ADULT SOCIAL CARE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PANEL 8 JUNE 2010

PERSONALISATION PILOT AND WORKING GROUP UPDATE (Lead Working Group Member)

1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 This report introduces an update presentation in respect of the Personalisation (transforming adult social care) pilot and sets out the progress achieved to date by the Working Group of the Adult Social Care Overview and Scrutiny Panel reviewing safeguarding adults in the context of personalisation.

2 SUGGESTED ACTION

2.1 That the Personalisation presentation and this update report be noted.

3 SUPPORTING INFORMATION

- 3.1 The Working Group reviewing safeguarding adults in the context of Personalisation has met on four occasions to date. At its first meeting the Working Group received a briefing in respect of safeguarding adults as part of the Personalisation process from the Chief Officer: Adults and Commissioning. The briefing included the showing of a short video in respect of safeguarding which was aimed at those who might be at risk. With the benefit of this information the Working Group drafted its review scoping document. The Working Group agreed the scoping document at its second meeting when it received a presentation from the Head of Learning Disability Services in respect of the 'In Control' project which had piloted personalising Adult Social Care services, including Direct Payments, to people with Learning Disabilities.
- 3.2 Subsequent meetings took place with the new Head of Safeguarding Adults to learn about safeguarding policies and procedures and with officers leading on the Personalisation Pilot to learn about the pilot and its progress against the pilot evaluation criteria.
- 3.3 Future review work will include meeting people who took part in the Personalisation pilot and possibly visiting a council performing highly in Personalisation and safeguarding to identify best practice in these areas.

Background Papers

None.

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