

# ADULT SERVICES AND HEALTH COMMISSION 22 June 2009

Report of the Director of Corporate and Adult Social Services

**Derby LINks Annual Report** 

#### RECOMMENDATION

1.1 To consider and note Derby Link's Annual Report.

#### **SUPPORTING INFORMATION**

- 2.1 Local Involvement Networks (LINks) promote, support and involve local people in commissioning, provision and scrutiny of local health and social care services. As part of their statutory duties, LINks are required to publish their annual report by 30 June each year. Although Derby LINk was formally launched in October 2008 it was already performing its functions as transitional body since April 2008. Its Annual Report therefore covers the period 1 April 2008 to 31 March 2009 and was agreed at their AGM held on 21 May 2009.
- 2.2 The Commission is requested to note the report. The Derby LINk work programme is also attached for information.

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Background papers: None

**List of appendices:** Appendix 1 – Implications

Appendix 2 – Derby Links Annual Report

# Appendix 1

#### **IMPLICATIONS**

#### **Financial**

1. None arising from this report.

### Legal

2. The Local Authority (Overview and Scrutiny Committees Health Scrutiny Functions) Regulations 2002 gives health scrutiny committees powers to review any matter relating to the planning, provision and operation of health services.

#### Personnel

3. None arising from this report.

# **Equalities impact**

4. Effective scrutiny will benefit all Derby people.

## **Corporate Priorities**

5. This report links with Council's priority for 2008-11 in helping us all to be healthy, active and independent.