

Chairman's Report

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County Divisions affected: Not applicable	

1. Introduction

- 1.1 This is the latest update reporting on discussions at HOSC Chairman's Forum meetings usually held in between the formal meetings of the committee.

2. Action required

- 2.1 The Committee is asked to consider this report and identify any issues arising.

3. Background

- 3.1 The Chairman, Vice Chairmen and Lead Joint HOSC Members, usually meet monthly in between scheduled meetings of the full Committee to discuss work planning and this often entails talking to ECC and external health officers. This is the latest regular short report of these meetings. In addition, there are also meetings with the Cabinet Member for Health and Adult Social Care on a bi-monthly basis and quarterly meetings with senior officers.

4. Update and Next Steps

- 4.1. The Forum last met on 16 December 2019 and the main issues discussed and actions agreed were:
- (i) Autism – **agreed** to proceed with planning a joint briefing (with PAF) for Monday 3rd February.
 - (ii) STP update (January HOSC) – discussed encouraging a collegiate session, and **agreed** representation, format of meeting and set advance questions (questions set out in the papers for the STP update elsewhere in the agenda pack).
 - (iii) **Agreed:** to start planning a mental health item to challenge how they work with the STPs as well as quality concerns.

5. List of Appendices

None

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