

Name of meeting: Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Panel

Date: 11 November 2021

Title of report: Community Care Services

To provide members of the Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Panel with the context and background to the discussions with Locala regarding Community Care Services.

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 to support the discussions with Locala.
Health Contact	Jane Close, Locala

Electoral wards affected: None Specific

Ward councillors consulted: Not Applicable

Public or private: Public

Has GDPR been considered? Yes. The report does not include any personal data that identifies an individual.

1. Summary

- 1.1 Locala is a not-for-profit social enterprise that provides a variety of services to people in Kirklees. Those services care for, and support people, from before birth to end of life, and have the flexibility to tailor services to meet the needs of the community.
- 1.2 Locala work closely with GPs, Social Services, other local NHS organisations to deliver a co-ordinated approach to care and support.
- 1.3 A representative from Locala will be in attendance to provide the panel with:
 - The progress and effectiveness of community care services delivered by Locala to include examples of the co-ordinated approach to providing care and support in Kirklees and how this integrated way of working has helped to reduce unnecessary A&E and hospital admissions and delays in discharge.
 - An update on progress of the work that is being considered to develop a same day urgent/emergency response model in the community in conjunction with the Primary Care Networks.
 - An update on the proposals to merge the Gateway to Care Service and the Locala Single Point of Contact Service
- 1.4 Information covering the areas above is attached.

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