

HOPSC/20/19

Committee Health Overview Policy and Scrutiny

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CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

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Recommendation: To note the update (below).

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 the senior officers.

Monday 3rd June

Agreed actions from discussion:

Vice Chairmanship: discussed seeking a second nomination. Cllr Sargeant to be approached.

12 June HOSC: Essex County Council to be invited to also attend for the primary care item (in addition to health commissioners) - to be asked to report orally on how the County Council links with primary care, how it would like primary care to work in future and linking it with prevention.

Specialist services - correspondence on Moorfields Eye Hospital and Mount Vernon had been received. Investigate further the role of the Outer North East London JHOSC in serving on any specific JHOSCs to be set up, the extent of the role of the Essex HOSC on these issues, and whether any written submission should be made. To be added to July HOSC agenda.

Church Lane GP practice, Braintree - correspondence had been received on continuing concerns. The HOSC Leadership Team to be kept updated.