ADULTS SCRUTINY COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME

2020/21

Topic	Timescale	Lead Officer	SCS Outcome	Darlington Conditions	Link to PMF (metrics)	Scrutiny's Role
Covid Response – Verbal Update	27 th October 2020	Christine Shields	A safe and caring community Enough support for people when	Build strong communities		To maintain an overview of the Covid Response. To be advised of the key issues.
Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards (DoLS)/Mental Capacity Act	27 th October 2020	James Stroyan / Linda Thirkeld	needed A safe and caring community Enough support for people when needed	Build strong communities	ASC 063 ASC 064	To look at the outcomes and experiences of those who lack capacity and are subject to a DoLS and to look at how partners work together to ensure high quality services and outcomes. Update on impact following new legislation

Performance Indicators Quarter 2 2020/2021	5 th January 2021	Sharon Raine / James Stroyan / Linda Thirkeld	A place designed to thrive More people healthy and independent A safe and caring community Enough support for people when	Build strong communities Spend every pound wisely	ASC 002 ASC 003 ASC 019 ASC 045 ASC 046 ASC 050 ASC 208 ASC 209 ASC 211	To monitor Key Performance Indicators. To receive six-monthly monitoring reports and undertake any further detailed work into particular outcomes if necessary.
Darlington Safeguarding Partnership - Annual Report	5 th January 2021	Ann Baxter / Amanda Hugill	A safe and caring community	Build strong communities	ASC 028 ASC 029 ASC 059 ASC 061 ASC 062 ASC 199 ASC 200 ASC 201 ASC 202 ASC 203 ASC 204 ASC 205 ASC 206 ASC 207 ASC 209 ASC 210 ASC 211	To consider the Annual Report on the work of the Board and to receive reassurance that adult safeguarding is being addressed and an effective approach is in place. To be advised of the key issues for the Board and funding.

Community Equipment Service	5 th January 2021	Christine Shields / Jeanette Crompton	More people healthy and independent. More people active and involved	Spend every pound wisely	ASC 005 ASC 015	To monitor spend and review the operation of the contract following its award in 2015. Case studies
Covid Response – Verbal Update	5 th January 2021	Christine Shields	A safe and caring community Enough support for people when needed	Build strong communities		To maintain an overview of the Covid Response. To be advised of the key issues.
Medium Term Financial Plan	5 th January 2021	Elizabeth Davison / Paul Wildsmith	A place designed to thrive A safe and caring community More people healthy and independent Enough support for people when needed	Build strong communities Spend every pound wisely. Grow the Economy		To enable the Committee to give consideration to those areas of the MTFP within the Committee's remit.

Covid Response – Verbal Update	20th April 2021	Christine Shields	A safe and caring community Enough support for people when needed	Build strong communities		To maintain an overview of the Covid Response. To be advised of the key issues.
Adult Social Care Transformation Programme	20 th April 2021	Christine Shields/ James Stroyan	A safe and caring community Enough support for people when needed	Building strong communities		Update on progress of all work streams
Performance Indicators Quarter 4 2020/2021 End of Year Performance (including Compliments, Comments and Complaints)	TBC (June 2021)	Sharon Raine / James Stroyan	A place designed to thrive More people healthy and independent A safe and caring community Enough support for people when needed	Build strong communities Spend every pound wisely	ASC 002 ASC 003 ASC 019 ASC 045 ASC 046 ASC 050 ASC 208 ASC 209 ASC 211	To monitor Key Performance Indicators. To receive six-monthly monitoring reports and undertake any further detailed work into particular outcomes if necessary.

Quality Assessment – Annual Monitoring of local care homes for older people	August 2021	Christine Shields	Enough support for people when needed	Spend every pound wisely		To look at the outcome of the assessment and undertake any further work if necessary.
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Task and Finish Review Group(s)

'Loneliness and Connected Communities' Task and Finish Review Group – commenced Tuesday, 28th January 2020; 'CQC Ratings in the Borough of Darlington' Task and Finish Review Group (Health and Housing Scrutiny Committee lead with invitation to Chair and Vice Chair of Adults Scrutiny Committee to attend/participate) – commenced Monday, 18th November 2019.

Additional Work:

Visits to Extra Care, Care and Nursing Homes (Quality Assessment – Annual Monitoring of Local Care Homes for Older People):

- North Park Care Home, I'anson Street, Darlington, DL3 0SW TBC (Suspended due to Covid pandemic)
- Oak Lodge, Stockton Road, Haughton-le-Skerne, Darlington, DL1 2RY TBC (Suspended due to Covid pandemic)