

# HOSC/37/16

**Committee** Health Overview and Scrutiny

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## **CABINET MEMBER RESPONSE TO RECOMMENDATIONS IN THE FINAL SCRUTINY REPORT ON OBESITY ISSUES IN ESSEX**

### **Recommendation:**

The Committee is asked to:

- (i) To note the distribution of the report;
- (ii) Consider the initial response to each recommendation received from Cabinet Members and any issues arising;
- (iii) To agree an Implementation Review being scheduled into the Committee's work programme.

### Background:

The Task and Finish Group scrutiny report looking at preventative measures pre-birth through to age 11 was endorsed by the Committee on 14 April 2016.

Subsequently, a summary report (attached as **Appendix 1**) has been produced and this is the document that has been widely distributed as follows:

Secretary of State for Health;  
House of Commons Health Committee;  
Essex MPs;  
Leaders of Essex borough, district, unitary councils;  
Chief Executives of Essex borough, district, unitary councils.  
Chief Officers, Clinical Commissioning Groups.  
Members of the Health and Wellbeing Board.

### Cabinet Member response

Each of the Group's formal recommendations is directed at either the Cabinet Member for Health, Cabinet Member Education and Lifelong Learning or the Cabinet Member for Corporate, Communities and Customers.

Attached in **Appendix 2** is their initial response to each recommendation. A further implementation review will be scheduled in to the Committee's work programme as indicated under each recommendation.