

OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY BOARD

7 FEBRUARY 2012

SOCIAL CARE & ADULT SERVICES SCRUTINY PANEL

PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

1. To appraise the Overview & Scrutiny Board of the progress of the Social Care & Adult Services Scrutiny Panel.

RECOMMENDATIONS

2. That the Overview & Scrutiny Board notes the progress of the Social Care & Adult Services Scrutiny Panel.

CONSIDERATION OF REPORT

3. The Social Care & Adult Services Scrutiny Panel is underway with its work into the Social Care aspects of care for vulnerable older people in care settings. The Panel is scheduled to meet with the Department of Social Care on 2 February 2012, to hear its views on some of the major issues from the Department's perspective and to hear the Department's views on important avenues of enquiry for the Panel to pursue.
4. It is anticipated that following the meeting with the Department of Social Care, the Panel will be able to plan the rest of the review which will involve asking questions of care providers, Care Quality Commission and the Department of Social Care again.

BACKGROUND PAPERS

5. No background papers were used in the production of this paper.

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