

SOCIAL CARE & HEALTH SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

12TH DECEMBER 2016

Forthcoming items for next meeting – Wednesday 25th January 2017

Discussion Topic	Background
Carmarthenshire Dementia Framework for Action	As part of the Joint Scrutiny Forum alongside the Community Health Council, Committee members produced a set of recommendations that are now helping to shape the way people living with dementia and their carers are supported. This item will provide the Committee with details of the next steps in developing dementia support services further.
Council's Well-Being Objectives 2017/18	The Well-being of Future Generations Act requires most public bodies in Wales to carry out sustainable development with the objective of improving the social, economic, environmental and cultural well-being of their area. It places a well-being duty on those public bodies to set and publish objectives designed to maximise their contribution to the seven national well-being goals. They are also required to take all reasonable steps to meet those objectives. This item will provide the Committee with an opportunity to consider and comment on the Council's proposed objectives for 2017/18.
Deprivation of Liberty (DoLS)	The Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards (DoLS) (part of the Mental Capacity Act 2005) are aimed at ensuring that individuals in care homes, hospitals or supported living facilities are cared for in ways that do not inappropriately restrict their freedoms. This item will provide the Committee with an update on the latest developments.
Mental Health Transformation	This update will enable the Committee to monitor the progress being made in relation to supporting people with mental health needs in the County.
Ageing Well Plan Annual Report	This report provides the Committee of the progress that has been made with the Ageing Well Plan over the last year.
ARCH Project Update (including Extra Care Scheme)	ARCH is a collaboration between Hywel Dda, ABM University Health Board and Swansea University. It spans

in Llanelli)	six local authority areas of Ceredigion, Pembrokeshire, Carmarthenshire, Bridgend, Neath Port Talbot and Swansea. Members of the Committee have requested further information on the proposals for Llanelli.
Information, Advice & Assistance (IAA)	The Social Services and Well-Being (Wales) Act came into force on 6th April 2016 with the aim of improving the well-being of people who need care and support, and carers who need support. The provision of Information, Advice and Assistance (IAA) to residents is a key component of the Act. This item will provide the Committee with details of the Authority's existing provision of and future plans relating to, Information, Advice and Assistance.
Welsh Language in Social Care "More than Just Words"	A more detailed update on the Communities Department's progress with regards to the Welsh Government's Strategic Document 'More than Just Words', which sets out the importance of the Welsh language when caring for older people.