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# Agenda

# BETTER HEALTHCARE IN BUCKS HOSC WORKING GROUP

Date: Friday 16 March 2012

**Time:** 9.30 am (Pre-meeting for Members at 9.15am)

**Venue:** Mezzanine Room 3, County Hall, Aylesbury

## 9.15 am Pre-meeting discussion

This session is for members of the committee only. It is to allow discussion of matters such as what line of questioning should be pursued and by whom, which areas of discussion should be covered, and what members wish to achieve from the meeting.

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#### 1 SOUTH CENTRAL AMBULANCE SERVICE

9.30am

The South Central Ambulance Service (SCAS) will discuss the likely impact of the consultation proposals on the Ambulance Service, including how working practices will be adapted to meet proposed changes, additional demands on services, increased journey times and training of staff.

#### **Contributors:**

Maria Langler, Area Manager, Bucks, SCAS John Black, Medical Director, SCAS

## 2 COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES

10.30am

Community Services, including the Community Hospitals and Adult Community Healthcare Teams, are likely to play an increasingly important role in helping to prevent admissions to hospitals and reducing the length of stay in acute care. The BHiB proposals include a strong role for community and integrated services. Members will hear about the likely impact of the proposals on the work of community health services and how they will adapt working practices to ensure that services are in place to support patients in community settings and their homes.





#### **Contributor:**

Rachael Corser, Associate Director of Nursing for Division of Community and Integrated Care, Buckinghamshire Healthcare NHS Trust

#### 3 BUCKINGHAMSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

11.45am

Members will hear a summary of the areas identified by the various portfolios of the County Council likely to be impacted on by the BHiB proposals.

#### **Contributor:**

Rachael Rothero, Acting Head of Service – Commissioning and Service Improvement, Adult Social Care

4 CLOSE 12.30pm

The full Better Healthcare in Bucks consultation document can be found via the following link:

www.buckinghamshire.nhs.uk/bhib/ or telephone 01494 552256.

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