

SCRUTINY WORK PROGRAMME 2023/24

Adult Care and Well Being Overview and Scrutiny Panel

Date of Meeting	Issue for Scrutiny	Date of Last Report	Notes/Follow-up Action
13 October 2023	How the Council works with partners on homelessness		Suggested at 14 July 2023 meeting
	How to access adult social care (the Adult Social Care Front Door)		Healthwatch Worcestershire suggestion March 2023
	Performance (Q1 April to June) and In-Year Budget Monitoring		
5 December 2023	Performance (Q2 July to September) and In-Year Budget Monitoring		
	Compliments and Complaints for Adult Services	15 November 2021 28 September 2022	Annually
TBC	Care Packages – Adult Social Care	13 October 2023	Requested by OSPB on 26 July 2023 (as part of 2024/25 budget scrutiny)
January 2024	Scrutiny of 2024/25 Budget		Requested by OSPB on 26 July 2023
March 2024	Performance (Q3 October to December) and In-Year Budget Monitoring		
Possible Future Items			
TBC	Update on The Role of Adult Social Care in Complex Hospital Patient Discharges	7 November 2022 18 July 2022	
TBC	NHS Continuing Health Care (CHC) including any funding implications		Directorate Suggestion July 2022
TBC	How the Council works with Carers		Suggested at 8 July 2021 meeting

TBC	Update on Direct Payments		Suggested at the 20 May 2022 meeting
TBC	Staff Vacancies and retention		Suggested at 28 September 2022 meeting
TBC	Liberty Protection Safeguards – awaiting national guidance on implementation		Panel member suggestion March 2022
TBC	Quality of Care Homes in Worcestershire		Healthwatch Worcestershire suggestion March 2023
TBC	Update on Assistive Technology in Care Planning	14 July 2023 and 14 January 2022	Requested at 14 July 2023 meeting
TBC	Worcestershire Strategy for Children and Young People with SEND (All Age Disability Strategy)	6 July 2023	Further update requested in 12 months
TBC	Integrated Care System Autism Strategy Development	6 July 2023	Further update requested once draft strategy available (est October 2023)
TBC	Worcestershire Learning Disability Strategy 2023-2028	6 July 2023	Further update requested in due course
TBC	Delivery of the All-Age Carers Strategy	6 July 2023	Further update requested in due course
Standing Items			
March	Safeguarding Adults Annual Update	28 January 2021 15 March 2022 24 March 2023	Annually
September	Compliments and Complaints for Adult Services	15 November 2021 28 September 2022	Annually
November/January	Budget Scrutiny		Annually
March/July/ September/November	Performance and In-Year Budget Monitoring		Quarterly