



## Report to Healthier Communities & Adult Social Care Scrutiny & Policy Development Committee Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> April 2014

### Addendum

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**Relating to the report of:** James Henderson, Director of Policy, Performance and Communications

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**Subject:** Reconfirming support for a Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Yorkshire and the Humber) in relation to the new Congenital Heart Disease review

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#### Summary

This document is an addendum to the report entitled “Reconfirming support for a Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Yorkshire and the Humber) in relation to the new Congenital Heart Disease review” which is being submitted for consideration by the Healthier Communities & Adult Social Care Scrutiny & Policy Development Committee at its meeting on 10/4/2014.

This document provides additional detail in terms of the purpose of the report along with a revised set of recommendations which supersede the original set.

#### The Scrutiny Committee is being asked to:

The Scrutiny Committee is being asked to consider and make a series of recommendations (as detailed below) to Full Council concerning the JHOSC (Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee - Yorkshire and the Humber) which has been established in response to the new Congenital Heart Disease review announced by NHS England in July 2013.

#### Overview

There are existing arrangements for joint and regional scrutiny and current protocols are detailed in Sheffield Council’s Constitution. However, as it is likely that the JHOSC will make recommendations to NHS England and other interested parties, which may include the Secretary of State for Health it is advisable to reconfirm the mandate previously given by Council.

#### Purpose of this document

To ask the Scrutiny Committee to consider and make recommendations to Full Council to reconfirm its commitment for the establishment of a Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Yorkshire & Humber) and to subsequently delegate relevant functions (as outlined in Appendix 1) in relation to the new review of Congenital Heart Disease Services.

These functions would then be incorporated into the Protocol for Yorkshire and the Humber Councils Joint Health Scrutiny Committees as outlined in the Councils Constitution (Part 5, Codes & Protocols).

### **Revised recommendations**

The Scrutiny Committee is being asked to:

1. Note the content of this report;
  2. Recommend to Council that it re-confirm its commitment to the JHOSC, particularly in relation to the new Congenital Heart Disease Review;
  3. Recommend to Council that it approves the Terms of Reference of the JHOSC for the New Congenital Heart Disease Review as set out in Appendix 2;
  4. Recommend to Council that it ask the Healthier Communities & Adult Social Care Scrutiny Committee to nominate a member from within its membership to sit on the JHOSC in relation to the new Congenital Heart Disease Review and, upon nomination, agree to appoint that member to the JHOSC, in accordance with paragraph 7.3 with the Protocol for Yorkshire and the Humber Councils Joint Health Scrutiny Committees as incorporated into the Council's Constitution;
  5. Recommend to Council that it delegates the functions, set out in Appendix 1 that shall be exercisable by the JHOSC, subject to such terms and conditions detailed in the appendix; and
  6. Recommend to Council that it approve amendments to the Protocol for Yorkshire and the Humber Councils Joint Health Scrutiny Committees so that the functions referred to in recommendation 5 are incorporated.
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