Meeting: Social Care, Health and Housing Overview & Scrutiny Committee

Date: 8 April 2010

Subject: NHS Bedfordshire Estate Strategy

Report of: Andrew Morgan, Chief Executive NHS Bedfordshire

Summary: The report advises the Committee of the current Estates Strategy, as

buildings that are well designed and well maintained offer a better healthcare experience promote well being and assist recovery.

Contact Officer: David Levitt, Assistant Director of Public Engagement

Public/Exempt: Public

Wards Affected: All

Function of: Council

CORPORATE IMPLICATIONS

Council Priorities:

Please see attached report of NHS Bedfordshire

Financial:

Please see attached report of NHS Bedfordshire

Legal:

Please see attached report of NHS Bedfordshire

Risk Management:

Please see attached report of NHS Bedfordshire

Staffing (including Trades Unions):

Please see attached report of NHS Bedfordshire

Equalities/Human Rights:

Please see attached report of NHS Bedfordshire

Community Safety:

Please see attached report of NHS Bedfordshire

Sustainability:

Please see attached report of NHS Bedfordshire

RECOMMENDATION:

1. That the Social Care, Health and Housing Overview & Scrutiny Committee considers the attached report, particularly those parts of it relating to the Social Care, Health and Housing Committees work programme, and submits comments to NHS Bedfordshire if considered necessary.

Appendices:

Appendix A – NHS Bedfordshire Estates Strategy: March 2010

Background Papers: (open to public inspection)

None

Location of papers: NHS Bedfordshire, 21 Kimbolton Road, Bedford MK40 2AW