# Actions arising from OSC

Agenda Item	Action	Responsible Officer/Member	Update/response
16 December 2013			
Budget Scrutiny	To request that in future years, the budget report be separated more clearly for the budget areas scrutinised by the Panels and OSC.	Kevin Bartle / Finance team	Noted for future budget scrutiny
	To provide a briefing note on the 4YP programme and where it was in terms of funding.	Susan Otiti Assistant Director of Public Health	See attached briefing note
	To provide a cost comparison on external commercial charges between the Council and private organisations	•	All fines for all criminal offences go to central government. The costs for prosecuting a crime is, however, recoverable. An application for our prosecution costs is made in every case. Usually, at least a proportion of the costs are <b>awarded</b> . If the defendant has the means to pay and the costs are considered reasonable, the courts tend to award the whole amount. The responsibility for ensuring costs are actually <b>recovered</b> falls to the Courts Service. Legal Services receives a monthly list of payments it receives for cases including HMO prosecutions. It has

To provide on undate on the		been agreed corporately that all prosecution costs recovered remain in the Legal Services budget. The Court Service had been criticised nationally in recent years for its low collection rates. Central government has ploughed more resources into it.
To provide an update on the webcasting contract		The webcasting contract was extended for a further one year period, which finishes in September 2014.
Haringey People – to provide the income figures for the past 3 years from advertising	George O'Neill	10/1111/1212/13£22,952£52,148£33,000
To find out the number of agency / contract staff in the Council.	HR Metrics & Information	As of December 2013 - 298 Full time equivalent Agency staff.

# Briefing - 4YP Programme

From: Susan Otiti, Assistant Director of Public Health

To: The Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Date: 20<sup>th</sup> January 2014

#### 1. Introduction

The Overview & Scrutiny Committee requested 'a short briefing note on the 4YP programme and where it was in terms of funding'.

## 2. Background

The Health and Social Care Act 2012 changed the previously led NHS sexual health commissioning landscape. From April 2013 local authorities became responsible for commissioning comprehensive sexual health services (health promotion, prevention, assessment and treatment services – excluding termination of pregnancy services, HIV treatment and care services and those contraception and sexual health services that are part of the nationally agreed GP contract). The commissioning of this new council responsibility is led by Public Health.

NHS contracts and their funding transferred from NHS North Central London Cluster to Haringey Council 1<sup>st</sup> April 2013 as part of the public health grant.

## 3. Sexual health services for young people

4YP is the collective name used for sexual health services targeting the under 25 age group that aims to reduce teenage conceptions and improve the sexual health of young people (improving access to contraception services and reducing the prevalence of sexually transmitted infections).

4YP services include those commissioned from Whittington Health NHS Trust and Haringey community pharmacists.

## Whittington Health NHS Trust

There are two dedicated 4YP clinical services per week in Haringey. In addition 4YP staff support a range of prevention activities both internal to the clinical services and in an outreach capacity. These include:

- Health Promotion this includes a range of events throughout the year linking up with other organisations and institutions to celebrate and raise awareness of services available. The 4YP team and other staff within the sexual and reproductive health service organise workshops and events throughout the year promoting general sexual health, condom use and HIV awareness.
- Co-ordinate Haringey's condom distribution scheme which is part of the pan London Come Correct C Card Scheme. Young people under 25 years old have

an initial sexual health assessment, and condom demonstration if necessary, then they are registered on to the city wide scheme Following registration they can access free condoms from a number of outlets across Haringey (community pharmacies, children centres, the council's children and young people's services, voluntary organisations, Haringey 6<sup>th</sup> form centre, COHENEL and health services for young parents) and other participating outlets across London.

#### Community pharmacists

There are currently 20 community pharmacies across Haringey offering young people free of charge;

- Emergency hormonal contraception
- The London wide C card scheme
- Chlamydia screening postal kits and treatment when necessary

The scheme is being expanded and we aim to have 25 pharmacies taking part by the end of March 2014.

## 4. Funding

Funding for the contraception and sexual health service and genito-urinary medicine service provided by Whittington Health NHS Trust and the community pharmacist local enhanced service was transferred to the Public Health in April 2013 as part of the public health grant.

Public Health is currently negotiating the 2014/15 contract with Whittington Health NHS Trust. Public Health is interested in extending the scope of the current agreement with community pharmacists as part of establishing the national Healthy Living Pharmacy programme in Haringey. Public Health is currently working with the Local Pharmaceutical Committee, community pharmacists and Haringey Clinical Commissioning Group medicine management team on implementing the national programme.