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| <b>Subject:</b>         | <b>Intelligent Commissioning Pilots; Feedback from Scrutiny Workshops</b> |                                      |                                 |
| <b>Date of Meeting:</b> | <b>5 April 2011</b>   |                                      |                                 |
| <b>Report of:</b>       | <b>Strategic Director Resources</b>                                       |                                      |                                 |
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### FOR GENERAL RELEASE

#### 1. SUMMARY AND POLICY CONTEXT:

- 1.1 The report provides OSC with feedback from the second round of scrutiny workshops during March on the three Intelligent Commissioning Pilots; drug-related deaths, domestic violence and alcohol-related harm. These follow from the scrutiny workshop for OSC Members on 7 December as reported to 14 December 2010 meeting.
- 1.2 Outcomes and the key objectives of the Domestic Violence Intelligent Commissioning Pilot will be considered by 7 April Cabinet. Full commissioning plans and reports on the two remaining IC pilots will be taken to future Cabinet meetings.

#### 2. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 2.1 That OSC:
  1. Consider the information in this report and provide comments to refer on to 7 April Cabinet.
  2. Decide upon any feedback on scrutiny's involvement in the intelligent commissioning process to date.

#### 3. RELEVANT BACKGROUND INFORMATION/CHRONOLOGY OF KEY EVENTS:

- 3.1 An informal half-day workshop attended by OSC Members on 7 December provided an opportunity to comment on the needs assessment and service mapping work to date on the three Intelligent Commissioning Pilots. The 14 December OSC received the notes and commented on the workshop (see 3.6 below).
- 3.2 To enable more detailed consideration and the further development of the basis for commissioning services in each pilot area, it was agreed to hold three separate workshops in March 2011. These would also inform the framework as a whole for Intelligent Commissioning.
- 3.3 OSC heard presentations and queried root causes, roles and structures, needs, available data objectives and performance, and

made suggestions. Notes of the three workshops appear as Appendices 1,2 and 3 to this report.

- 3.4 Members are invited to formally send the minutes from the workshops to Cabinet; however the comments made and issues raised at the workshops will have been taken into account in the development of the pilots.
- 3.5 Members also have the opportunity to provide feedback on the intelligent commissioning pilots and scrutiny's involvement more generally. Any comments made will be used to improve future process.
- 3.6 OSC Members made the following comments at the 14 December 2010 OSC meeting:

51.3 Commenting on the IC workshop Members said the technical information on the three needs assessments was very useful. However it was felt that there was too little time to read all the detailed information provided and that a précis would have helped. Clarification on the process and structure of the commissioning cycle, a look at some lessons learned, and background to scrutiny input would have been appreciated by some.

51.4 More time to ask questions during presentations would have been preferred and to this end it was agreed in future to request separate workshops for each subject.

51.5 Difficulties in obtaining data was noted and the Chairman said that the time taken to produce the needs assessments – in this case more than three months - should be taken into account for other areas of intelligent commissioning.

#### **4. FINANCIAL & OTHER IMPLICATIONS:**

- 4.1 Financial Implications:  
None directly in relation to this report
- 4.2 Legal Implications:  
None directly in relation to this report
- 4.3 Equalities Implications:  
None directly in relation to this report
- 4.4 Sustainability Implications:  
None directly in relation to this report
- 4.5 Crime & Disorder Implications:  
None directly in relation to this report

- 4.6 Risk & Opportunity Management Implications:  
None directly in relation to this report
- 4.7 Corporate / Citywide Implications:  
None directly in relation to this report

## **SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION**

### **Appendices:**

1. Notes of the OSC workshop, Drug-Related Deaths; 7 March 2011
2. Notes of the OSC workshop, Domestic Violence; 14 March 2011
3. Notes of the OSC workshop, Alcohol-Related Harm; 21 March 2011

### **Documents in Members' Rooms**

1. None

### **Background Documents**

1. None

