


Non-Executive Report of the:  <b>Health Scrutiny Sub-Committee</b>  08/01/2018	 <b>TOWER HAMLETS</b>
<b>Report of:</b> Barts NHS Trust	<b>Classification:</b> Unrestricted
<b>Scrutiny Review: Maternity Services (Annual Action Plan Update)</b>	

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<b>Wards affected</b>	All wards

## Summary

This paper submits an update on the recommendations of the Health Scrutiny Sub-Committee's Review on Maternity Services which was undertaken in 2016. The Review brought together representatives from the council, Tower Hamlets CCG, Barts Health NHS Trust, and community organisations to explore the quality of provision and the performance Maternity Services in Tower Hamlets. Through listening to patient feedback the review explored the extent to which women are involved in monitoring and planning services and how accessible and responsive services are for people from different social and equalities backgrounds. The Sub-Committee made a number of recommendations to improve Maternity Services in Tower Hamlets.

Over the course of the last year services have implemented the action plan which was produced to address the recommendations identified as part of the review. This paper provides an annual update on the progress of the recommendations.

## Recommendations:

The Health Scrutiny Sub-Committee is recommended to:

1. Note the report and evaluate progress of the action plan.
2. Identify areas where improvements are still required

