Agenda - Plenary

Meeting Venue:

Y Siambr - Y Senedd

Meeting date:

Wednesday, 11 May 2022

Meeting time: 13.30

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This meeting will be held in a hybrid format, with some Members in the Senedd Chamber and others joining by video-conference.

The Llywydd has determined that, in accordance with Standing Order 34.14A-D, Members will be able to vote from any location by electronic means.

1 Questions to the Minister for Health and Social Services (45 mins)

The Presiding Officer will call Party Spokespeople to ask questions without notice after Question 2.

View Questions

2 Questions to the Minister for Economy

(45 mins)

The Presiding Officer will call Party Spokespeople to ask questions without notice after Question 2.

View Questions

3 Topical Questions

(0 mins)

No Topical Questions were accepted



4 90 Second Statements

(5 mins)

Motion to elect a Member to a committee

(5 mins)

NNDM8000 Elin Jones (Ceredigion)

To propose that the Senedd, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Rhys ab Owen (Plaid Cymru) as a member of the Public Accounts and Public Administration Committee in place of Cefin Campbell (Plaid Cymru).

5 Member Debate under Standing Order 11.21(iv) – The Holodomor (60 mins)

NNDM7994 Alun Davies (Blaenau Gwent)

To propose that the Senedd:

- 1. Notes that this year is the 90th anniversary of the Holodomor: the famine which killed an estimated 4-6 million people in Ukraine over 1932/33.
- 2. Further notes that this famine was the consequence of the deliberate actions and policies of the Soviet Union.
- 3. Expresses its sympathy and extends its solidarity to the people of Ukraine on behalf of the people of Wales.
- 4. Calls on the Welsh Government to initiate a commemoration programme to remember the victims of the Holodomor and to raise awareness of the suffering of the people of Ukraine.

Co-Submitters

Rhun Ap Iorwerth (Ynys Môn)

Jane Dodds (Mid and West Wales)

Samuel Kurtz (Carmarthen West and South Pembrokeshire)

Supporters

Janet Finch-Saunders (Aberconwy)

Jenny Rathbone (Cardiff Central)

Mark Isherwood (North Wales)

Peter Fox (Monmouth)

Vikki Howells (Cynon Valley)

6 Welsh Conservatives Debate - NHS waiting lists

(60 mins)

NDM7997 Darren Millar (Clwyd West)

To propose that the Senedd:

1. Believes that the Welsh Government does not have an adequate plan to tackle NHS waiting list backlogs in Wales.

The following amendment was tabled:

Amendment 1 Lesley Griffiths (Wrexham)

Delete all and replace with:

To propose that the Senedd:

- 1. Notes that the Welsh Government's planned care recovery plan published on 26 April was developed in partnership with clinicians to ensure targets were challenging but achievable.
- 2. Further notes that further operational detail on how the ambitions in the plan will be delivered will be set out in the NHS integrated medium term plans, which are currently being reviewed.

Transforming and modernising planned care and reducing waiting lists

7 Plaid Cymru Debate - Alcohol-related harm

(60 mins)

NDM7996 Sian Gwenllian (Arfon)

To propose that the Senedd:

- 1. Notes that there were 438 alcohol-related deaths in Wales in 2020: the highest level in 20 years, and a 19 per cent increase from 2019..
- 2. Regrets the rising number of alcohol-related deaths, alcohol-related hospital admissions, and cases of alcohol dependency in Wales that disproportionately affect those at socio-economic disadvantage.
- 3. Notes the Welsh Government's Substance Misuse Delivery Plan 2019-2022.
- 4. Calls upon the Welsh Government to provide a stronger commitment, enhanced resources and measurable targets to combat alcohol-related harm within a renewed substance misuse delivery plan from 2023.

Welsh Government Substance Misuse Delivery Plan 2019–2022

The following amendments were tabled:

Amendment 1 Lesley Griffiths (Wrexham)

Delete all and replace with:

To propose that the Senedd:

- 1. Acknowledges that there were 438 alcohol specific deaths in Wales in 2020: the highest level in 20 years, a 19 per cent increase from 2019.
- 2. Notes the levels of alcohol related hospital admissions and the disproportionate impact of alcohol on deprived communities.
- 3. Notes the Welsh Government's Substance Misuse Delivery Plan 2019-2022.
- 4. Welcomes the Welsh Government's continued commitment to substance misuse by protecting and ring-fencing its funding in the budget, the £9 million increase in funding for 2022/23 and a commitment to further increases in 2023/24 and 2024/25.

