

LEARNING DISABILITY SERVICE - SCRUTINY REVIEW

Report By: Head of Adult Social Care

Wards Affected

County-wide

Purpose

1. To consider the interim report on the Scrutiny exercise into services for people with a learning disability.

Background

2. Further to the progress report on this review to this Committee in March 2006 an interim report has now been prepared as appended. This includes the Terms of Reference for the review; the methods of gathering information; the need for change due to national drivers and demographics; the local service response and a section on emerging themes.
3. Members are asked to note the emerging themes and hold a further meeting of the Review Group to convert these into recommendations for the Cabinet Member for Social Care and Strategic Housing.

Financial Implications

4. The final recommendations to the Cabinet Member (Social Care Adults and Health) will have implications as to how resources are allocated.

RECOMMENDATION

THAT (a) the interim report be noted;

and

(b) a further meeting of the Review Group be convened to convert the emerging themes into recommendations for the Cabinet Member (Social Care Adults and Health).

BACKGROUND PAPERS

- Agenda papers for the meeting of the Adult Social Care and Strategic Housing Scrutiny Committee held on 17th March, 2006.