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## **INTEGRATION JOINT BOARD**

### **NOTES OF MEETING**

**NORMA AUSTIN HART**

**THIRD SECTOR DUMFRIES AND GALLOWAY**

**3 DECEMBER 2020**

## KEY POINTS

- 1) The IJB was reminded that the strategic commissioning plan is out for consultation until January. I flagged up to the IJB that the consultation with our own Health and Social Care Forum (HSCF) has identified some strong views about the language of the consultation draft and the process.

The language included the term 'partnership' loosely and inconsistently. It was not always clear that the 'partnership' included the Third Sector.

The document was already well- developed leaving it unclear what could be changed or introduced. The head of strategic planning agreed that the feedback of the HSCF group will be absorbed into the consultation process and agreed to bring an update on the consultation to the next meeting of the IJB.

- 2) The chief operating officer and the chief social worker acknowledged that the home teams were not where they had hoped they would be by now. Internal changes had been made to the management and planning of the home teams and an update will be given at the next meeting.
- 3) Five Third Sector Organisations have been awarded contracts when the Carer Support Service were recommissioned.
  - a. D&G Carers Centre
  - b. Quarriers
  - c. Support in Mind Scotland
  - d. Alzheimer's Scotland
  - e. Relationship Scotland
- 4) The Independent Scottish Care representative presented a Scottish Care report 'What If and Why Not', a review of social care during the pandemic. The report is in the papers for the meeting which are found by clicking the link to the meeting at the end of this note.

The chief operating officer proposed a short life group to examine the report in more detail and consider the implications for D&G. I will be invited to participate on behalf of the third sector.

- 5) The IJB meetings are to be recorded.  
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