

21 November 2017

Agenda Item: 7

REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF HEALTH SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

NEWARK HOSPITAL URGENT TREATMENT

Purpose of the Report

1. To provide initial briefing on issues associated with Newark Hospital Urgent Treatment Centre.

Information and Advice

2. The briefing received from commissioners indicates that Newark Hospital Urgent Care Centre will transition to be an Urgent Treatment Centre during the early part of 2018. This progression goes further and is swifter than what is required by the NHS England standards. The vision and strategic direction aspires for Newark Hospital to be a centre of excellence for a broad range of diagnostics, as well as providing an urgent care service.
3. Lucy Dudge, Chief Commissioning Officer for Mansfield and Ashfield and Newark and Sherwood CCG will attend this meeting to brief the committee and answer questions as necessary. A briefing from the CCG is attached as an appendix to this report.
4. Members may wish to identify issues arising from the briefing which require further scrutiny, such as work force planning and consultation.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Health Scrutiny Committee:

- 1) Considers and comments on the information provided.
- 2) Identifies further requirements for information
- 3) Schedules further consideration, if necessary.

Councillor Keith Girling
Chairman of Health Scrutiny Committee

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Background Papers

Nil

Electoral Division(s) and Member(s) Affected

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