

NORTH YORKSHIRE COUNCIL
Care and Independence Overview and Scrutiny Committee
Draft Work Programme 2026/27

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 – Monday 8 June 2026 2026 at 2pm

Committee Meeting – Wednesday 22 July 2026 at 10am

Subject	Description
State of the Nation Annual Update	To include information on key performance indicators and ASC improvement priorities to help identify areas for the committee's focus over the 2026/27 municipal year – Abi Barron, Director of Health & Adult Services & Cllr Michael Harrison - Executive Member for Health & Adult Services
Care Market Update	Update on Care Market, commissioning and labour market etc – Abi Barron, Jo Waldmeyer and Jo Holland
Preparation for Adulthood	Introduction to transformational plan around this cross-cutting agenda – Karen Gullon, AD Adult Social Care and Jo Heaney, AD Children's Partnerships & Sufficiency
Substance Use	Update on Substance Use - Louise Wallace, Director for Public Health with Natalie Smith (Head of Service, HAS Planning) and Angela Hall (Public Health Manager)
Work Programme	Work planning for the 2026-27 municipal year

Mid Cycle Briefing - Monday 14 September 2026 at 2pm

Committee Meeting - Monday 19 October 2026 at 10am

Subject	Description
Hospital Discharges	Detailed overview on hospital discharges - Josh Lumb, Head of Intermediate Care

Work Programme	Future work planning for the remainder of the 2026-27 municipal year
Mid Cycle Briefing – Monday 7 December 2026 at 2pm	
Committee Meeting – Monday 18 January 2027 at 10am	
Subject	Description
Public Health Annual Report 2025	Louise Wallace, Director of Public Health
HAS Local Account 2025-26	Richard Webb, Director for HAS & Louise Wallace, Director of Public Health
Bi-annual Performance Update	Director for HAS, David David & Leo Beacroft
Work Programme	Future work planning for the remainder of the 2026-27 municipal year
Mid Cycle Briefing – Monday 1 March 2027 at 2pm	
Committee Meeting - Monday 26 April 2027 at 10am	
Subject	Description
North Yorkshire Safeguarding Adults Board	NYSAB Annual Report presented by Adrian Green (Independent Chair)
Attendance of the Older People's Champion	2026-27 Annual Report from the Older People's Champion – Cllr Caroline Dickinson
Hospital Discharges Update	Josh Lumb, Head of Intermediate Care
Draft Work Programme	For coming 2027-28 municipal year.

Possible Future Items:

- Feedback on the 'Get Britain Working' Trailblazer
- Feedback on the Council's 'Home Care' trial
- Update on the expansion of the Council's Stop Smoking Services
- Dementia Diagnosis levels lower than national average – NS/LW/KS/AB/RB/MR/AA
- Royal Commission – RW