



Gloucestershire  
COUNTY COUNCIL



## **Joint Great Western Ambulance Overview and Scrutiny Committee**

**Date & Time:** Friday 29<sup>th</sup> February 2008 at 10.30am

**Venue:** Swindon Borough Council Civic Offices, Euclid Street, Swindon, Sn1 2JH (Committee Room 6)

### **Members of the Committee:**

- Councillor Lesley Alexander, Bristol City Council
- Councillor Sylvia Townsend, Bristol City Council
- Councillor Bill Payne, Bristol City Council
- Councillor Margaret Edney, Cotswold District Council (Member of Gloucestershire County Council Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee)
- Councillor Andrew Gravells, Gloucestershire County Council
- Councillor Margaret Nolder, Gloucestershire County Council
- Councillor Ray Ballman, Swindon Borough Council (*Subject to approval of Swindon Borough Council Full Council on 25<sup>th</sup> February 2008*)
- Councillor Andrew Bennett, Swindon Borough Council (*Subject to approval of Swindon Borough Council Full Council on 25<sup>th</sup> February 2008*)
- Councillor Peter Mallinson, Swindon Borough Council (Subject to approval of Swindon Borough Council Full Council on 25<sup>th</sup> February 2008)

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Swindon Borough Council – [www.swindon.gov.uk](http://www.swindon.gov.uk)

The estimated time allocated to each agenda item is indicated in brackets. All timings are subject to change.

<b>AGENDA</b>	
<b>Part 1 (Public Items)</b>	
<b>1.</b>	<b>Apologies for Absence</b> (2 mins)
<b>2.</b>	<b>Declarations of Interest</b> (2 mins)
	Members are reminded that at the start of the meeting they should declare any know interests in any matter to be considered, and also during the meeting if it becomes apparent that they have an interest in the matters being discussed.
<b>3.</b>	<b>Public Forum</b> (up to 15 mins)
	See explanatory note below. Please contact the officers whose names and numbers appear at the top of this agenda if you need further guidance.
<b>4.</b>	<b>Appointment of Chair</b> (5 mins)
<b>5.</b>	<b>Approval of Terms of Reference and Principles of Communication</b> (10 mins)
<b>6.</b>	<b>Approval of Work Programme</b> (10 mins)
<b>7.</b>	<b>Great Western Ambulance NHS Trust: Overview of Roles &amp; Responsibilities and Performance</b> (35 mins)
<b>8.</b>	<b>Gloucestershire Primary Care Trust: Overview of Commissioning Arrangements and Performance Management in relation to Great Western Ambulance NHS Trust</b> (35 mins)
<b>9.</b>	<b>Summary of Key Issues &amp; Next Steps</b> (10 mins)

**Date of Dispatch:** 21<sup>st</sup> February 2008

#### **Public Question Time**

*Up to 15 minutes will be allowed at the start of all Joint Committee meetings for members of the public to make a statement in relation to an issue included on the agenda. Because of time constraints, a maximum of 3 minutes will be allocated to each individual. Prior notice of a question to the Scrutiny Officers supporting the Joint Committee is desirable, particularly if detailed information is needed.*

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