


<p>Non-Executive Report of the:</p> <p>Health and Adults Scrutiny Sub-Committee</p> <p>Tuesday 1 December 2020</p>	
<p>Report of: Denise Radley, Corporate Director of Health Adults & Community, LBTH</p>	<p>Classification: Unrestricted</p>
<p>Issue Title: Tower Hamlets COVID-19 Winter Plans 2020-21 (joint presentation)</p>	

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Wards affected	All

Summary

Winter is understood to be a period of increased pressure on the health and social care system. This year, we face significant additional challenges given the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic.

The Tower Hamlets Adult Social Care Winter Plan 2020-21 sets out their preparedness for the upcoming winter period and reflects the requirements set out in the national Adult Social Care Winter Plan. The plan is aligned to the Outbreak Control Plan and to Winter Plans held by health partners.

It is a requirement for each Local Authority to have in place an Adult Social Care Winter Plan by 31 October as described in the national Adult Social Care Winter Plan. This plan has been presented to Cabinet on 28 October. This plan together with Tower Hamlets System Winter Plan 2020-21 is being presented to Health and Adults Scrutiny sub-committee for information.

Recommendations:

The Health and Adults Scrutiny Sub-committee is recommended to:

1. Note the Adults Social Care Winter Plan 2020-21 and Tower Hamlets System Winter Plan 2020-21

Linked Reports, Appendices and Background Documents

Linked Report

- List any linked reports
- State NONE if none.

Appendices

- Appendix 1 - Adult Social Care Winter Plan for 2020/21
- Appendix 2 – Tower Hamlets System Winter Plan for 2020/21

Background Documents – Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements)(Access to Information)(England) Regulations 2012

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Officer contact details for documents:

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