

**REPORT FROM THE DEPUTY LEADER
AND EXECUTIVE MEMBER FOR ADULT SOCIAL CARE,
INTEGRATION, HUMAN RESOURCES AND CORPORATE
GOVERNANCE TO THE MEETING OF FULL COUNCIL ON
WEDNESDAY, 25 NOVEMBER 2015**

The major preoccupation in my role of executive member for Adult Social Care remains the agenda around integration. Many members will have attended yesterday's briefing where, I trust, an opportunity to address any concerns about the current position around Vanguard / My Life a Full Life was afforded.

In addition to this we are currently out to consultation with providers regarding how we commission services with the independent sector. A new system is in place which assists greatly with the back office and finance functions of our interaction and consideration is being given to how we might incorporate a commissioning function into its operation. The implementation of the government's living wage policy will have huge implications in the care sectors and grave concern has been expressed by many in the market about long term sustainability in the current climate.

At a recent meeting of the Joint Commissioning Board all partners reiterated an absolute commitment to move, as quickly as possible, towards an integrated commissioning model (between the local authority, the Clinical Commissioning Group and Public Health) with a pooled budget. This would represent a huge step forward in terms of joined up delivery of health and social care.

In addition to the regular commitments which fall within my brief I have, since last full council, attended the following:

- Chief Executive recruitment.
- My Life a Full Life (MLAFL) programme director recruitment.
- Transitions Parent's Voice seminar.
- Whole integrated system review/redesign discussions.
- HWB (Health and Wellbeing Board)/ system governance discussions.
- Mental health summit.
- Children's and adult services conference in Bournemouth.
- Meeting with new police commander. Interface with police on wellbeing issues.
- Joint Provider Board.
- NHS Trust board.
- Healthwatch.
- Isle Help steering group meeting.
- Care Quality Commission meeting.
- Pacs (Primary and Community Services) Community of Practice Vanguard Peer Group meeting in London.
- Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Panel.

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