


<p>Non-Executive Report of the:</p> <p>Health and Adults Scrutiny Sub-Committee</p> <p>Tuesday 1 December 2020</p>	 <p>TOWER HAMLETS</p>
<p>Report of: Denise Radley, Corporate Director of Health Adults and Community, LBTH</p>	<p>Classification: Unrestricted</p>
<p>Issue Title: COVID-19 Care Act Easements</p>	

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<p>Wards affected</p>	<p>All</p>

Summary

The Care Act easements guidance sets out how local authorities can use the new Care Act easements, created under the Coronavirus Act 2020, to ensure the best possible care for people in our society during the COVID-19 pandemic.

The presentation will provide further details on the purpose of the Care Act easements and when to use it. This presentation will provide details on steps Tower Hamlets is taking to ensure there is no need to put in place Care Act easements in Tower Hamlets.

Recommendations:

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

1. Read and note the presentation

Linked Reports, Appendices and Background Documents

Linked Report

- List any linked reports
- State NONE if none.

Appendices

- Appendix 1 – Presentation slides on ‘COVID-19 Care Act easements’.

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

- List any background documents not already in the public domain including officer contact information.
- These must be sent to Democratic Services with the report
- State NONE if none.

Officer contact details for documents:

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