

Health Scrutiny Sub-Committee

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Department of Health – Choosing Health Summaries



Report of Head of Overview and Scrutiny

Purpose of Report

1. To provide information about some short briefing notes produced from the Department of Health as part of the 'Choosing Health' White Paper.

Background

2. Basic information for the Health Scrutiny Sub-Committee is very helpful for the analysis of issues and seeking improvement.
3. A number of summary documents are attached to this report to provide background knowledge for members of the Sub-Committee. The areas covered are:
 - Physical activity
 - Diet and nutrition
 - Obesity
 - Inequalities.

Recommendation

8. You are recommended to note these summaries which will be of assistance in further Scrutiny work.

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