

Norwich City Council
SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Item No 5

REPORT for meeting to be held on Thursday 17 December

Norfolk Health and Overview Scrutiny Committee (NHOSC)

Summary: Councillor Cate Oliver is the council's substitute representative on the Norfolk Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee and attended this meeting on behalf of Councillor Laura McCartney-Gray who was unable to attend. Councillor Oliver will give a verbal update of the meeting of NHOSC held on 26 November 2020. The full papers and minutes of this meeting can be found [here](#).

Since the Health and Social Care Act 2012 came into effect in 2013, health scrutiny powers lie with the county council rather than directly with NHOSC. County and district councils have different service responsibilities, but both have a significant impact on health and wellbeing. By adoption of a way of working provided by the suggested protocol, the city council and its representative on NHOSC will be able to continue to work in partnership towards positive outcomes on behalf of residents.

Recommendation: To note the report of the council's substitute representative on NHOSC.

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