

**Appendix B – HASC Action Tracker**

| <b>Meeting</b> | <b>Item</b>  | <b>Action</b>  | <b>Action by</b>  | <b>Status</b>  |
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| 25/4/23        | Deputation: Engagement and involvement of d/Deaf residents with local health services. | The Director of Integration gave a commitment to explore how to include groups such as Camden Disability Action when specific opportunities for engagement arose to ensure active local participation in the development of NCLs Population Health Strategy. A commitment was also given to facilitate a response from Royal Free Hospital regarding the closure of the walk-in audiology clinic | Simon Wheatley, Director of Integration NCL ICB                                   | In train   |
| 25/4/23        | Deputation: Engagement and involvement of d/Deaf residents with local health services. | The Advocacy Project was commissioned to engage service users in different activities including consultation and co-production. There were opportunities to do more targeted work with specific groups with protected characteristics. The depute could be introduced to the Advocacy Project to support engagement.   | Assistant Director Integrated Commissioning Mental Health & Learning Disabilities | Officers are meeting with the resident to discuss                |
| 25/4/23        | Deputation: Engagement and involvement of d/Deaf residents with local health services. | The Chair suggested that a future meeting of the Committee focus on supporting people with disabilities in health and care services, including an update on issues raised in the deputation. Different groups including Camden Disability Action would be invited to attend the meeting.   | James Fox, Senior Policy and Projects Officer                                     | To be considered for inclusion in the Committee's work programme |

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| 25/4/23 | Deputation:<br>Engagement and involvement of d/Deaf residents with local health services. | Members suggested that officers and Members receive deaf awareness training to enhance awareness across all council services and also within the NHS.   | James Fox, Senior Policy and Projects Officer | The Head of Member Support is arranging training for Members |
| 25/4/23 | Deputation:<br>Engagement and involvement of d/Deaf residents with local health services. | The Director of Public Health apologised for problems with accessing interpretation services and work with deaf residents was needed to improve the service. It was noted that commissioned services for substance misuse and public health were required to undertake deaf awareness training. Experts by experience from the deaf community were also shaping public health and council commissioned services. This work could be reported to a future meeting. | James Fox, Senior Policy and Projects Officer | To be scheduled  |
| 25/4/23 | Update on Implementing the Community and Mental Health Review Core Offers                 | With regard to waiting times for CAMHS, Martin Pratt (Executive Director Supporting People) explained that this depended on the particular service referred to. Further information could be provided on how a young person on a CAMHS waiting list is integrated into waiting lists for adults' services.  | Executive Director Supporting People          | In train   |
| 25/4/23 | Update on Implementing the Community and Mental   | In response to questions about the virtual wards, the Service Director for Camden and North West London Tri-Borough Services explained that these   | James Fox, Senior Policy and Projects Officer | In train   |

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|         | Health Review Core Offers  | had been in place in Camden and North Central London for some time. Members requested information on the long-term outcomes for service users when the data was available.   |   |   |
| 25/4/23 | Update of The Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | The Chair requested that an update on the Peer Review be provided to the next meeting via the Cabinet Member's update report.  | James Fox, Senior Policy and Projects Officer | Regular updates on the peer review and quality assurance will be included in the Cabinet Member update. An item on the peer review will also be taken at the 10 <sup>th</sup> July meeting. |
| 25/4/23 | Update of The Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | In response to comments about the need to also concentrate on increasing the uptake of health checks amongst older people, the Cabinet Member agreed that health checks including breast screening checks and immunisations were the bedrock of good population health. Kirsten Watters, Director of Public Health, noted that, since the pandemic, the take-up of health checks by those over 40 years of age had fallen. A report could be brought to the committee on actions to raise take-up, including targeting particular communities. | James Fox, Senior Policy and Projects Officer | To be scheduled   |

