

**OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY BOARD**

**9 MARCH 2010**

**FINAL REPORT OF THE TEES VALLEY HEALTH SCRUTINY JOINT  
COMMITTEE – CANCER SCREENING SERVICES**

**PURPOSE OF THE REPORT**

1. To introduce the final report of the Tees Valley Health Scrutiny Joint Committee into Cancer Screening Services.

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

2. It is recommended that the OSB notes the attached report, considers the implications for the people of Middlesbrough and agrees that the report can be submitted to the Executive for consideration.

**CONSIDERATION OF REPORT**

3. As OSB is aware from previous updates, the Tees Valley Health Scrutiny Joint Committee has considered the topic of Cancer Screening. The final report has now been prepared and is duly attached for the attention of Members.
4. The attached final report is due to be considered by PCT Boards in at the end of March 2010. It has been brought to OSB to ensure that Members are aware of the content of the report and specifically the implications of the report for Middlesbrough. The OSB may wish to consider the issues raised as part of future work programmes for Overview & Scrutiny.
5. The OSB is also asked to agree that the report can be submitted to the Executive for consideration.

## **BACKGROUND PAPERS**

6. Please find attached Final Report into Cancer Screening Services, produced by the Tees Valley Health Scrutiny Joint Committee.

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