

Item 15: All Age Eating Disorder Service in Kent and Medway (Written Briefing)

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To: Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee, 2 September 2016

Subject: All Age Eating Disorder Service in Kent and Medway (Written Briefing)

Summary: This report invites the Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee to consider the information provided by NHS West Kent CCG.

It is a written briefing only and no guests will be present to speak on this item.

It provides additional background information which may prove useful to Members.

1. Introduction

- (a) NHS West Kent CCG has asked for the attached report to be presented to the Committee.

2. Potential Substantial Variation of Service

- (a) It is for the Committee to determine if this service change constitutes a substantial variation of service. Medway Health and Adult Social Care Overview and Scrutiny Committee considered the item on 23 August 2016. They determined that the proposals did not constitute a substantial variation of service.
- (b) If the HOSC deems the proposals as not being substantial, this does not prevent the HOSC from reviewing the proposals at its discretion and making reports and recommendations to NHS West Kent CCG.
- (c) If the HOSC determines the proposals to be substantial, a timetable for consideration of the change will need to be agreed between the Joint HOSC and NHS West Kent CCG. The timetable will include the proposed date that NHS West Kent CCG intends to make a decision as to whether to proceed with the proposal and the date by which the HOSC will provide any comments on the proposal.

3. Recommendation

If the proposals are *not substantial*:

RECOMMENDED that:

- (a) the Committee does not deem the proposals to be a substantial variation of service;
- (b) NHS West Kent CCG be invited to submit a report to the Committee at the conclusion of the procurement.

3. Recommendation

If the proposals are *substantial*:

RECOMMENDED that:

- (a) the Committee deems the proposals to be a substantial variation of service;
- (b) NHS West Kent CCG be invited to submit a report to the next meeting of the Committee.

Background

Medway Council (2016) '*Agenda, Health and Adult Social Care Overview and Scrutiny Committee (23/08/2016)*',

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