Title: Barking and Dagenham, Havering and Redbridge Clinical Commissioning Groups’ Engagement Document

Report of the Director of Law and Governance

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For comment

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Summary:

The Barking and Dagenham, Havering and Redbridge Clinical Commissioning Groups’ (BHRCCGs) have published an engagement document, provided at Appendix 1, ‘Spending NHS money wisely’ which discusses potential future savings options to achieve a saving of £55 million, in relation to the following services:

- IVF;
- Sterilisation;
- Prescribing;
- Cosmetic procedures and
- Weight loss surgery.

The BHRCCGs’ deadline to respond to the engagement document is 18 May 2017.

Recommendation(s)

The Health and Adult Services Select Committee is recommended to discuss the potential savings options and provide comments to officers on the representations that should be made in the Committee’s response to the engagement document.

Reason(s)

This engagement document falls under the HASSC’s remit, which includes the scrutiny of any matter relating to the planning, provision and operation of the health service in the borough or accessed by Barking and Dagenham residents.

Implications

There are no financial or legal implications arising directly as a result of this report.

Appendices

Appendix 1 – Spending NHS money wisely engagement document