HEALTH SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

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Title: To what extent did the Integrated Care System help deal with Covid-19? Report of the Director of Public Health	
Wards Affected: All	Key Decision: No
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Summary

Colleagues from the London Borough of Barking and Dagenham and NHS partners will deliver presentations to the Committee reflecting on the extent to which the Integrated Care System is helping with response to Covid-19. This will cover:

- Use of decision-making structures
- Co-ordination of key programmes, including roll out of the Covid-19 vaccine
- Managing hospital capacity and discharge pathways

Partners in the Integrated Care System have been seen to have worked well together, such as in the way that the CCG and Local Authority teams have worked to get hospital discharge pathways up and running to give a level of stability in one of the geographies most intensely affected by the third wave of Covid-19. There are nonetheless some areas for improvement to ensure that partners are represented and communicate well to take actions that support the wider System.

Recommendation(s)

(i) Members are invited to ask questions and seek clarification on any element of the presentations.

Reason(s)

The Health Scrutiny Committee has the key responsibility of holding health and social care partners accountable for effective working for the health outcomes of the Borough's residents.

List of appendices:

Appendix 1 – Social Care's experience of the third wave of Covid

Appendix 2 – ICS and ICP Response to Covid