

PROTECTING VULNERABLE ADULTS OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY BOARD 22 December 2015



Report of the Strategic Director of Adults Health and Housing

Update on Access to GP Surgeries

SUMMARY

- 1.1 At the August meeting the Protecting Vulnerable Adults Overview and Scrutiny Board received a full response to a request into the access issues that patients are experiencing accessing GP surgeries.
- 1.2 At this meeting the Board agreed to receive further updates on this issue and details on what measures had been imposed.

RECOMMENDATION

- 2.1 To consider the progress made by the Southern Derbyshire Clinical Commissioning Group (SDCCG) to improve the GP access situation.
- 2.2 To make any further comments or recommendations following discussions on the response received.

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

- 3.1 To update the Board on progress made following on from recommendations made by the Adults and Health Board earlier in the year.
- 3.2 To allow the Board an opportunity to make any further comments or recommendations to the SDCCG.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

4.1 The Protecting Vulnerable Adults Overview and Scrutiny Board agreed topic to undertake a topic review focussed on addressing how access to GPs may be made easier for the residents of Derby.

OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED

5.1 None

This report has been approved by the following officers:

Legal officer Financial officer	
Human Resources officer Service Director(s) Other(s)	Perveez Sadiq, Acting Strategic Director for Adults, Health & Housing

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IMPLICATIONS

Financial and Value for Money

1.1 None directly arising from this report

Legal

2.1 None directly arising from this report.

Personnel

3.1 There are no implications arising directly from this report.

IT

4.1 None directly arising from this report.

Equalities Impact

5.1 Effective scrutiny benefits all Derby people and the very nature of the Board ensures that it looks in depth at equality in all its investigations.

Health and Safety

6.1 None directly arising from this report.

Environmental Sustainability

7.1 None directly arising from this report.

Property and Asset Management

8.1 None directly arising from this report.

Risk Management

9.1 None directly arising from this report.

Corporate objectives and priorities for change

10.1 The report contributes to the following Council objectives: Good quality services that meet local needs.