Health Overview & Scrutiny Update

Issues

- Swindon & Marlborough Trust Foundation Status Bid
- Neighbourhood Teams/Reforming Community Services (see Bulletin)

Please note that all Members can follow the progress of this service by looking on the 'My Space' Bulletins (on LHS) and then Members. N.B. All old documentation can be viewed on the old Bulletin Board.

• Minor Injury Units

October 1st saw changes to MIU opening (see leaflet).

• South West Health Scrutiny Network

The Network was established earlier this year through funding from the centre for Public Scrutiny. Its purpose is to enable networking and learning & development to take place. It is hosted by Swindon Borough Council and the WCC Health Scrutiny Officer, Jo Howes represents Wiltshire on the Project Board.

The first training event takes place on 16th November, when we will be examining the role of LINks (Local Involvement Networks) in the new commissioning framework for health & wellbeing.

• Delayed Transfers of Care

HO&S Task Group currently looking at this issue (to examine both the health & social care pathways)

- Royal United Hospital Gynaecological Cancer Services
- Urgent Care Strategy
- Proposal to Close Netheravon Surgery

Coming Soon.....

- Meeting Maggie Rae Joint Director for Public Health for WCC & Wiltshire PCT
- Great Western Ambulance Service NHS Trust

There are concerns that the Trust is not meeting its targets. The Chair and HO & S Officer are to meet with the Trusts' Chief Executive and it is hoped that representatives will attend our next meeting

• Mental Health Commissioning with WCC

A consultation document is due out shortly