Agenda

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Health Overview Panel

Date: Wednesday 28 September 2016
Time: 7:30 pm
Place: Guildhall, Kingston upon Thames

Members of the Committee

Councillor Andrew Day (Chair), Councillor Raju Pandya (Vice Chair), Councillor Sushila Abraham, Councillor Mary Clark, Councillor Linsey Cottington, Councillor David Fraser, Councillor Shiraz Mirza, Councillor Rachel Reid, Councillor Paul Bedforth and Councillor Ken Smith

Advisory Members

Grahame Snelling – Kingston HealthWatch
Patricia Turner – Kingston Voluntary Action
Dr Jane D’Souza – GP Advisory Member

Everyone is welcome to attend the meeting

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AGENDA

Questions and public participation

- a 20 minute question and answer session at the start of the meeting – advance notice of questions is encouraged.
- contributions during the debate on items may be made at the discretion of the Chair

1. Questions

To consider questions from the gallery on items which are not on the agenda

2. Apologies for absence and attendance of substitute members

3. Declarations of Interest

4. Minutes

5. Update from the Chair

To receive a verbal update

6. Care Quality Commission Inspection of Kingston Hospital NHS Foundation Trust (January 2016)

To consider a briefing report on the CQC inspection and Kingston Hospital’s action plan to address identified shortcomings

7. Mums for Mums Scheme at Kingston Hospital

To receive details of this scheme

8. Copying letters to patients initiative

To receive a verbal update on this initiative

9. Minutes of the Health and Wellbeing Board

To consider the minutes of the Health and Wellbeing Board held on 7 June 2016
10. **Urgent Items authorised by the Chair**

11. **Work Programme**

   To consider the proposed work programme and discuss any suggestions

12. **Exclusion of the Press and Public**

   This item is included as a standard agenda item which will only be relevant if any exempt matter is to be considered at the meeting:

   To exclude the public from the meeting under Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 on the grounds that it is likely that exempt information, as defined in Part I of Schedule 12A to the Act *, would be disclosed.

   (*relevant regulatory paragraph to be indicated eg paragraph 1 for information relating to any individual)

**DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS**

Meetings are held at the Guildhall, High Street, Kingston upon Thames and start at 7.30pm unless otherwise stated on the agenda.

- Tuesday 22 November 2016
- Thursday 12 January 2017
- Tuesday 14 March 2017
Welcome to this meeting.

The following information explains the way some things are done at the meeting and some of the procedures.

Information about the Health Overview Panel

The Panel is made up of your local elected Councillors plus Advisory Members who have been co-opted to represent specific interests. Its role is outlined below:

The Panel may review and scrutinise any matter relating to the planning, provision and operation of the health service commissioned or delivered in this authority’s area. It may make reports or recommendations to the Council, Health and Wellbeing Board or the appropriate Strategic Committee, health bodies, other relevant agencies and providers of services on any matter it has reviewed or scrutinised. The Panel may review:

- arrangements made by NHS bodies to secure hospital and community health services to the local residents
- the provision of such services to local residents
- the provision of family health services, personal medical services personal dental services, pharmacy and NHS ophthalmic services
- the public health arrangements in the area
- the planning of health services by NHS bodies, including plans made in co-operation with local authorities, setting out a strategy for improving both the health of the local population, and the provision of health care to that population
- the plans, strategies and decisions of the local Health and Wellbeing Board
- the arrangements made by NHS bodies for consulting and involving patients and the public under the duty placed on them by Sections 242 and 244 of the NHS Act 2006
- any matter referred to the Panel by Healthwatch under the Health and Social Care Act 2012
- social care services and other related services delivered by this authority.

The Panel may respond as a consultee to NHS bodies in respect of proposals for substantial development of the health service in the authority’s area; and any proposals to make any substantial variations to the provision of such services.

Public participation during the meeting

There is a Question Time of up to 20 minutes from 7.30pm – 7.50pm. Questions may be submitted in writing before the meeting or handed in at the start of the meeting on the green forms provided. (There are some green slips on the chairs and there are more copies.) Please fill in the relevant part and hand this in to the Committee Secretary at the top table.

Questions sent in before the meeting will be answered at the meeting. Depending on officers and health representatives present it may not be possible to answer questions handed in at the meeting and these will be replied to in writing to the questioner where address or email details are provided and members of the committee. The Chair may disallow any question which, in his/her opinion, is scurrilous, capricious, irrelevant or otherwise objectionable.

Running order

Are you here for a particular item? Items may be taken in a different order depending on the interests of the members of the public present at the meeting. Please fill out a pink form at
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**Taking part in the meeting**

During the course of the meeting, the Chair, at his/her discretion, may allow contributions, on items listed on the agenda. To attract the Chair’s attention, please raise your hand.

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- **Interests** - Councillors must say if they have an interest in any of the items on the agenda. Interests may be personal or pecuniary. Depending on the interests declared, it might be necessary for the Councillor to leave the meeting. The detail on interests is in Part 5A of the Constitution - Members’ Code of Conduct.
- **Health Terminology** – we endeavour to ensure that reports are as accessible as possible and explain unusual terminology

**Minutes**

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