

Health and Social Care Committee

Meeting Venue: **Committee Room 1 – Senedd**

Meeting date: **Thursday, 22 March 2012**

Meeting time: **09:30 – 13:00**

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Concise Minutes:

Assembly Members:

Mark Drakeford (Chair)
Mick Antoniw
Rebecca Evans
Vaughan Gething
William Graham
Elin Jones
Darren Millar
Lynne Neagle
Lindsay Whittle
Kirsty Williams

Witnesses:

Prof. John Bolton, Institute of Public Care, Oxford Brookes University
Luisa Bridgman, Rhondda Cynon Tâf County Borough Council
Parry Davies, Ceredigion County Council
Bob Gatis, Rhondda Cynon Tâf County Borough Council
Susie Lunt, Flintshire County Council
David Street, ADSS Cymru
Emily Warren, Welsh Local Government Association

Committee Staff:

Meriel Singleton (Clerk)
Catherine Hunt (Deputy Clerk)
Stephen Boyce (Researcher)

1. Introductions, apologies and substitutions

1.1 There were no apologies or substitutions.

2. Inquiry into Residential Care for Older People – Discussion with Prof. John Bolton

2.1 Professor Bolton responded to questions from members of the Committee on residential care for older people in Wales.

3. Inquiry into Residential Care for Older People – Evidence from the Welsh Local Government Association and the Association of Directors of Social Services Wales

3.1 The witnesses responded to questions from members of the Committee on residential care for older people.

3.2 Emily Warren agreed to provide a copy of the implementation plan for local authorities working in partnership with the NHS and information on local authorities' progress in developing reablement services.

4. Inquiry into Residential Care for Older People – Evidence from Local Authorities

4.1 The witnesses responded to questions from members of the Committee on residential care for older people.

4.2 The witnesses agreed to provide information on the number of instances per year of people who had previously funded their own residential care but then required the local authority to fund their care once their own funds had been exhausted.

5. One-day inquiry into still births in Wales – Consideration of terms of reference

5.1 The Committee agreed the terms of reference for its one-day inquiry into still births in Wales.

6. Papers to note

6.1 The Committee noted the minutes of the meetings held on 8 March.

Follow up information from 25 January meeting – EU matters – Residential care for the elderly in EU member states

6.2 The Committee noted the paper on residential care for the elderly in EU member states.

Transcript

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