

# **Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Committee**

## **Agenda**

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**Date:** Thursday, 10th March, 2011  
**Time:** 9.30 am  
**Venue:** Committee Suite 1,2 & 3, Westfields, Middlewich Road,  
Sandbach CW11 1HZ

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The agenda is divided into 2 parts. Part 1 is taken in the presence of the public and press. Part 2 items will be considered in the absence of the public and press for the reasons indicated on the agenda and at the foot of each report.

### **PART 1 – MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED WITH THE PUBLIC AND PRESS PRESENT**

1. **Apologies for Absence**
2. **Declaration of Interests/Party Whip**

To provide an opportunity for Members and Officers to declare any personal and/or prejudicial interests or members to declare the existence of a party whip in relation to any item on the agenda.
3. **Public Speaking Time/Open Session**

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Please contact Denise French on 01270 686464  
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A total period of 15 minutes is allocated for members of the public to make a statement(s) on any matter that falls within the remit of the Committee.

Individual members of the public may speak for up to 5 minutes, but the Chairman will decide how the period of time allocated for public speaking will be apportioned, where there are a number of speakers

Note: In order for officers to undertake any background research, it would be helpful if members of the public notified the Scrutiny officer listed at the foot of the agenda, at least one working day before the meeting with brief details of the matter to be covered.

4. **Minutes of Previous meeting** (Pages 1 - 8)

To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 6 January 2011.

5. **North West Ambulance Service** (Pages 9 - 18)

To consider a presentation by Sarah Byrom and Dave Kitchin of the North West Ambulance Service on:

- Response times in Cheshire East;
- Foundation Trust application;
- Serious and untoward incidents.

A summary document on the Foundation Trust application is attached for reference.

6. **Adult Services Charging Policy Review** (Pages 19 - 62)

At the last meeting of the Committee, Members considered a report on a review of the adult services charging policy. The Committee resolved that they receive a report back on the outcomes of the consultation and the attached report to Cabinet gives the outcomes and recommendations.

7. **Adult Services Transport** (Pages 63 - 106)

At the last meeting of the Committee, Members considered a report on a review of adult services transport. The Committee resolved that they receive a report back on the outcomes of the consultation and the attached report to Cabinet gives the outcomes and recommendations.

8. **Rationalisation and Temporary Closure of Buildings in Adult Services** (Pages 107 - 110)

To consider a report of the Director of Adults, Community, Health and Wellbeing

9. **Government proposals for "Local Accounts"** (Pages 111 - 118)

To consider a report of the Performance, Standards and Information Manager.

10. **Public Health White Papers: Council's response to consultation** (Pages 119 - 146)

To consider the report of the Chief Executive

11. **The Cheshire and Wirral Councils Joint Scrutiny Committee** (Pages 147 - 160)

To receive the minutes of the meetings of the Joint Scrutiny Committee held on 11 October 2010 and 10 January 2011.