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OUTER NORTH EAST LONDON JOINT HEALTH OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE, 16 APRIL 2024

Subject Heading:

NHS Proposal – Joint Committee Merger

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Policy context:

To discuss a NHS proposal re forming a
single Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny
Committee (JHOSC) for North East
London

Financial summary:

No financial implications of the report
itself.

SUMMARY

The Committee will be invited to discuss a response to a reported NHS proposal to form a single JHOSC covering the whole of North East London.

RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Joint Committee discusses the proposed creation of a single JHOSC to cover the whole of North East London and agrees any action in response that it considers appropriate.

REPORT DETAIL

Reports have reached certain Members and officers of a proposal by the Integrated Care Board that the JHOSC should merge with its equivalent Committee for Inner North East London, thus forming a single JHOSC to cover the entire North East London area. Whilst no formal approach on this matter has been received from the NHS, Members may find it useful to discuss the position and consider any response that they wish to give at this stage.

IMPLICATIONS AND RISKS

Financial implications and risks: None of this covering report.

Legal implications and risks: None of this covering report though it should be noted that the Constitutions of many of the Member Councils of the Outer North East London JHOSC may need to be adjusted if a merger to a single Committee is agreed.

Human Resources implications and risks: None of this covering report although it should be noted that clerking arrangements for any merged Committee would need to be agreed.

Equalities implications and risks: None of this covering report.

BACKGROUND PAPERS

None.