

**DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL  
IMPROVEMENT AND SCRUTINY - PEOPLE COMMITTEE**

**26 NOVEMBER 2014**

**Report of the Director of Legal Services**

**WORK PROGRAMME 2014/15**

**1. Purpose of the Report**

To consider the People Improvement and Scrutiny Committee's work programme for 2014/15.

**2. Information**

The Committee has finalised two reviews relating to a broader review of the Council's approach to equality, diversity and inclusion which was agreed at the 31 July 2013 Committee meeting. These reviews, concerning decision-making and recruitment and selection, were brought to this Committee for approval on the 3 September and were considered by Cabinet on 21 October 2014.

It was agreed at the 14 May People Improvement and Scrutiny (I&S) Committee to undertake a review of the impacts on people who may no longer be eligible for adult social care due to the change in the threshold. A scoping report was agreed at the I&S People Committee on the 9 July. A working has been established and has held two meetings, taking briefings from senior officers in Adult Care.

The safeguarding working group continue to meet monthly. Councillors have agreed to focus the working group in the following issues: child sexual exploitation (CSE); domestic violence in males and vulnerable older people not necessarily known to the authority. An interim review report, detailing findings and recommendations was approved by this Committee on the 3 September. Following this, two of the recommendations have been implemented. Through the Member Development Programme, a CSE awareness session and the production of 'Chelsea's Choice' were delivered to Members in November 2014. A safeguarding awareness session is due to be delivered to Members in December 2014.

**3. Considerations (to be specified individually where appropriate)**

In preparing this report the relevance of the following factors has been considered: financial, human relations, legal and human rights, prevention of

crime and disorder, equality and diversity, environmental, health, property and transport considerations.

**4. Officer's Recommendation**

The People Improvement and Scrutiny Committee note the work programme for 2014/15.

**John McElvaney**  
**Director of Legal Services**

## People Improvement and Scrutiny Committee: Work programme 2014-15

## Appendix A

<b>26 November 2014</b>	Cabinet Member discussion	Cllr Paul Smith, <i>Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care</i>
	Safeguarding Performance Report	For information
	Healthwatch Derbyshire standing item	Helen Hart, <i>Intelligence and Insight Co-ordinator</i>
	Progress Report from the eligibility for adult social care working group	Cllr D Charles, <i>Chair I&amp;S People and ASC eligibility Working Group</i>
	Progress Report from safeguarding sub-group	Cllr D Charles, <i>Chair I&amp;S People and Safeguarding Working Group</i>
	Work Programme Report	Cllr D Charles, <i>Chair I&amp;S People</i>
<b>4 March 2015</b>	Cabinet Member discussion	Cllr K Gillott, <i>Cabinet Member for Children and Young People</i>
	Corporate Parenting Performance Report	Ian Johnson, <i>Deputy Strategic Director (Children &amp; Younger Adults)</i>
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