

Work Programme - Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee

1. Items scheduled for upcoming meetings

5 October 2023		
Item	Item background	Substantial Variation?
HASU implementation	To receive an overview on the implementation of Hyper Acute Stroke Units.	-
Nurse recruitment	Members have asked to be kept informed on the progress with recruitment and retention of nurses in the acute sector.	-
School immunisation amongst the Gypsy, Roma and Traveller communities	To understand the outcomes of a project by KCHFT to increase vaccine uptake and reducing inequalities amongst the GRT community.	-
Specialist Children's Cancer Services	To receive an update on the outcome of the public consultation.	No
Edenbridge Memorial Health Centre	To receive an update ahead of the Centre's opening in November.	No
S136 Places of Safety	Part of the mental health and dementia services transformation programme in Kent and Medway. To hear the final outcome of the ICB's decision.	Yes
East Kent maternity services update	To receive an update on the improvements being made at EKHUFT's maternity services.	-

7 December 2023		
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Kent and Medway Estates Strategy	The ICB agreed to present the completed Estates Strategy to the Committee.	-

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MTW Clinical Strategy - repatriating bariatric care	To receive information about the repatriation of bariatric care from London to Kent.	-
HASU implementation	To receive a full update on implementation of the Hyper Acute Stroke Units.	-

2. Items yet to be scheduled

Item	Item Background	Substantial Variation?
Burns service review	To receive information about a review of burns services by NHS England Specialised Commissioning	TBC
Capital investment at QEQM Hospital Maternity Unit	Member's have asked to receive information about future capital investment in the maternity ward.	-
Children and Young People's Mental Health Services – tier 4 provision	To return with an update once two new roles have been recruited to, along with when there is a decision about a Kent Psychiatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU)	-
ICB Digital Transformation Strategy	Member's have asked to view the Strategy once available.	-
Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust – outcome of review into serious incident.	The Committee would like to understand what lessons have been learnt following the review into a child death at Tunbridge Wells Hospital.	-
Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust - Mortuary Security	To receive the Trust's reaction to Sir Jonathan Michael's report following its publication.	No
Ophthalmology Services (Dartford, Gravesham, Swanley)	To receive updates about the long term provision of the service.	No
Orthotic Services and Neurological Rehabilitation	To receive information on the provision of these services in Kent for adolescents. (This was a member request).	-
Podiatry Services	To receive an update on the service following its relocation.	No
Transforming mental health and dementia	To receive information about the various workstreams under	TBC

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services in Kent and Medway	this strategy.	
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3. Items that have been declared a substantial variation of service and are under consideration by a joint committee

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Item	Item Background	Substantial Variation?
Transforming Health and Care in East Kent	Re-configuration of acute services in the East Kent area	Yes