

NORTH LINCOLNSHIRE COUNCIL

HEALTH SCRUTINY PANEL

28 February 2022

PRESENT: - T Mitchell (Chairman)

T Mitchell (Chairman), C O'Sullivan (Vice-Chair) and M Armiger

The meeting was held at the Conference Room, Church Square House.

593 SUBSTITUTIONS

There were no substitutions.

594 DECLARATIONS OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS AND PERSONAL OR PERSONAL AND PREJUDICIAL INTERESTS AND DECLARATIONS OF WHIPPING ARRANGEMENTS (IF ANY).

There were no declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests and personal or personal and prejudicial interests. No whip was declared.

595 TO TAKE THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PANEL HELD ON 26 NOVEMBER 2021 AS A CORRECT RECORD AND AUTHORISE THE CHAIRMAN TO SIGN.

Resolved - That the minutes of the meeting of this panel held on 26 November 2021, having been printed and circulated amongst the members, be taken as read and correctly recorded and be signed by the Chairman.

596 PUBLIC SPEAKING REQUEST (IF ANY).

There were no requests received.

597 NOSOCOMIAL COVID-19 INFECTION

The Chairman summarised the position regarding nosocomial infections at Northern Lincolnshire & Goole NHS Foundation Trust, following discussions with Trust representatives. Members discussed the situation in some depth, commenting on the Duty of Candour and lessons learned.

Resolved – That an appropriate letter from the Chairman be sent to the Trust Chief Executive and others, thanking them for their candour, stating the need for a named contact for any families affected by nosocomial infections, and highlighting the vital need for long-term support for those who have lost friends and relatives, and those suffering from long covid symptoms.

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598 BREAST ONCOLOGY & NON-SURGICAL ONCOLOGY SERVICES UPDATE

The Chairman highlighted a recent communication from the Cancer Alliance regarding regional breast oncology, including non-surgical oncology services.

Resolved – That the briefing be noted.

599 WORK PROGRAMME 2021/22

The Panel discussed and agreed their work programme for the remainder of the 2021/22 municipal year.

Resolved – That the work programme be agreed.

600 ADDED ITEM (IF ANY).

There was no Added Item for consideration at the meeting.

601 ANY OTHER ITEMS WHICH THE CHAIRMAN DECIDES ARE URGENT BY REASON OF SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES WHICH MUST BE SPECIFIED.

There were no urgent or additional items for discussion at the meeting.