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Mr A Scott-Clark, Director of Public Health

To: Adult Social Care and Health Cabinet Committee –
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Subject: **Verbal updates by the Cabinet Member and Corporate Directors**

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The Committee is invited to note verbal updates on the following issues:-

Adult Social Care

Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Public Health – Mr G K Gibbens

Events

12 March - Spoke at the Transforming Adult Social Care Forum in London

18 March - Attended launch event for the Take Off Charity in Canterbury

15 April - Attended Governors visit to South East Coast Ambulance Service 111 Centre in Ashford

New Division - Disabled Children, Adults with a Learning Disability and Mental Health

As Members will have seen in the Business Plans that were discussed in the March meeting, Disabled Children's Services, Adults Learning Disability and Adult Mental Health Services have come together in a new division from the 1st of April 2015. Penny Southern will be the Director responsible for the division which is called Disabled Children, Adults with a Learning Disability and Mental Health. I am very pleased that this closer alignment will further improve the support for disabled young people as they become adults.

Corporate Director of Social Care, Health and Wellbeing – Mr A Ireland

Adult Public Health

Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Public Health – Mr G K Gibbens

9 March - Signing of the Local Government Declaration on Tobacco Control

11 March - Attended the No Smoking Day - Charlton Athletic 'Kick the Habit' Roadshow in Canterbury

25 March - Spoke at the 'Tackling HIV Stereotypes' Impress Conference in Canterbury

Director of Public Health – Mr A Scott-Clark

1. Broadstairs Town Shed
2. Porchlight