Health and Social Care Committee

Meeting Venue: Committee Room 3 – Senedd
Meeting date: Thursday, 12 July 2012
Meeting time: 10:00 – 12:03

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Concise Minutes:

Assembly Members:  
Mark Drakeford (Chair)  
Mick Antoniw  
Rebecca Evans  
Vaughan Gething  
William Graham  
Elin Jones  
Darren Millar  
Lynne Neagle  
Aled Roberts  
Lindsay Whittle

Witnesses:  
Graham Perry, Monmouthshire County Council  
Steve Wearne, Food Standards Agency Cymru  
Simon Wilkinson, Welsh Local Government Association  
Liz Withers, Consumer Focus Wales

Committee Staff:  
Fay Buckle (Clerk)  
Llinos Dafydd (Clerk)  
Claire Griffiths (Deputy Clerk)  
Catherine Hunt (Deputy Clerk)  
Lisa Salkeld (Legal Advisor)  
Victoria Paris (Researcher)  
Philippa Watkins (Researcher)

1. Introductions, apologies and substitutions
1.1 Apologies were received from Kirsty Williams. Aled Roberts attended as a substitute.
2. Consideration of a motion notified to the Committee in accordance with Standing Order 17.44
2.1 There were no objections to the motion, therefore the motion was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 17.34(i).

3. Inquiry into the implementation of the NSF for diabetes in Wales and its future direction – Consideration of terms of reference
3.1 The Committee agreed the terms of reference for its inquiry into the implementation of the NSF for diabetes in Wales and its future direction, and that it would issue a consultation over the summer recess.

3.2 The Committee agreed its intention to undertake an inquiry into the appraisal of medical technologies and to consult on the scope of the inquiry over the summer recess.

4. Food Hygiene Rating (Wales) Bill: Stage 1 – Evidence Session 2
4.1 The Committee took evidence from the Food Standards Agency and ConsumerFocus Wales.

4.2 Steve Wearne (FSA) agreed to send a copy of the qualitative study to the Committee on further work commissioned following the ConsumerFocus Wales consumer study when published at the end of July.

5. Food Hygiene Rating (Wales) Bill: Stage 1 – Evidence Session 2
5.1 The Committee took evidence from the Welsh Local Government Association and the Directors of Public Protection Wales.

6. Papers to Note
6.1 The papers were noted.

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