

TO: THE EXECUTIVE
13 DECEMBER 2016

RESPONSE TO THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY REPORT ON “A REVIEW OF WHETHER THERE IS SUFFICIENT GENERAL PRACTITIONER CAPACITY IN BRACKNELL FOREST TO MEET FUTURE DEMANDS”

The Executive Member for Adult Services, Health & Housing would like to move that the following recommendations in the GP Capacity Report are accepted:

- 2.1** The Council should engage – both by Members and Officers – more proactively with the Joint Commissioning Committee (JCC), for example by attending all meetings or arranging a substitute as necessary. **Accepted**
- 2.2** Both the Comprehensive Local Plan, and the aims of the Health and Wellbeing Board should explicitly recognise the need to ensure that the necessary healthcare facilities will be in place to meet the demands of the expanding population. **Accepted**

The Executive Member for Adult Services, Health & Housing would like to move an amendment to recommendation 2.3 to read as follows:

- 2.3** The Health and Wellbeing Board (being the forum where the Council and the Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) come together) should review what needs to be done to establish and maintain clear communications of health needs. **(Accepted)**
This provision of healthcare facilities should be included in the Comprehensive Local Plan and will be subject to Section 106 agreements, where appropriate. (Accepted)

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