

Committee: Healthier Communities and Older People Overview and Scrutiny Panel

Date: 2 November 2021

Wards: ALL

Subject: Primary Care Access in Merton

Recommendations:

- A. The Panel are asked comment on and discuss the issues in access to Primary Care in Merton.
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1 PURPOSE OF REPORT AND EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Colleagues from South West London Clinical Commissioning Group will attend the Panel to provide an overview of the attached presentation.

2 ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS

The Healthier Communities and Older People Overview and Scrutiny Panel can select topics for scrutiny review and for other scrutiny work as it sees fit, taking into account views and suggestions from officers, partner organisations and the public.

3 CONSULTATION UNDERTAKEN OR PROPOSED

- 3.1. The Panel will be consulted at the meeting

4 TIMETABLE

- 4.1. None relating to this covering report

5 FINANCIAL, RESOURCE AND PROPERTY IMPLICATIONS

- 5.1. None relating to this covering report

6 LEGAL AND STATUTORY IMPLICATIONS

- 6.1. None relating to this covering report. Scrutiny work involves consideration of the legal and statutory implications of the topic being scrutinised.

7 HUMAN RIGHTS, EQUALITIES AND COMMUNITY COHESION IMPLICATIONS

- 7.1. It is a fundamental aim of the scrutiny process to ensure that there is full and equal access to the democratic process through public involvement and engaging with local partners in scrutiny reviews. Furthermore, the outcomes of reviews are intended to benefit all sections of the local community.

8 CRIME AND DISORDER IMPLICATIONS

- 8.1. None relating to this covering report. Scrutiny work involves consideration of the crime and disorder implications of the topic being scrutinised.

9 RISK MANAGEMENT AND HEALTH AND SAFETY IMPLICATIONS

9.1. None relating to this covering report

**10 APPENDICES – THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE TO BE
PUBLISHED WITH THIS REPORT AND FORM PART OF THE REPORT**

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11 BACKGROUND PAPERS

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