

CEREDIGION COUNTY COUNCIL

Report to: Cabinet

Date of meeting: 6 December 2022

Title: Re-design of Day Services (Older Adults, Learning Disabilities / Autism and Respite provision (Through Age)

Purpose of the report: To approve the consultation process for the re-design of Day Services and Respite Provision across Ceredigion

For: Decision

Cabinet Portfolio and Cabinet Member: Councillor Alun Williams, Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Through Age and Wellbeing

As part of the Through Age and Wellbeing Model Strategy and in conjunction with several National and Regional Strategies it is timely for us as a local authority to consult on the re-design and modernisation of our day service and respite provision throughout the County.

The consultation will focus on the following key areas;

- Day Service opportunities for Older Adults including those living with a diagnosis of dementia
- Day Service opportunities for Individuals living with a learning disability, autism, and profound and multiple learning disabilities (PMLD)
- Transition pathways on a through age basis for those living with a learning disability / autism.
- Respite provision (day and residential) on a through age basis.

It is proposed to commence the consultation on the 9th of January, 2022 for a 12-week period closing on the 31st of March 2022.

The services of an independent consultancy company are in the process of being procured to undertake the consultation. This element is being funded through Regional Integrated Funding (RIF).

This work sits under Carer's, Community & Ageing Well Steering Group - TAW Programme 3.

Has an Integrated Impact Assessment been completed? If, not, please state why The IIA is currently being developed and will be available in time for the initiation of the consultation.

Summary: The Wellbeing of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015 requires public bodies across Wales, named in the Act, to work towards achieving seven well-being goals, including;

- A Wales of cohesive Communities - Attractive, safe, viable and well-connected
- A more Equal Wales – A society that enables people to fulfil their potential no matter what their background or circumstances (including their socio-economic circumstances)
- A Wales of Vibrant Culture and Thriving Welsh Language - A society that promotes and protects culture, heritage, and the Welsh language, and which encourages people to participate in the arts, and sports and recreation
- A healthier Wales - “A society in which people’s physical and mental well-being is maximised and in which choices and behaviours that benefit future health are understood”

Wellbeing of Future Generations:

Long term: The Local Authorities Through Age and Wellbeing Strategy sets out the vision for the next 10 years. Alongside this there are several National and Regional strategies that provide short and long-term targets and measures that will need to be considered as part of the consultation.

Integration: The Social Services and Wellbeing (Wales) Act 2014 places new requirements on all organisations that commission and provide care. The West Wales Care Partnership is working together to respond to those requirements, improving services and joining them up as far as possible so they deliver the best outcomes for our citizens.

Collaboration: Collaboration between partners and stakeholders will be at the heart of the consultation and the implementation plan. The main collaboration will be between public sector colleagues including the Hywel Dda University Health Board, Third Sector organisations and officers from across the authority.

Involvement: Stakeholders and partners will be involved throughout the planning and consultation period.

Prevention: The consultation will include prevention opportunity through exploring wider respite opportunities to support un-paid carers.

Recommendation(s):	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To approve the proposal to commence a consultation on the following areas; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Day Service opportunities for Older Adults including those living with a diagnosis of dementia • Day Service opportunities for Individuals living with a learning disability, autism, and profound and multiple learning disabilities (PMLD) • Transition pathways on a through age basis for those living with a learning disability / autism. • Respite provision (day and residential) on a through age basis. 2. To present the findings of the consultation and the proposed implementation plan to the Healthier Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee prior to returning to Cabinet.
Reasons for decision:	To enable the Authority to progress with the re-design of day service and respite provision in line with the Through Age and Wellbeing Strategy.
Overview and Scrutiny:	As per above recommendation.
Policy Framework:	The Social Services and Wellbeing (Wales) Act 2014 A healthier Wales: long term plan for health and social care Age friendly Wales: our strategy for an ageing society West Wales Learning Disability Charter Autism Code of Practice ALN Code for Wales 2021 Strategy for an ageing society: delivery plan Learning Disability Action Plan (2022 – 2026) Improving health and social care (COVID-19 looking forward)
Corporate Priorities:	Investing in People’s Future
Financial Implications:	Regional Integration Fund
Statutory Powers:	The Social Services and Wellbeing (Wales) Act 2014
Background Papers:	n/a
Appendices:	n/a
Corporate Lead Officer:	Donna Pritchard, Corporate Lead Officer – Porth Gofal
Reporting Officer:	Nerys Lewis, Corporate Manager – Direct Services
Date:	9 November 2022