Panel also reflects the following priorities of the Five Year Plan:

- Outcome 1: Slough children will grow up to be happy, healthy and successful.
- Our people will be healthier and manage their own care needs.

4. **Other Implications**

(a) Financial

There are no financial implications of the proposed action.

(b) Risk Management

There are no risk management implications of the proposed action.

(c) Human Rights Act and other Legal Implications

There are no Human Rights Act implications arising from this report.

(d) Equalities Impact Assessment

There are no Equalities implications arising from this report.

5. **Supporting Information**

5.1 This work programme has been formed through discussions between the Chair of the Health Scrutiny Panel, the Vice-Chair of the Health Scrutiny Panel and the Director of Adults and Communities.

5.2 The work programme is a flexible document which will be continually reviewed throughout the municipal year. It will be updated to take into account requests for consideration of issues from members of the Health Scrutiny Panel.

6. **Conclusion**

This report is intended to provide the Health Scrutiny Panel with the opportunity to review its upcoming work programme and make any amendments it feels are required.

7. **Appendices Attached**

A - Work Programme for 2020/21 Municipal Year

8. **Background Papers**

None.