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| 13/2/23 | Update from the Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | In response to a question, Martin Pratt (Executive Director Supporting People) agreed to provide a written explanation of how step-down beds at Lime Tree Gardens were being monitored and the experience of the first patient using the service.  | Executive Director of Supporting People | A response was sent to the Committee on 12 <sup>th</sup> April   |
| 13/2/23 | Public Health Quarter 2 performance report                                 | The Executive Director Supporting People proposed that integrated drug and alcohol service users report to the Committee after a year of the new service operating on whether quality had improved or diminished.  | Senior Policy and Projects Officer      | To be scheduled for 2024   |
| 13/2/23 | Public Health Quarter 2 performance report                                 | Concern was expressed that contraception services through the use of the Long-Acting Reversible Contraception (LARC) target appeared to focus on birth control interventions on girls. It was queried whether boys were part of that conversation. Officers agreed to explore how birth control was addressed with boys and to report back to the Committee. | Director of Health and Wellbeing        | Kirsten Watters, Director of Health and Wellbeing, provided the following response: "This measure is for LARC fitted within primary care and there is a comprehensive health and relationship offer via Camden School Health Improvement Team" |
| 13/2/23 | Public Health Quarter 2 performance report                                 | In response to a suggestion that councillors undertake Making Every Contact Count (MECC) training, the Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care suggested that courses be communicated to Members when next scheduled.   | Director of Health and Wellbeing        | Action in train  |

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| 17/1/23 | Update from the Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | Following a request for further detail on what was provided at Charlie Ratchford Court and Denton Towers, Councillor Anna Wright, Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care, requested that officers arrange a visit to Charlie Ratchford Court prior to the next meeting of the Committee.  | Executive Director Adults and Health                      | Action in train, finding a suitable date  |
| 17/1/23 | Update from the Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | The Cabinet Member supported the Accommodation Strategy being embedded in all Adult Social Care policies and reviewing whether the right range of accommodation types were being provided in Camden. Jess McGregor (Executive Director Adults and Health) commented that Denton Towers provided a supported living service for people with learning disabilities and offered to share more detail on this with the Committee. | Executive Director Adults and Health                      | Response sent to the Committee on 1 <sup>st</sup> February  |
| 17/1/23 | Update from the Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | Further to a query about the need for additional crisis beds for people with mental health problems, the Cabinet Member's understanding was that by combining the two crisis houses, the existing need would be met but further information could be provided on local need.  | Cabinet Member for Health Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | Response from Debra Holt, Assistant Director Integrated Commissioning Mental Health & Learning Disabilities : "There are 12 crisis beds in Camden, these are provided in 2 separate 6 bed units. The plan is to identify a location where the 12 beds can be provided in one location. There are no plans for |

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|         |  |  |                                      | additional crisis beds as 12 beds meet demand.”   |
| 17/1/23 | Update from the Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | The Director for Adult Social Care suggested that NHS commissioners and providers be asked to report to Committee on mental health crisis provision.   | Senior Policy and Projects Officer   | To be scheduled   |
| 17/1/23 | Update from the Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | In response to questions about what had been learnt from the “cost of care” exercise, the Cabinet Member confirmed that there had been a good response from providers in Camden and so it had been worth doing although the final Market Sustainability Plan was not being progressed with the Department of Health and Social Care. The data showed how care providers were financing their work and how self-funders were effectively supporting the broader care system. The results indicated that a high proportion of residential care home beds were in the self-funder market, with the council funding a smaller proportion. The council was funding a higher proportion of nursing care beds. Residential care was being funded at a more expensive rate than nursing care due to the complex market. The data would be published on the website with narrative on what it was and was | Executive Director Adults and Health | A link to Camden’s <a href="#">webpage</a> with the data sets was circulated to the committee on 31 <sup>st</sup> March |

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|         |  | not telling commissioners. The data sets could be circulated to the Committee.  |  |  |
| 17/1/23 | Update from the Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | Information could be provided on work undertaken to strengthen connections across services on accessible housing.   | Executive Director Adults and Health                       | Response shared with the Committee on 1 <sup>st</sup> February |
| 17/1/23 | Update from the Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | In response to a question about the qualifications of the medical officer on allocation panels, the Executive Director Adults and Health offered to find out more information and share with the Committee.   | Executive Director Adults and Health                       | Response share with the Committee on 1 <sup>st</sup> February  |
| 17/1/23 | Update from the Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | The Executive Director Adults and Health explained that the 500 people identified as 'particularly vulnerable' to the effects of cold weather and the cost of living crisis were people supported by Adult Social Care and deemed to have increased vulnerability from fuel poverty and the cost of living. Details on how the list had been compiled could be shared with the Committee. | Executive Director Adults and Health                       | Response shared with the committee on 31 <sup>st</sup> March   |
| 17/1/23 | Update from the Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | The Cabinet Member offered to discuss ward-based cost of living issues with Councillor Stephen Stark.   | Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care |  |
| 17/1/23 | Update from the Cabinet Member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | The Cabinet Member offered to bring a report on the Accommodation Strategy to a future meeting. The Chair requested that officers from relevant departments be invited to help the  | Senior Policy and Projects Officer                         | To be scheduled  |

