

ORTH YORKSHIRE COUNCIL
Care and Independence Overview and Scrutiny Committee
Work Programme 2025/26

Remit: To scrutinise the needs of vulnerable adults and older people and people whose independence needs to be supported by intervention from the public or voluntary sector.

Mid Cycle Briefings are attended by the Chair, Vice Chair and Group Spokespersons only.

NB: The work programme is under continuous review and items may be rescheduled several times during the year.

Mid Cycle Briefing – Friday 20 May 2025 at 10am

Committee Meeting – Friday 18 July 2025 at 12:30pm

Subject	Description
State of the Nation Annual Update	To include information on key performance indicators and improvement priorities to help identify areas for the committee’s focus over the 2025/26 municipal year – Richard Webb - Director of Health & Adult Services & Michael Harrison - Executive Member for Health & Adult Services
Adult Social Care Market Transformation	Update on Care Market development, commissioning and labour market etc – Abi Barron, Jo Waldmeyer and Jo Holland
Waiting Well	Overview of Action Plan and Implementation – Karen Gullon & Kate Allanson (and David David)
Work Programme	Future work planning for the 2025-26 municipal year

Mid Cycle Briefing - Monday 15 September 2025 at 2pm

Committee Meeting - Monday 20 October 2025 at 10am

Subject	Description
Living Well Review	Update on outcomes and future plans, ahead of Autumn relaunch – Abi Barron, AD Prevention & Service Development
Complex Care	Update on the delivery of the ‘Team around the person’ model – Elaine Hewitt
Work Programme	Future work planning for the remainder of the 2025-26 municipal year

Mid Cycle Briefing – Monday 8 December 2024 at 2pm

Committee Meeting – Monday 19 January 2026 at 10am

Subject	Description
North Yorkshire Safeguarding Adults Board	NYSAB Annual Report presented by Adrian Green (Independent Chair)
Public Health Annual Report 2024	Louise Wallace, Director of Public Health
HAS Local Account 2023-24	Richard Webb, Director for HAS & Louise Wallace, Director of Public Health
Bi-annual Performance Update	Richard Webb, David David & Leo Beacroft
Work Programme	Future work planning for the remainder of the 2025-26 municipal year

Mid Cycle Briefing – Monday 2 March 2026 at 2pm

Committee Meeting - Monday 20 April 2026 at 10am

Subject	Description
Attendance of the Older People's Champion	2025-26 Annual Report from the Older People's Champion – Cllr Caroline Dickinson
Work Programme	Draft Work Programme for 2026-27 municipal year.

Possible Future Items:

- Hospital Discharges – what is being done to reduce pathway 2 numbers and get pathway 2 patients' home quicker and permanently.
- Budget/issues associated with high-cost complex care, prep for adulthood etc. – AH/AB/KS
- Extra Care (as part of new procurement and looking at current programme and how dementia village is now part of this),
- Care Provider Services - quality/performance and developments – MR/KA/RB/AA
- Care market incl. migration – AB/RB
- Dementia Diagnosis levels lower than national average – NS/LW/KS/AB/RB/MR/AA
- Smoking Bill and plans – LW/NS
- Royal Commission – RW