

CARE, HEALTH & WELLBEING OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE 6 December 2016

TITLE OF REPORT: Proposal to Close Greenside Branch Surgery

REPORT OF: Partners of Crawcrook Medical Centre

Summary

The attached document provides the OSC with information regarding an application by the partners of Crawcrook Medical Centre, Pattinson Drive, Crawcrook to close the branch surgery at the Greenside Community Centre, Gateshead and details of the engagement process carried out so far with patients and stakeholders. The views of the OSC are sought on the information provided.

Proposal

- 1. The Partners of Crawcrook Medical Centre have made an application to close the branch surgery at Greenside Community Centre, Gateshead, in order to safeguard patient safety and the viability and sustainability of the practice in the long term.
- 2. Details of the proposals and the engagement process with patients and stakeholders are set out in Appendix 1 to the report.
- 3. Representatives from Crawcrook Medical Practice will attend the OSC meeting to outline their proposals. A representative from NHS England and the Director of Transformation at NewcastleGateshead CCG will also be in attendance.

Recommendations

- 3. The Committee is asked to:
 - a) Give its views on the information provided.

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