

Report to: Overview and Scrutiny Committee

**Subject:** Everyone Health Weight Management Service

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## 1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

To introduce Aaron Bohannon, Service Manager Everyone Health and John Wilcox, Senior Public Health & Commissioning Manager, Public Health, Nottinghamshire County Council who are attending the Committee to assist Members understand the work of the Public Health commissioned Obesity Prevention and Weigh Management Service.

## 2. BACKGROUND

In 2016 the Overview and Scrutiny Committee undertook a review which focused on the issue of obesity in Gedling. It made a number of recommendations and has subsequently been monitoring the progress of the implementation of them.

Updates to these recommendations have been provided by the Portfolio Holder for Health and Wellbeing and the Service Manager for Community Relations.

Members of the Committee are concerned that obesity is still a problem that needs addressing and have asked for additional information about the effectiveness of the service commissioned by Public Health Nottinghamshire to provide weight management services. They are specifically concerned about how successful the service in reaching those people who need support and how outcomes are measured. Representatives have been invited to discuss what is on offer for residents in terms of healthy lifestyle promotions and how effective the service is. As the contract is in its 4<sup>th</sup> year Members would also like information about any plans for the continuation of this service.

## 3. RECOMMENDATION

The Overview and Scrutiny Committee is recommended to:

 Ask questions, consider and comment on the information provided and schedule further examination of the issue if required.