

MIDDLESBROUGH COUNCIL
OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY BOARD

AGENDA ITEM: 13 (f)

SOCIAL CARE AND ADULT SERVICES SCRUTINY PANEL PROGRESS REPORT
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2 August 2016

PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

1. To provide members of the Overview and Scrutiny Board with an update on the work of the Social Care and Adult Services Scrutiny Panel.

BACKGROUND

Prevention Services in Adult Social Care

2. The last meeting of the Social Care and Adult Services Scrutiny Panel was held on 8 July 2016. At the meeting, the scrutiny panel received evidence on emerging practice and research in respect of prevention services and approaches across England.
3. A draft final report was prepared for the meeting, which summarised the information gathered and highlighted the issues explored in considering the terms of reference. The scrutiny panel considered the draft report and discussed, determined and agreed appropriate conclusions and recommendations. The final report is elsewhere on the Overview and Scrutiny Board agenda.

Work Programme 2016/17

4. On 8 July, the scrutiny panel also identified the topics it would like to include in its work programme for 2016/17, for consideration/approval by the Overview and Scrutiny Board.

The Provision of Approved Mental Health Professionals (AMHPs) – An Update

5. On 19 January 2016, the Executive considered the scrutiny panel's final report on the topic of Approved Mental Health Professionals (AMHPs). The next meeting is scheduled to take place on 8 August 2016. At this meeting, the Assistant Director for Social Care will be in attendance to provide an update on the progress made with the implementation of agreed actions, since the panel's report was submitted to the Executive.

RECOMMENDATION

6. That the Overview and Scrutiny Board notes the progress of the Social Care and Adult Services Scrutiny Panel.

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