

## **Your Life Your Choice- building care and support in Derby**

### **SUMMARY**

- 1.1 Derby is successfully delivering the personalisation programme, with increasing numbers of people in the city receiving personalised budgets. This has enabled more people to be in control of their life and their care and support. The Council now wants to further change the way adult social care is provided over the next few years and is consulting service users about this.
- 1.2 The Adults and Public Health Board asked, as part of its work programme, to look at how service users are consulted on the Your Life Your Choice, particularly those from black and minority ethnic communities who are usually under represented in the adult social care sector. The Director of Prevention, Personalisation and Professional Standards has been invited to brief members on the Your Life Your Choice programme and the consultation process.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

- 2.1 To consider and comment on the process for consulting with service users on the strategy for delivering adult social care in the future.

### **REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION**

- 3.1 The scrutiny of adult social care services fall within the remit of the Adults and Public Health Board. The Board wants to ensure service users are appropriately consulted on services that affect them and have an opportunity to contribute to the debate in future provision of adult social care in the city.

### **SUPPORTING INFORMATION**

- 4.1 Future provision of adult social care needs to change not only to meet the changing needs of the aging population but also in light of significant reductions in public sector budgets. Having good, effective consultation processes helps to ensure service users understand the reasons for change and are engaged in the debate on how they receive their services in the future.

<b>OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED</b>
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5.1 None

**This report has been approved by the following officers:**

<b>Legal officer</b> <b>Financial officer</b> <b>Human Resources officer</b> <b>Estates/Property officer</b> <b>Service Director(s)</b> <b>Other(s)</b>	
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<b>IMPLICATIONS</b>
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**Financial and Value for Money**

- 1.1 None arising from this report

**Legal**

- 2.1 Part 4 of the Council's Constitution (Rules of Procedure) enable overview and scrutiny boards to review matters that fall within their terms of reference.

**Personnel**

- 3.1 There are no implications arising directly from this report.

**IT**

- 4.1 None directly arising from this report.

**Equalities Impact**

- 5.1 Effective scrutiny benefits all Derby people and the very nature of the Board ensures that it looks in depth at equality in all its investigations. It is really important that equality is taken on board in any consultation process, particularly with some minority communities who may not have English as their first language and also with Deaf people in line with our Deaf and hearing impaired people's commitment.

**Health and Safety**

- 6.1 None directly arising from this report.

**Environmental Sustainability**

- 7.1 None directly arising from this report.

**Property and Asset Management**

- 8.1 None directly arising from this report.

**Risk Management**

- 9.1 None directly arising from this report.

**Corporate objectives and priorities for change**

- 10.1 Our aim is to work together so that Derby and its people will enjoy a thriving sustainable economy, good health and well-being and an active cultural life.