

Item 6: NHS preparations for 2018/19 Winter

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Subject: NHS preparations for 2018/19 Winter

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

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

1. Introduction

- (a) NHS England – South (South East) and the Kent and Medway STP have been asked to provide an overview of preparations for 2018/19 winter. Representatives from the East, North & West Kent health economies have been invited to update the Committee on their local plans.

2. Recommendation

RECOMMENDED that the report be noted and NHS England and the Kent and Medway STP be requested to provide an update about the performance of the winter plans to the Committee at its June meeting.

Background Documents

None

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