Dorset Health Scrutiny Committee

Agenda Item:

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Dorset County Council



Date of Meeting	13 September 2013
Officer	Director for Adult and Community Services
Subject of Report	Update on Transforming Mental Health Services for Older People in the East of the County
Executive Summary	In March 2012 the Joint Health Scrutiny Committee received a paper on the Transformation of Mental Health Services for Older People in the East of Dorset (Appendix 1).
	As the Joint Health Scrutiny Committee on NHS Transformation is no longer constituted NHS Dorset Clinical Commissioning Group, as service commissioners, and Dorset HealthCare Trust, as service providers, have been asked to provide a joint report to update this Committee about this work. The 2012 report to the Joint Committee suggested service changes in the east would be completed by March 2013 and similar service changes for the west of Dorset were expected to take place during 2013/14. An update report has been provided as requested (Appendix 2).
Impact Assessment	Equalities Impact Assessment None. NHS report.
	Use of Evidence Committee report to the Joint Health Scrutiny Committee on NHS Transformation, 16 March 2012. Update report provided by Dorset HealthCare University NHS Foundation Trust and NHS Dorset Clinical Commissioning Group.

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	Budget Not applicable. NHS report
	Risk Assessment None. NHS report
	Other considerations None.
Recommendation	That the Committee scrutinises and comments on the report.
Reason for Recommendation	The work of the Committee contributes to the County Council's aim to protect and enrich the health and well-being of Dorset's most vulnerable adults and children.
Appendices	 Report by Director for Adult and Community Services to Joint Health Scrutiny Committee on NHS Transformation, 16 March 2012, Transforming Mental Health Services for Older People in Bournemouth, Poole and Dorset. Report from NHS Dorset Clinical Commissioning Group and Dorset HealthCare University NHS Foundation Trust Older People's Care.
Background Papers	Report to Joint Health Scrutiny Committee on the NHS Transformation Programme 4 October 2011 at Civic Centre Poole: Re-commissioning mental health services for older people in Bournemouth, Poole and Dorset Report to Joint Health Scrutiny Committee on the NHS Transformation Programme 5 December 2011 at Town Hall Bournemouth: Re-commissioning mental health services for older people in Bournemouth, Poole and Dorset.
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