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|         |   | Committee understand allocations and criteria.   |                                    |  |
| 17/1/23 | Safeguarding Adults Partnership Board Annual Report | In response to questions about progress on the priority for enhanced awareness and training on female genital mutilation (FGM) in Camden, Kirsten Watters (Director of Health and Wellbeing) commented that there was a mandatory duty on health professionals to report suspected FGM. Information on reporting trends by Trust could be shared with the Committee.   | Director of Health and Wellbeing   | Action in train  |
| 17/1/23 | Safeguarding Adults Partnership Board Annual Report | Questions were asked about the implications of the Cass Review Interim Report for the Tavistock and Portman NHS Foundation Trust more broadly than the Gender Identity Development Service (GIDS). The Independent Chair commented that the Safeguarding Adults Partnership Board focused on 18 year olds and over. As the majority of young people referred to GID were under 18, there was an agreement that the Safeguarding Children's Partnership Board would address any issues. Members commented that there was relevance for the transitional phase of 18 to 25 year olds and the Committee should be aware of how the Cass | Senior Policy and Projects Officer | Chair to discuss with Executive Director for Supporting People |



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|         |  | recommendations were being implemented across the Trust. Implementation should not be siloed to the under-18s. It was agreed that the Tavistock and Portman NHS Foundation Trust could be asked to speak to the Committee or provide information on the broader implications of the Cass Review Interim Report. |  |   |
| 17/1/23 | Safeguarding Adults Partnership Board Annual Report (SAPB) | In response to questions about the Level 3 training target for the Tavistock and Portman NHS Foundation Trust, the Independent Chair offered to find out more about target and feed back to the Committee.  | Independent Chair, Safeguarding Adults Partnership Board | Christabel Shawcross, SAPB Independent Chair provided the following response: "The target is 80%, the Trust had achieved above 90% for the past year."  |
| 17/1/23 | Review of the Camden Medium Term Financial Strategy        | Further to a question about why the community partnership reorganisation saving would not take place until 2025/26, the Executive Director Adults and Health agreed to find out and report back to the Committee.   | Executive Director Adults and Health                     | John Muir, Head of Community Partnerships, provided the following response: "The date in the saving is the date agreed with the Director, Corporate Director and by Cabinet based on operational considerations (capacity, programmes of work, organisational change process and a review of structure within the new division)." |
| 17/1/23 | Review of the Camden Medium Term Financial Strategy        | In response to concerns about residents being left behind by the promotion of digital channels, the Executive Director Adults and Health  | Executive Director Adults and Health                     | Response shared with the committee on 17 <sup>th</sup> March  |

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|         |   | offered to find out how this was being addressed and report back to the Committee.  |                                    |   |
| 17/1/23 | Corporate Performance Report Quarter 2 2022-23      | Prioritisation of individuals with damp in properties was queried. The Director of Health and Wellbeing was involved in an evidence review on damp and mould. The review attempted to identify greater risk to exposure in a transparent way, enabling action for the most vulnerable. Volume and duration of exposure were important considerations. At risk groups included children under the age of 1 and those with respiratory conditions. The Damp and Mould Team had come up with a matrix identifying those at risk. The evidence did not indicate whether a small exposure to damp and mould for those with greater risk factors increased their risk over those with no risk factors but with larger exposure. The Chair requested that a report be brought to Committee on damp and mould issues. | Senior Policy and Projects Officer | To be scheduled – possible inclusion for a themed meeting on health and housing   |
| 17/1/23 | Review of the Camden Medium Term Financial Strategy | The Director of Health and Wellbeing agreed to investigate the removal of the indicator on the number of schools engaging with the Healthy Schools programme and report back.   | Director of Health and Wellbeing   | Alison Purchase, Senior Health and Wellbeing Advisor provided the following response: “78% of Camden schools are engaged with the Healthy Schools programme (43 schools total of which 25 |

