

Local Members Interest
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Healthy Staffordshire Select Committee - Monday 03 February 2020

Future Model for Carers Services

Recommendation

The Cabinet Member for Health, Care and Wellbeing recommends that the Healthy Staffordshire Select Committee:

- a. Considers and offers feedback on the proposed model for carers services and the outcome of engagement with stakeholders.

Summary

What is the Select Committee being asked to do and why?

1. The Healthy Staffordshire Select Committee is asked to consider and offer feedback on the draft recommendations contained within the appended Cabinet report. Feedback will be used to amend the Cabinet report and recommendations for consideration by Cabinet on 19th February 2020.

Report

Background

2. 'All Together for Carers': a Carers Strategy for Staffordshire was jointly developed by the Council and the five Staffordshire CCGs. It was endorsed by the Health and Wellbeing Board, Healthy Staffordshire Select Committee and Cabinet in Autumn 2019 with final approval by the Cabinet Member for Health, Care and Wellbeing through the delegated decision process in November 2019 following sign off by the CCGs. The Strategy includes a commitment to review carers services.
3. Stakeholders have been engaged with the aim of understanding what does and what does not work well within the current service/pathway and what is important to them from a future carers service. Feedback has been taken into account to develop a future model for carers services and evaluate options for providing this model. A draft Cabinet report and recommendations have been developed as attached (Appendix A).
4. The Healthy Staffordshire Select Committee is asked to consider and offer feedback on the proposed recommendations set out within the draft cabinet report. Feedback will be used to amend the Cabinet report and recommendations for consideration by Cabinet on 19th February 2020.

Link to Strategic Plan

5. The Programme links with the following:

- a. Connected Staffordshire: Staffordshire County Council Strategic Plan 2018 - 2022;
- b. Staffordshire Health & Well-being Strategy 2018 - 2023;
- c. The Whole Life Disability Strategy 2018 - 2023
- d. 'All Together for Carers' A Carers Strategy for Staffordshire: 2019 – 2023.

Link to Other Overview and Scrutiny Activity

6. All Together for Carers': A Carers Strategy for Staffordshire has been presented to the Healthy Staffordshire Select Committee previously in September 2019.

Community Impact

7. Please refer to the draft Cabinet report (Appendix A).

List of Background Documents/Appendices:

Appendix A – Draft Cabinet Report

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