

14 March 2016**Agenda Item: 4**

REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF HEALTH SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

CENTRAL NOTTINGHAMSHIRE CLINICAL SERVICES

Purpose of the Report

1. To introduce a briefing on the work of Central Nottinghamshire Clinical Services and winter pressures.

Information and Advice

2. Central Nottinghamshire Clinical Services (CNCS) is a provider of GP services based in Mansfield which also provides the Primary Care 24 service at Sherwood Forest Hospitals' Kings Mill site.
3. Mrs Kay Darby, Interim Director of Nursing & Operations for CNCS previously attended the Health Scrutiny Committee in January to discuss Quality Account priorities. Mrs Darby returns on this occasion to further brief the committee.
4. Members may wish to explore with Mrs Darby the results of the CQC inspection of North Nottinghamshire Out of Hours Services, which was rated as 'Good' in December 2015, and how good practice can be disseminated. Members will also wish to gather information on how winter pressures have been coped with and the continuing problem of GP recruitment.
5. The CQC inspection report is attached as an appendix to this report.

RECOMMENDATION

- 1) That the Health Scrutiny Committee considers and comments on the information provided.
- 2) That further consideration of these issues be scheduled, as necessary.

Councillor Colleen Harwood
Chairman of Health Scrutiny Committee

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Background Papers

Nil

Electoral Division(s) and Member(s) Affected

All