

**Name of meeting: Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Panel**

**Date: 8 July 2021**

**Title of report: Yorkshire Ambulance Service (YAS) – Performance, demand and Quality Update**

**Purpose of report:** To provide members of the Health and Social Care Scrutiny Panel with a YAS update on performance, demand and quality in Kirklees.

Key Decision - Is it likely to result in spending or saving £250k or more, or to have a significant effect on two or more electoral wards?	No
Key Decision - Is it in the <u>Council's Forward Plan (key decisions and private reports)</u> ?	Not Applicable
The Decision - Is it eligible for call in by Scrutiny?	Not Applicable
Date signed off by <u>Strategic Director</u> & name  Is it also signed off by the Service Director for Finance?  Is it also signed off by the Service Director for Legal Governance and Commissioning?	No – The report has been produced for information only and to facilitate the discussions with YAS.
Cabinet member <a href="#">portfolio</a>	Health and Social Care

**Electoral wards affected: None Specific**

**Ward councillors consulted: Not Applicable**

**Public or private: Public**

**Has GDPR been considered? Yes. there is no personal information contained in this report.**

## **1. Summary**

- 1.1 In line with the Panel's wish to maintain a close overview of the local performance of the Yorkshire Ambulance Service (YAS) representatives from YAS will be in attendance to provide an update on performance and demand in Kirklees.
- 1.2 Areas that will be covered will include:
- A brief overview of work undertaken by the organisation;
  - The challenges and impact of Covid-19 on operational services;
  - The approach to managing demand;
  - Response times; and
  - An overview of local initiatives.
- 1.3 Information submitted by YAS is attached and includes an appendix that has additional information covering the latest response times for categories 1 and 2.

## **2. Information required to take a decision**

N/A

## **3. Implications for the Council**

N/A

### **3.1 Working with People**

No specific implications

### **3.2 Working with Partners**

No specific implications

### **3.3 Place Based Working**

No specific implications

### **3.4 Climate Change and Air Quality**

No specific implications

### **3.5 Improving outcomes for children**

No specific implications

### **3.6 Other (e.g. Legal/Financial or Human Resources)**

No specific implications

## **4. Consultees and their opinions**

Not applicable

## **5. Next steps and timelines**

That the Overview and Scrutiny Panel for Health and Adult Social Care takes account of the information presented and considers the next steps it wishes to take.

## **6. Officer recommendations and reasons**

That the Panel considers the information provided and determines if any further information or action is required.

## **7. Cabinet Portfolio Holder's recommendations**

Not applicable

## **8. Contact officer:**

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**9 Background Papers and History of Decisions**

Not applicable

**10 Service Director responsible**

Julie Muscroft – Service Director, Legal, Governance and Commissioning