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Date of Meeting	Agenda Item	Prioritisation Score	Reason for Consideration	Responsible Cabinet Member/Lead Officer
15 July 2025	Performance, Finance and Risk Reports for H&ASC + Livewell SW performance	3	Standing Item	Helen Slater, Stephen Beet, Ian Lightley (NHS Devon)
	End of Life Care MoN I Motion on Notice - End of Life Care.pdf	4	Referred by City Council	NHS Devon ICB. Chris Morley
	NHS Changes and re-structures	4	To scrutinise upcoming changes to the structure and operation of NHS management	NHS England + NHS Devon
14 October 2025 Moved to 21 November 2025	Quarterly Finance and Performance Reports for H&ASC	3	Standing Item	Helen Slater + Gary Walbridge
	Winter Planning	4	To review preparations and readiness for Winter Pressures	Chris Morley (NHS Devon) + Rachel O’Connor (UHP)
	Outcomes	3	Readmission rates, discharges and outcomes	Chris Morley (NHS Devon)

	Devon Health and Care Strategy Discussion	4	For the Panel to discuss and feedback to NHS Devon following the Masterclass on 29/10/2025.	NHS Devon
25 November 2025	Site Visit to Dartmoor Building (UTC) Derriford.	N/A	To view new Urgent Treatment Centre	Amanda Nash (UHP)
02 December 2025 Moved to 27 January	PCC CQC Outcome Report	4	To review the implications for PCC following the CQC outcomes report.	Gary Walbridge Ian Lightley Louise Ford Julia Brown
	Armed Forces GP / Surgery / Dental Update	3	To receive an update on Armed Forces' health care in the city. -Action Plan	NHS Devon Vanessa Crossey
	Unpaid Carers	4	Post-decision scrutiny of Carers Strategy & next steps	Kate Lattimore, Mark Collings & Karlina Hall
	Winter Pressures Update –	3	To present current capacity and pressure figures including the new urgent treatment centre	UHP, NHS Devon
24 February 2026	Joint Select Committee with Children's Panel. Transitions	3	To review Social Care transitions	Amanda Davis Julia Brown
03 February 2026	Winter Planning Evaluation			NHS Devon ICB

Moved to 05 March	ICB Reforms and Restructures update			NHS Devon ICB
	Plymouth Suicide Prevention Strategic Partnership Action Plan 2024-2026			Kamal Patel (Public Health)
Items to be scheduled for 2025/26				
2025/26	Workloads for Social Workers	3	Retention, Sickness and Agency Staff	Gary Walbridge + Livewell SW
2025/26	UHP New Hospital's Programme Update	3	To provide an update on progress of UHP construction facilities and services	Rachel O'Connor (UHP)
2025/26	Local Care Partnership Plan	3	To ensure greater engagement and collaboration with the LCP	LCP / NHS Devon
2025/26	Independent Prescribing Pathfinder Programme (NHS Devon)	3	Review of performance of the programme following prior scrutiny	NHS Devon
2025/26	Urgent and Emergency Care One Plan - performance against targets	4	To continue scrutiny of UHP capacity and performance	NHS Devon
2025/26	Reforms and Restructures Update	3	To track further progress following the ICB merger / clustering	NHS Devon
2025/26	UHP Readmissions	3	To receive an update on UHP readmission performance, including the Building Brilliance programme.	Anjula Mehta (UHP) Rachel O'Connor (UHP)
Items to be scheduled for 2026/27				
2026/27				

Items Identified for Select Committee Reviews				
2025/26	Transitions to Adult Social Care (from Children's)	4	To be held in a Joint Select Committee with Children's Scrutiny Panel	Gary Walbridge / David Haley

Scrutiny Prioritisation Tool

		Yes (=1)	Evidence
Public Interest	Is it an issue of concern to partners, stakeholders and/or the community?		
Ability	Could Scrutiny have an influence?		
Performance	Is this an area of underperformance?		
Extent	Does the topic affect people living, working, or studying in more than one electoral ward of Plymouth?		
Replication	Will this be the only opportunity for public scrutiny?		
	Is the topic due planned to be the subject of an Executive Decision?		
Total:			High/Medium/Low

Priority	Score
High	5-6
Medium	3-4
Low	1-2