

## **Slough Learning Disability Partnership Board**

### **Quarterly Meeting #5**

**02-07-2025**

**10:00 AM – 1:00 PM**

**Chalvey Community Hub**

### ***Easy Read Minutes***

#### **Welcome and introductions.**

- The two co-chairs introduced themselves and welcomed all participants.
- Members then introduced each other

#### **Carers Support Offer**

- The Carers Support and Development Officer presented the carers offer and how to access information, assessment and support.
- Members were provided with information on the various support services available to carers across Slough.
- The presentation highlighted the pathways for carers to access the support they need.

#### **Tea Break**

#### **Free NHS Health Checks and Health Bus**

- The Board was informed about the introduction of free NHS health checks to be provided at Chalvey Community Hub.
- These health checks will be available during Slough Autism Together encounters in a private room to ensure confidentiality and comfort.

- Members were also informed about the availability of the health bus, which will provide accessible health services to the community.

## **Specialist Accommodation Strategy**

- The Commissioning Officer presented the vision and intention behind the specialist accommodation strategy that the Council is developing.
- The strategy will be coproduced with people with learning disabilities to ensure their voices and preferences are central to the planning process.
- Discussion focused on how to capture the visions and aspirations of people with learning disabilities effectively.
- Members provided feedback on the scope of the strategy, which emphasises promoting independence and autonomy at home with support available when needed.
- The strategy includes a focus on innovation and technology to support people with everyday tasks and enhance their quality of life.

## **Enhanced Safe Places Scheme Update**

- The Community Safety Partnership Officer provided an update on the enhanced Safe Places Scheme now available across Slough.
- The scheme has been expanded to include all businesses that are open until late and have multiple staff members available.
- Examples of participating businesses include McDonald's and similar establishments with extended operating hours.
- In addition to providing safe spaces, these premises will also have defibrillators and bleed kits available for emergency use.
- This enhancement aims to improve community safety and provide accessible support for vulnerable individuals

## **Any Other Business**

*No other business was raised.*