SCRUTINY WORK PROGRAMME 2023/24

Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Date of Meeting	Issue for Scrutiny	Date of Last Report	Notes / Follow-up Action
11 September 2023	Progress against targets for the elective recovery programme and future plans	13 March 2023	Requested at 13 March 2023 HOSC
	Integrated Out of Hours Urgent Care	18 October 2021 as part of general Primary Care (GP) Access	Suggested by the Cabinet Member
11 October 2023	Planning for Winter	17 October 2022	Agenda Planning May 2023
	Worcestershire Mental Health Needs Assessment	21 September 2021 19 September 2018 (CAMHS)	Following the discussion of the Needs Assessment the priorities for further scrutiny will be identified
			NB Public Health has suggested merging items: Public Health Review: Need, Programmes, Budget and Outcomes
	Your Health Service and other public health initiatives		Agenda Planning May 2023
	Public Health Ring Fenced Grant (PHRFG) - Twice Yearly Budget Monitoring	13 January 2023	
November 2023	Update on CQC Inspection (including a range of mental health and physical health services and the Hillcrest Mental Health Ward)	13 March 2023	Agenda planning March 2023

Possible Future Items					
Ongoing	Integrated Care System (ICS)	10 May 2023, 2 November 2022	Requested at 10 May 2023 meeting		
2023	Commissioning Arrangements under the Integrated Care System (ICS)		Including Pharmacy, Dentistry, Optometry, Specialised Acute, new arrangements for Mental Health, Specialist Mental Health and Prison Health		
2023	Community Paediatric Services		Suggested at Agenda Planning 23 August 2022		
2023	Screening (Cervical/Antenatal/Newborn/Diabetic Eye/Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm (AAA)/Breast/Bowel)		Suggested at 19 July 2021 meeting		
2023	Routine Immunisation	19 July 2021	Suggested at 19 July 2021 Meeting		
2023	Hospital at Home Service	10 June 2022	Requested at 10 June 2022 meeting		
TBC	Adult Mental Health Inpatient Services Redesign		Suggested by Herefordshire and Worcestershire Health and Care NHS Trust on 17 April 2023		
TBC?	Update on Improving Patient Flow*	15 June and 10 February 2023			
TBC	Update on Workforce Pressures	10 May 2023, 10 June 2022	Requested at 10 May 2023 meeting		
TBC	Haematology		Suggested at 10 May 2023 Meeting		
TBC	Neurology		Suggested at 10 May 2023 Meeting		
TBC	Stroke Services – update	17 October 2022			
TBC	Update on Dental Services Access	9 March 2022	Requested at 9 March 2022 meeting		
TBC	End of Life Care	10 June 2022	Requested at 10 June 2022 meeting		
TBC	Prevention Work in Health and Social Care		Suggested at 17 October 2022 meeting		
TBC	Glaucoma Services		Suggested at 17 October 2022 meeting		

TBC	NHS Health Checks Programme		Requested at 13 January 2023 meeting
TBC	Podiatry services		Requested at 10 February 2023 meeting
TBC	Long Term plan for WAHT Theatres		Requested at 13 March 2023 HOSC
TBC	Update on Community Pharmacies	18 April 2023	Requested at 18 April 2023 HOSC
TBC	Resistance Bands Programme		Agenda Planning May 2023
TBC	Maternity Services	10 May 2023, 17 October and 9 May 2022, 21 September 2021	
Standing Items			
When required	Substantial NHS Service Changes requiring consultation with HOSC		
TBC	NHS Quality Accounts Quality and Performance		
TBC	Annual Update on Health and Wellbeing Strategy	17 October 2022	
January/July	Public Health Ring Fenced Grant (PHRFG) – Twice Yearly Budget Monitoring	13 January 2023, 8 July 2022	
TBC	Performance Indicators		
TBC	Annual Update from West Midlands Ambulance Service	27 June 2019	
March	Review of the Work Programme	13 March 2023	

^{*}Scrutiny of patient flow is a continuation of the Scrutiny Task Group in November 2021