

Health Urgency City of Westminster Policy & Scrutiny **Committee**

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Title: IMPERIAL COLLEGE HEALTHCARE NHS TRUST:

RECONFIGURATION OF STROKE SERVICES

Policy & Scrutiny Manager Report of:

Cabinet Member Portfolio n/a

Wards Involved: ΑII

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1. **Executive Summary**

1.1 Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust has contacted the Council in respect of a temporary reconfiguration of stroke services at St Mary's Hospital. The Hyper-Acute Stroke Service (HASU) is currently based at Charing Cross Hospital but, as part of 'Shaping a Healthier Future' (the wider NHS reconfiguration across North West London), it is due to move to St Mary's Hospital in the next few years (as it needs to be located next to Major Trauma for clinical reasons). However, Imperial are proposing that Westminster's regular stroke services (i.e. inpatient beds) are moved from St Mary's to be colocated with the HASU at Charing Cross whilst the redevelopment of St Mary's is underway. It is a proposed transfer out from St Mary's but just in the shortto medium-term. The longer-term plan is for all stroke services to be colocated on a re-developed St Mary's site.

2. **Key Matters for the Committee's Consideration**

The Committee is being consulted for its views under the Health and Social Care Act 2012.

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BACKGROUND PAPERS

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APPENDICES

Appendix A: Proposed co-location of stroke services

Appendix B: Proposal for co-location of stroke services – Board Paper