[If amendment 1 is agreed, amendment 2 will be de-selected]

Amendment 2 Darren Millar (Clwyd West)

Add as new point after point 1 and renumber accordingly:

Is concerned that the number of treatments started for substance misuse in Wales has decreased by 15 per cent in the last five years.

Motion to suspend Standing Orders

(5 mins)

NNDM7999 Hefin David (Caerphilly)

To propose that the Senedd, in accordance with Standing Orders 33.6 and 33.8:

Suspends Standing Order 12.73 to allow NDM7998 to be considered in Plenary on Wednesday 11 May 2022.

8 Voting Time

9 Short Debate

(30 mins)

NDM7998 Hefin David (Caerphilly)

Pathways from referrals to diagnosis and beyond: the challenges of living with autism and other neurodivergent conditions

The Senedd will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Tuesday, 17 May 2022

Agenda Item 1

Oral Questions tabled on 04/05/2022 for answer on 11/05/2022

The Presiding Officer will call party spokespeople to ask questions without notice after Question

MINISTER FOR HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Sioned Williams South Wales West

1 OQ58013 (w)

Will the Minister make a statement on NHS dentistry services in South Wales West?

Laura Anne Jones South Wales East

2 OQ58017 (e)

What steps are being taken to cut waiting times at Grange University Hospital?

Carolyn Thomas North Wales

3 OQ58010 (e)

What steps is the Welsh Government taking to deal with the backlog of elective surgery in North Wales?

John Griffiths Newport East

4 OQ58026 (e)

How is the Welsh Government promoting strong public health messages with Wales's black, Asian and ethnic minority communities?

Buffy Williams Rhondda

5 OQ58025 (e)

What percentage of mandated health visiting contacts through the Healthy Child Wales programme were conducted in person in the last year?

Heledd Fychan South Wales Central

6 OQ58008 (w)

What support is the Government providing to health boards to enable them to implement social prescribing?

Rhys ab Owen South Wales Central

7 OQ58003 (w)

What discussions has the Minister had regarding access to GP services in Cardiff and the Vale?

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Mark Isherwood North Wales

8 OQ57996 (e)

How is the Welsh Government monitoring the implementation of the Social Services and Wellbeing (Wales) Act 2014?

Huw Irranca-Davies Ogmore

9 OQ57992 (e)

What discussions has the Minister had with Cwm Taf Morgannwg Health Board regarding primary care in the Ogmore constituency?

Alun Davies Blaenau Gwent

10 OQ58014 (e)

Will the Minister make a statement on patient access to unscheduled care services in Aneurin Bevan University Health Board?

Darren Millar Clwyd West

11 OQ58002 (e)

What action is the Welsh Government taking to improve the performance of emergency departments in North Wales?

Paul Davies Preseli Pembrokeshire

12 OQ57995 (e)

Will the Minister make a statement on the provision of ambulance services in Pembrokeshire?

MINISTER FOR ECONOMY

Laura Anne Jones South Wales East

1 OQ58016 (e)

What steps has the Welsh Government taken to attract major economic investment to Newport?

Mabon ap Gwynfor Dwyfor Meirionnydd

2 OQ58023 (e)

What steps is the Government taking to support credit unions?

Janet Finch-Saunders Aberconwy

3 OQ58006 (e) Member declared an interest

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What discussions has the Minister had with the Minister for Finance and Local Government about the potential impact of the Draft Non-Domestic Rating (Definition of Domestic Property) (Wales) Order 2022 on the tourism sector in Wales?

Vikki Howells Cynon Valley

4 OQ57997 (e)

What action is the Welsh Government taking to promote tourism within the south Wales valleys?

Rhun ap Iorwerth Ynys Môn

5 OQ58028 (w)

Will the Minister provide an update on efforts to safeguard and create jobs on the former Anglesey Aluminium site?

Mike Hedges Swansea East

6 OQ57991 (e)

Will the Minister provide an update on the SAI development in Swansea?

Darren Millar Clwyd West

7 OQ58001 (e)

What assessment has the Welsh Government made of the economic impact of a tourism tax in North Wales?

Jayne Bryant Newport West

8 OQ58000 (e)

What is the Welsh Government doing to support economic development in Newport?

Peter Fox Monmouth

9 OQ58024 (e)

How is the Welsh Government supporting high-street businesses?

James Evans Brecon and Radnorshire

10 OQ58019 (e)

What plans does the Welsh Government have to develop an enterprise zone in rural mid Wales?

Heledd Fychan South Wales Central

11 OQ58007 (e)

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What support is the Welsh Government providing to develop social enterprise and the social economy in South Wales Central?

Altaf Hussain South Wales West

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OQ57990 (e)

What are the Minister's targets for economic growth during this Senedd term?