

27 March 2017

Agenda Item: 6

## **REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF HEALTH SCRUTINY COMMITTEE**

### **SHERWOOD FOREST HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST PERFORMANCE UPDATE**

#### **Purpose of the Report**

1. To update Members on the current performance information for Sherwood Forest Hospitals Trust.

#### **Information and Advice**

2. Dr Andy Haynes, Medical Director and Richard Mitchell, Chief Operating Officer will attend the Health Scrutiny Committee to update Members on the Trust's performance and the improvements that continue to be made following the inspection made by the Care Quality Commission (CQC).
3. Representatives from Sherwood Forest Hospitals previously attended the Health Scrutiny Committee on 27 March 2017 when Members heard emergency care transformation within the Trust and how performance has increased from an initial position in November 2014 of being the second worst in the country for the four hour emergency standard to being the best performer in the region and in the top 10 in the country (and this is in the context of a 15% rise in Emergency Department attendances. Members also heard how the Trust had taken out 60 beds and thereby saved approximately £6 million per year and reduced risk by targeting challenging wards areas.
4. A briefing from Sherwood Forest Hospitals Trust is attached as an appendix to this report. The briefing focuses on emergency care transformation and pharmacy delay.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

That the Health Scrutiny Committee:

- 1) Receives the briefing on the latest position at Sherwood Forest Hospitals, and asks questions, as necessary
- 2) Schedules further monitoring of Sherwood Forest Hospitals improvement, as required

**Councillor Keith Girling**  
**Chairman of Health Scrutiny Committee**

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### **Background Papers**

[Sherwood Forest Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust Quality Report](#)

[Kings Mill Hospital Quality Report](#)

[Mansfield Community Hospital Quality Report](#)

[Newark Hospital Quality Report](#)

### **Electoral Division(s) and Member(s) Affected**

All