

**HEALTH REFORM AND PUBLIC HEALTH CABINET  
COMMITTEE**

**Thursday, 22nd November, 2018**

**9.15 am**

**Council Chamber - Sessions House**

***Please note the earlier start time and change of room***





## AGENDA

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Ask for: Theresa Grayell  
Telephone: 03000 416172

*Tea/Coffee will be available 15 minutes before the start of the meeting*

#### Membership (13)

Conservative (10): Mr G Lymer (Chairman), Ms D Marsh (Vice-Chairman), Mrs C Bell, Mr D Butler, Mr A Cook, Miss E Dawson, Mrs L Game, Ms S Hamilton, Mr K Pugh and Mr I Thomas

Liberal Democrat (2): Mr D S Daley and Mr S J G Koowaree

Labour (1) Mr B H Lewis

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#### UNRESTRICTED ITEMS

*(During these items the meeting is likely to be open to the public)*

- 1 Introduction/Webcast announcement
- 2 Membership  
To note that Mr B H Lewis has replaced Dr L Sullivan on the Committee.
- 3 Apologies and Substitutes  
To receive apologies for absence and notification of any substitutes present
- 4 Declarations of Interest by Members in items on the Agenda  
To receive any declarations of interest made by Members in relation to any matter on the agenda. Members are reminded to specify the agenda item number to which it refers and the nature of the interest being declared
- 5 Minutes of the meeting held on 28 September 2018 (Pages 7 - 18)

To consider and approve the minutes as a correct record.

6 Meeting Dates 2019/20

The Committee is asked to note that the following dates have been reserved for its meetings in 2019/20:

Friday 10 May 2019  
Friday 19 July 2019  
Wednesday 18 September 2019  
Friday 1 November 2019  
Tuesday 14 January 2020  
Friday 6 March 2020  
Wednesday 6 May 2020

All meetings will take place at County Hall, Maidstone, and will commence at 10.00 am

7 Verbal updates by Cabinet Members and Director (Pages 19 - 20)

To receive a verbal update from the Leader and Cabinet Member for Health Reform, the Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Public Health and the Director of Public Health.

8 Stop Smoking Services (Pages 21 - 26)

To receive a report from the Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Public Health and the Director of Public Health, setting out and seeking the committee's endorsement of work to reduce the number of smokers in Kent, including a needs assessment and review of support services.

9 Smoking in Pregnancy (Pages 27 - 34)

To receive a report from the Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Public Health and the Director of Public Health, setting out and seeking the committee's support for a proposal to commission an advice service for pregnant women to encourage them to stop smoking.

10 Illicit Tobacco in Kent (Pages 35 - 38)

To receive a report from the Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Public Health and the Director of Public Health, setting out and seeking the committee's support for a regional approach to tackle illicit tobacco in Kent and a proposed partnership approach between Public Health South East and Trading Standards South East to develop a regional plan to reduce the supply and demand of illicit tobacco.

11 Contract Monitoring Report - the Health Visiting Service (Pages 39 - 58)

To receive a report from the Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Public Health and the Director of Public Health, setting out and seeking the committee's support for ongoing activities to deliver statutory obligations, meet performance expectations and ensure value for money, and work to support the integrated transformation of the Health Visiting service.

12 Impact of Gambling on Public Mental Health (Pages 59 - 64)

To receive a report from the Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Public Health and the Director of Public Health, briefing the committee on problem gambling and the issues involved in tackling this in Kent, and seeking the committee's comment and suggestions to strengthen future delivery.

13 Tuberculosis and Hepatitis C in Kent (Pages 65 - 76)

To receive a report from the Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Public Health and the Director of Public Health, setting out current information on Tuberculosis and Hepatitis C and seeking the committee's support for the partnership approach taken by the County Council's Public Health team.

14 Work Programme 2019/20 (Pages 77 - 82)

To receive a report from General Counsel on the Committee's work programme.

**EXEMPT ITEMS**

*(At the time of preparing the agenda there were no exempt items. During any such items which may arise the meeting is likely NOT to be open to the public)*

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**Wednesday, 14 November 2018**

*Please note that any background documents referred to in the accompanying papers maybe inspected by arrangement with the officer responsible for preparing the relevant report.*