

# Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Panel



Date of meeting:	15 July 2025
Title of Report:	<b>Adult Social Care Activity and Performance Report</b>
Lead Member:	Councillor Mary Aspinall (Cabinet Member for Health and Adult Social Care)
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Key Decision:	No
Confidentiality:	Part I - Official

## Purpose of Report

The purpose of this report is to provide Scrutiny panel members with a performance update for Adult Social Care, including levels of demand for services and any priority actions.

## Recommendations and Reasons

- I. It is recommended that Scrutiny acknowledge the content of the report.

## Alternative options considered and rejected

- I. None

## Relevance to the Corporate Plan and/or the Plymouth Plan

Plymouth Plan Priority: A Healthy City

Corporate Plan Priority: Keeping children, adults and communities safe

## Implications for the Medium Term Financial Plan and Resource Implications:

The Adult Social Care budget is monitored closely, including the numbers of people needing a new service and the associated costs of services. The purpose of this report to Scrutiny is to provide an update on the key activity related to demand for services.

## Financial Risks

None - as above

## Legal Implications

(Provided by Alison Critchfield/Assistant Head of Legal Services)

None arising from this report

**Carbon Footprint (Environmental) Implications:**

Services for Adult Social Care are provided locally to the city as much as possible to enable people to remain close to their communities. This also aims to reduce the amount of travel required.

**Other Implications: e.g. Health and Safety, Risk Management, Child Poverty:**

*\* When considering these proposals members have a responsibility to ensure they give due regard to the Council's duty to promote equality of opportunity, eliminate unlawful discrimination and promote good relations between people who share protected characteristics under the Equalities Act and those who do not.*

None

**Appendices**

*\*Add rows as required to box below*

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**Background papers:**

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Originating Senior Leadership Team member: Stephen Beet, Head of Adult Social Care and Retained Functions											
Please confirm the Strategic Director(s) has agreed the report? Yes Date agreed: 07/07/2025											
Cabinet Member approval: Councillor Mary Aspinall Date approved: 07/07/2025											