

REVIEW OF THE HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE INTEGRATION SCHEME
CONSULTATION OUTCOME REPORT

1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 1.1 The full Council and NHS Highland Board, at their meetings held on 28th and 26th November 2019 respectively, approved revisions made to the Health and Social Care Integration Scheme following a review process and agreed that Officers should proceed with arrangements for a 6 week joint consultation exercise, running from 9th December 2019 to 17 January 2020. During this period a total of 45 responses were received and details of these are attached at appendices 1 and 2.
- 1.2 A review of all the consultation responses has been undertaken by the Working Group that was set up to up to initiate the 5 year review process, at their meeting held on 28 January 2020. Having taken account of all feedback received, a number of further revisions are proposed to the Scheme. The detail of these can be found in the last column of the table within Appendix 1, which outlines the Working Group's response to the consultation feedback. The Scheme has been updated to reflect the proposed changes arising from the consultation process (highlighted in yellow) and a copy is attached at Appendix 3 for consideration and approval.

2. RECOMMENDATIONS

Members are asked to:-

- 2.1 Note the detail of the 45 responses received during the 6 week consultation period, set out in Appendices 1 and 2;
- 2.2 Agree the revised Integration Scheme (Appendix 3), which has been further updated to take account of feedback received as part of the consultation process;
- 2.3 Note that additional revisions to the integration Scheme may be required in respect of the power to delegate functions in terms of the Children and Young People (Scotland) Act 2014, once in receipt of advice from the Scottish Government; and

2.4 Note that a similar report was tabled at the NHS Highland Board on 31 March

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6.3 Appendix 3 – Revised Integration Scheme as at February 2020

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