

21 January 2013

Agenda Item: 4

REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF HEALTH SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

SHERWOOD FOREST HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST UPDATE

Purpose of the Report

1. To introduce a further briefing from Sherwood Forest Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.

Information and Advice

2. On 28 June, the Health Scrutiny Committee requested a briefing on the work of the Sherwood Forest Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust with an emphasis on provision of services at Kings Mill and satellite hospitals and continuity of management. Since that time, the Trust has received an intervention from Monitor, the Independent Regulator for Foundation Trusts in relation to failure to comply with its terms of authorisation. The Trust also has a new interim Chief Executive, Mr Eric Morton who attended the Health Scrutiny meeting on 12 November.
3. An updated briefing on the current position of the Trust has been requested and will be circulated once received. Mr Morton will again attend the Health Scrutiny Committee to brief the committee and answer questions as necessary.
4. Members may wish to identify any further areas associated with the work of the Trust on which they require information.

RECOMMENDATION

- 1) That the Health Scrutiny Committee receive the briefing and asks questions, as necessary.
- 2) Identify any additional requirements for information.

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Chairman of Health Scrutiny Committee

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Background Papers

Nil

Electoral Division(s) and Member(s) Affected

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