

# Report



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## **REPORT OF THE PROGRAMME DIRECTOR, TRANSFORMING SOCIAL CARE**

### **PUTTING PEOPLE FIRST – TRANSFORMING SOCIAL CARE**

#### **1. Purpose of the Report**

1.1 The purpose of the report is to up-date Members on the progress being made on the implementation of Putting People First.

#### **2. Background**

2.1 Putting People First is a radical reform of the social care system. The vision is for “every person across the spectrum of need, having choice and control over the shape of their support, in the most appropriate setting”.

2.2 A summary for Members is attached outlining the direction for adult care over the next 10 years and beyond.

2.3 As part of the update, Members will hear from a service user about how Direct Payments and Person Centred Planning have increased the choice and control over how he lives his life.

#### **3. Background papers Available for Inspection**

3.1 None.

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