

Item 13: Item on 6 June 2019 HOSC Agenda: Correspondence Received (Written Update)

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To: Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee, 23 July 2019

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Summary: This report invites the Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee to note the letters received that arose from the recommendations of the Committee on 6 June 2019.

It provides background information which may prove useful to Members.

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

1. Introduction

- (a) On 6 June 2019, the Committee considered a written update on Dermatology Services.
- (b) Members had a number of questions, but because the item was a written briefing there were no NHS representatives present. The Committee therefore made the following recommendation:

RESOLVED that

- a. Medway CCG provide a written update addressing Members concerns as soon as possible. This update should include:
 - i. further information on DMC Healthcare;*
 - ii. the reasons behind the need for reorganisation;*
 - iii. the cost of the reorganisation and procurement process;*
 - iv. the impact on patients and how these were being addressed.**
- b. North Kent CCGs return to the Committee before the end of the year with an update on performance of the contract.*

- (c) The response received from the CCG in relation to point a above is included in the papers for this item.

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2. Recommendation

RECOMMENDED that the Committee note the briefing received.

Background Documents

Kent County Council (2019) *'Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee (06/06/19)'*,
<https://democracy.kent.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=112&MId=8281&Ver=4>

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