

Name of meeting: Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Panel

Date: 10 April 2018

Title of report: Care Quality Commission

Purpose of report:

To provide members of the Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Panel with the context and background to the discussions with representatives from the Care Quality Commission (CQC)

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?	N/A – Report produced for information only
Key Decision - Is it in the Council's Forward Plan (key decisions and private reports?)	No
The Decision - Is it eligible for call in by Scrutiny?	No
Date signed off by <u>Director</u> & name	
Is it also signed off by the Assistant Director for Financial Management, IT, Risk and Performance?	No – The report has been produced to support the discussions with CQC.
Is it also signed off by the Service Director (Legal Governance and Monitoring)?	
Health Contact	Helyn Aris - Inspection Manager – Kirklees and Barnsley, North Region , Adult Social Care Directorate

Electoral wards affected: All

Ward councillors consulted: N/A

Public or private: Public

1. **Summary**

- 1.1 The CQC is the independent regulator of health and adult social care and its role is to monitor, inspect and regulate services to make sure that they meet fundamental standards of quality and safety.
- 1.2 In April 2017 CQC presented to the Panel an outline of its activity and an overview of the outcomes of the inspections in Kirklees. CQC also informed the Panel of the CQC model of regulation which included the role of CQC in providing an independent voice on the state of health and adult social care in England
- 1.3 The outcomes of the meeting included an agreement for the Panel to continue to focus on the work and activity of CQC and to arrange a further update from CQC with a focus on adult social care.
- 1.4 Representatives from CQC will be in attendance to provide the Panel with an overview of the state of care across the district that will include an overview of ratings for Adult Social Care (ASC), Acute Hospitals and Primary Medical Services.
- 1.5 CQC will also highlight any emerging themes from the inspections such as areas that commonly require improvement and examples of good practice.
- 1.6 A presentation covering the outcomes of the inspections will be shown at the meeting.

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

N/A

3. **Implications for the Council**

N/A

4. **Consultees and their opinions**

N/A

5. **Next steps**

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**

N/A

8. **Contact officer**

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9. **Background Papers and History of Decisions**

N/A

10. **Service Director responsible**

Julie Muscroft, Legal, Governance & Commissioning