

HEALTH SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Title	Method of Scrutiny	Progress to Date/Actions from last Meeting	Expected Completion Date
Consultation on Mental Health Services (AMBER)	Full Committee	<p>Stage 2 has been implemented.</p> <p>Foundation Status – The Committee will continue to monitor.</p>	Ongoing
Fit for the Future and move to the Accident and Emergency Centre	Full Committee	<p>Visit to UHNS A & E took place on 4th March 2013 UHNS Officers attended Committee on 17 April 2013.</p> <p>4 Hour Target issues to be monitored.</p>	Ongoing
Health and Wellbeing Strategy (AMBER)	Full Committee	<p>Coordinating Committee resolved the strategy should remain with Health Scrutiny, but that a working group could include Members of Active & Cohesive Scrutiny Committee</p> <p>Health and Well Being Strategy to be presented on 13 June 2013 to Health and Well Being Board. Strategy currently out for engagement.</p>	Ongoing
Health and wellbeing Board (AMBER)	Full Committee	<p>Cllr Frank Finlay of Stafford Borough Council appointed as additional district representative for North Staffordshire.</p> <p>Initial meeting held between Newcastle Borough Councillors and officers with Cllr Finlay and Stafford officer. Cllr Finlay to be contacted before every meeting to ensure the views of the Borough Council are fully represented.</p>	Ongoing
Infant Mortality (AMBER)	Full Committee following a request from the County Council Health Scrutiny Committee.	<p>Still concerns but updates received by Dr John Harvey recently appear to show numbers are reducing.</p> <p>Update would be given at every Health and Well Being Board Meeting.</p>	Ongoing
Francis Report (AMBER)	Full Committee	<p>Request at Feb 2013 meeting that the 30 pages of the report relating to Borough and Staffordshire County Council O & S Committees be given consideration.</p> <p>Implementation of recommendations, at a District level, to be monitored.</p>	Ongoing

Suicide Prevention (AMBER)	Full Committee	Cllr Hilda Johnson will represent the Borough Council on the County Council meetings, who are the lead authority on suicide prevention.	
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