

Overview & Scrutiny Committee**On 13 February 2006**

Report Title: Report of the Scrutiny Review of Access to Mental Health Early Intervention Services in Haringey – One in Four of Us

Report of: Chair of Scrutiny Review of Mental Health (Early Intervention)

Wards(s) affected: **All**

Report for: **Non-Key Decision**

1. Purpose

To approve the report of the Review.

2. Recommendations

That Members approve the conclusions and recommendations of the Review, as outlined in the Scrutiny Review report.

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3. Executive Summary: Mental health has wide ranging implications for the whole community and is not just an issue of concern for NHS trusts. Services are being developed to respond to the full range of needs that people have. Intervening early when people become unwell can help to prevent people becoming acutely ill and keep them out of hospital. The development of community services that promote good mental health and prevent social exclusion is dependent on sufficient funding being made available through re-directing resources.

4. Reasons for any change in policy or for new policy development (if applicable)**5. Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985**

6. Background Papers

6.1 *Please refer to the Scrutiny Review report (attached).*

7. Description

7.1 *Please refer to the Scrutiny Review report (attached).*

8. Consultation

8.1 The Review report has been submitted to the relevant departments for consideration of technical accuracy and feasibility of the recommendations.

9. Summary and Conclusions

9.1 *Please refer to the Scrutiny Review report (attached).*

10. Recommendations

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11. Legal and Financial Comments

11.1 Full legal and financial comments will be sought to recommendations agreed by the Executive in the Executive Response.

12. Equalities Implications

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