
Meeting: Social Care Health and Housing Overview & Scrutiny Committee
Date: 10 September 2009
Subject: Forward Plan of Key Decisions
Report of: Cheryl Powell, Overview & Scrutiny Officer
Summary: The report provides Members with the current Forward Plan of Key Decisions in order to consider any items, which the Committee may wish to add to its work programme.

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Public/Exempt: Public
Wards Affected: All
Function of: Council

RECOMMENDATION:

1. That the Social Care Health and Housing Overview & Scrutiny Committee notes the Forward Plan of Key Decisions and considers any amendments it may wish to make to its work programme.

Reason for Recommendation: So that Members of Social Care Health and Housing Overview & Scrutiny Committee can ensure their work programme includes all those items Members wish to receive or that task forces have been established to consider items in a timely manner.

Options and Issues

1. Members attention is drawn to the following items listed on the Forward Plan of Key Decisions (1 September 2009 to 31 August 2010) that are not currently listed on the Committee's work programme but are within the terms of reference of the Social Care Health and Housing Overview & Scrutiny Committee:

Ref No.	Indicative Executive Meeting Date	Portfolio Holder(s)
16.	13 October 2009	Councillor Mrs C Hegley
28.	13 October 2009	Councillor Mrs R J Drinkwater
?	13 October 2009 (Safeguarding Annual Report)	Councillor Mrs C Hegley
39.	8 December	Councillor Mrs C Hegley
61.	9 March 2010	Councillor Mrs A Lewis

2. In considering whether items should be added to the agenda Members should be mindful of
 - their current work programme and the number of items currently listed for each agenda;
 - the level of public interest in the item;
 - the potential for impact;
 - whether there is poor performance in relation to a particular item; and
 - whether the matter is being considered elsewhere.

3. Members should be sure not to overload their agenda by adding too many items should ensure that where an item is added to the agenda the Committee is able to provide input in a timely manner.

Appendix:

Appendix A – Forward Plan of Key Decisions (1 September 2009 to 31 August 2010)