Oxfordshire Joint Overview and Scrutiny Committee. 24th September 2020

Chairman's Report

1.0 Population Health and Care Needs Assessment in OX12

- 1.1 A set of recommendations were tabled at HOSC's meeting on the 25th of June 2020. The recommendations were proposed by the Committee's Task and Finish Group regarding the roll out of the Population Health and Care Assessment Framework in the OX12 area.
- 1.2 HOSC accepted the recommendations and it was agreed that a letter be sent to the responsible authorities; Oxfordshire Clinical Commissioning Group and Oxford Health Foundation Trust to formally outline those recommendations. A copy of this letter is contained within Appendix 1.
- 1.3 A reply to HOSC's letter was received and this is contained within Appendix 2.

2.0 Co-opted members

- 2.1 In addition to Councillors, the Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee (HOSC) includes in its membership up to three non-voting co-opted members. Co-opted members are appointed because of the valuable personal contribution they make to the work of the committee.
- 2.2 Co-opted members normally serve for a period of two years and may serve for one further consecutive period of two years before reapplying. In line with this, a review of the terms of the co-opted members of the committee was due and therefore undertaken in July 2020. An advertisement, application shortlisting and interview process then followed for co-opted members.
- 2.3 There were some excellent candidates and following shortlisting, four people were interviewed. An offer was made to join the committee immediately to Mrs Jean Bradlow.

3.0 Committee briefings and communication

3.1 The committee received the following written briefings since its meeting in June 2020. These are in the Appendices of this report and are on:

Appendix	Name	From	Received
3	Weekly briefings on COVID-19	System-wide	Weekly
		communication	
4	BOB ICS Bulletin (July)	ICS	08/07/20
5	Windrush Surgery- Bradley Arcade	OCCG	23/07/20
6	Reopening outpatients	OCCG	24/07/20

In addition to the above letters received by the committee, a letter was sent from the Chairman on behalf of HOSC to the Chief Executive of Oxford University Hospitals Foundation Trust on maternity patient's partners. This was sent on the 14th of September and is included in Appendix 7.