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Notice of Meeting

Dear Member

Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Panel

The **Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Panel** will meet in the **Council Chamber - Town Hall, Huddersfield** at **2.00 pm** on **Wednesday 22 July 2026**.

This meeting will be webcast live and will be available to view via the Council's website.

The items which will be discussed are described in the agenda and there are reports attached which give more details.

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Samantha Lawton

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Kirklees Council advocates openness and transparency as part of its democratic processes. Anyone wishing to record (film or audio) the public parts of the meeting should inform the Chair/Clerk of their intentions prior to the meeting.

The Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Panel members are:-

Member

Councillor Akhtar Kasia (Chair)

Councillor Bill Armer

Councillor Brian Moughtin

Councillor Michael Simmons

Councillor Mark Smith

Councillor Sarah Wood

Helen Clay (Co-Optee)

Kim Taylor (Co-Optee)

Agenda

Reports or Explanatory Notes Attached

Pages

1: **Membership of the Panel**

To receive apologies for absence from those Members who are unable to attend the meeting.

2: **Minutes of previous meeting**

To approve the Minutes of the meeting of the Panel held on the 22nd April 2026.

3: **Declaration of Interests**

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Members will be asked to say if there are any items on the Agenda in which they have any disclosable pecuniary interests or any other interests, which may prevent them from participating in any discussion of the items or participating in any vote upon the items.

4: **Admission of the public**

Most agenda items take place in public. This only changes where there is a need to consider exempt information, as contained at Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972. You will be informed at this point which items are to be recommended for exclusion and to be resolved by the Panel.

5: **Deputations/Petitions**

The Panel will receive any petitions and/or deputations from members of the public. A deputation is where up to five people can attend the meeting and make a presentation on some particular issue of concern. A member of the public can also submit a petition at the meeting relating to a matter on which the body has powers and responsibilities.

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 10, Members of the

Public must submit a deputation in writing, at least three clear working days in advance of the meeting and shall subsequently be notified if the deputation shall be heard. A maximum of four deputations shall be heard at any one meeting.

6: Public Question Time

To receive any public questions.

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 11, the period for the asking and answering of public questions shall not exceed 15 minutes.

Any questions must be submitted in writing at least three clear working days in advance of the meeting.

7: Myalgic Encephalomyelitis/Chronic Fatigue Syndrome (ME/CFS)

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To receive a report on Myalgic Encephalomyelitis/Chronic Fatigue Syndrome (ME/CFS).

Contact: Nicola Sylvester, Principal Governance and Democratic Engagement Officer.

8: Changes to the Integrated Care Board

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To receive a report on changes to the Integrated Care Board (ICB) including Neighbourhood Health in Kirklees.

Members of the Children's Scrutiny Panel will be in attendance to consider this item.

Contact: Nicola Sylvester, Principal Governance & Democratic Engagement Officer.

9: Work Programme and Agenda Plan

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To agree the Work Programme and Agenda Plan.

Contact: Nicola Sylvester, Principal Governance and Democratic Engagement Officer.
