Committee: Health and Wellbeing Board

Date: 23 June 2015

Agenda item: Wards: All

Subject: South West London Joint Committee Nomination

Lead officer: Dr Kay Eilbert, Director of Public Health

Lead member: Caroline Cooper Marbiah, Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and

Health

Contact officer: Clarissa Larsen, Partnership Manager Health and Wellbeing Board

Recommendations:

To agree the nomination of a representative of Merton Health and Wellbeing Board to attend the South West London Joint Committee

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT AND EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1.1 To agree the nomination of a representative of the Health and Wellbeing Board to attend the South West London Joint Committee

2. DETAILS

- 2.1 From 1st April 2015, the six south west London Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs) took on the responsibility of commissioning Primary Care services together, alongside NHS England, as part of a Primary Care joint co-commissioning arrangement. Co-commissioning is intended to give local clinicians and local communities more influence over how primary care services are developed.
- 2.2 A South West London Joint Committee is being set up top to oversee the joint commissioning function. More detailed work is continuing to take place with CCGs, NHS England (London) and Local Authority colleagues to establish how the joint committee will work in practice.
- 2.3 A request was received in April for a representative of Merton Health and Wellbeing Board to take part in this Committee. In the transferral from NHS England to CCGs it is possible that conflicts of interest may arise between a CCG with GP membership and contracting of local services. This South West London Joint Committee has been proposed to reduce/remove this risk.
- 2.4 Separately to the request to Health and Wellbeing Boards, one representative has also been requested from each borough's Healthwatch and relevant Local Medical Committee to attend the SWL Joint Committee.

3. NEXT STEPS

Following nomination and agreement the Merton Health and Wellbeing Board representative will attend the South West London Joint Committee and report back as necessary.

4. Consultation Undertaken

None for the purpose of this report.

5. ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS

None for the purpose of this report

6. TIMETABLE

None for the purpose of this report.

7. FINANCIAL, RESOURCE AND PROPERTY IMPLICATIONS

None for the purpose of this report. .

8. LEGAL AND STATUTORY IMPLICATIONS

None for the purpose of this report.

9. HUMAN RIGHTS, EQUALITIES AND COMMUNITY COHESION IMPLICATIONS

None for the purpose of this report.

10. CRIME AND DISORDER IMPLICATIONS

None for the purpose of this report.

11. RISK MANAGEMENT AND HEALTH AND SAFETY IMPLICATIONS

None

12. Appendix

None

13. Background Papers

None

14. Officer Contact

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