

**7 July 2020**

**Agenda Item: 6**

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

### **NATIONAL REHABILITATION CENTRE – FINAL CONSULTATION DOCUMENT**

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

1. To allow Members to consider the final consultation document on the National Rehabilitation Centre.

#### **Information**

2. The National Rehabilitation Centre (NRC) was last on the agenda of the Health Scrutiny Committee on 14 January 2020 when Members heard the following:
  - a six-week single-option consultation was scheduled to commence on 9 March 2020\*, with the findings available by mid-May 2020. Proposals had been amended so that there was now a 64-bed facility (previously 63 beds), with a wider range of single- and multiple-occupancy available (\* NB Subsequently deferred);
  - the civilian element of the NRC would be referred to in the consultation documentation as the Regional Rehabilitation Centre, with the ambition for this to develop as a national centre of excellence in due course;
  - Healthwatch was conducting separate targeted engagement work to inform the development of the NRC, and further advice on outreach to residents would be welcomed;
  - The Committee was reminded that the Linden Lodge rehabilitation facility on the NUH City Hospital site would close as part of these proposals.
3. Jon Singfield, Head of Strategic Planning and Lewis Etoria, Head of Insights and Engagement, Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Clinical Commissioning Group will attend the Health Scrutiny Committee to provide briefing and answer questions, as necessary.
4. The final consultation document and consultation plan are attached as an appendices to this report for information.

5. These documents were also circulated to Health Scrutiny Members in advance of this meeting for comment and any views communicated back to the commissioners so they could be taken into consideration.
6. Members will wish to give their final views on the consultation document to and to schedule consideration of the results of the consultation.

## **RECOMMENDATION**

That the Health Scrutiny Committee:

- 1) Consider and comment on the consultation document and consultation plan.
- 2) Schedules consideration of the results of the consultation.

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

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## **Background Papers**

Nil

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

All