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|          |  |  |   | have current recognition and 18 are working towards recognition). 23 schools have achieved Silver awards and 10 schools have achieved Gold awards.” |
| 17/1/23  | Review of the Camden Medium Term Financial Strategy                      | The Director of Health and Wellbeing agreed to investigate any statistical links between mental health following bereavement or victims of domestic abuse with long-term health problems.  | Director of Health and Wellbeing                  | Action in train   |
| 14/11/22 | Public Health Quarter 1 performance report 2022-23                       | A member suggested that KPIs should include one on weight management services. Members also commented on the need to engage more people with substance misuse in treatment – and there was a query about how many were being prescribed methadone and how many were now abstinent. | Kirsten Watters, Director of Health and Wellbeing | Adult weight management KPIs will be included from Q1 2023/24. Response to substance misuse shared with the committee on 23 <sup>rd</sup> December  |
| 14/11/22 | Work programme and action tracker  | Members discussed the work programme and suggested that access to dentistry be added as an item. The Chair also asked that ‘cost of living’ come back as an item to a future meeting of the Committee.   | James Fox, Senior Policy and Projects Officer     | To be scheduled in the next municipal year.   |
| 25/10/22 | Update of the Cabinet member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | During her introduction to the report, the Cabinet Member discussed her visits to partners and providers who form part of the Council’s adult social care provision. She proposed that a   | James Fox, Senior Policy and Projects Officer     | Cllr Wright advised that once she had completed visits to all providers, she would suggest a site to visit.   |

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|          |  | programme of visits could be developed for the Committee in future. The Chair requested visits to be arranged to Careline and Charlie Ratchford.   |  |   |
| 25/10/22 | Update of the Cabinet member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | The draft framework for the Adult Social Care Assurance process could be shared with the Committee.  | James Fox, Senior Policy and Projects Officer  | ADASS have said the framework should not be shared in its current form. Published information from CQC was shared with the committee. |
| 25/10/22 | Update of the Cabinet member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | Sexual health clinics were under pressure and the Director of Health and Wellbeing would provide information on the impact of Monkeypox vaccinations on the availability of appointments for other sexual health services.   | Director of Health and Wellbeing; Executive Director of Performance and Transformation (ICB) | Update provided in the November meeting   |
| 25/10/22 | Update of the Cabinet member for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care | Significant effort had been put into increasing childhood and flu vaccination levels. The data might be excluding those who had been vaccinated outside of Camden given the population mobility within the borough. The latest figures would be circulated to the Committee. | Director of Health and Wellbeing   | Action in train   |
| 25/10/22 | Update on the transition to and development of the NCL ICB               | The Chair welcomed the offer from the ICB to return to a future meeting to update the Committee on specific examples of work to be undertaken.   | Senior Policy and Projects Officer   | To be scheduled   |

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| 25/10/22 | Enhanced Access to General Practice in Camden and North Central London | Concern was expressed at surgeries not enabling patients to book appointments ahead but only on the day. Kamran Bhatti (Assistant Director for Primary Care, Integrated Care Board (ICB)) commented that patients should be able to book appointments in advance and requested details via the Senior Policy and Projects Officer so this issue could be discussed with the practices.  | Senior Policy and Projects Officer | Kamran's contact details were shared with the Committee on 27/10. |
| 25/10/22 | Enhanced Access to General Practice in Camden and North Central London | In response to a question, the Executive Director Supporting People noted that prevention and approach to population health was addressed in the Health and Wellbeing Strategy (HWS). It was agreed to circulate the Strategy to the Committee.   | Senior Policy and Projects Officer | The HWS was shared with the Committee on 27/10.                   |
| 25/10/22 | Work programme and action tracker                                      | The Chair informed the Committee that the Medical Director at Great Ormond Street Hospital had requested to bring an update to the Committee. The Executive Director Supporting People explained that the Hospital had previously received a poor CQC rating and the Chairs of Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Committee and Children, Schools and Families Scrutiny Committee had agreed that it would therefore be appropriate to bring a report to this Committee. An update | Senior Policy and Projects Officer | Provisionally scheduled for February's meeting                    |

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| 25/10/22 | Work programme and action tracker | It was suggested that the Tavistock and Portman NHS Foundation Trust be asked to attend a Committee meeting given the findings of the Cass Review on gender identity services that had resulted in the closure of the gender identity development service clinic. The Executive Director Supporting People commented that the new Chief Executive and the new Chair of the Board could be asked to set out the improvement plan. | Senior Policy and Projects Officer | To be scheduled |
| 25/10/22 | Work programme and action tracker | It was suggested that a report could be brought on the impact of the cost of living crisis on mental health. The Executive Director Supporting People noted that the cost of living report to the November meeting was focused on Adult Social Care but a further report could be scheduled for a future meeting.  | Senior Policy and Projects Officer | To be scheduled |