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**Health in Hackney Scrutiny Commission** 

Item No

26 April 2023

Update on new Integrated Mental Health Network

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## **PURPOSE OF ITEM**

To receive an update on the implementation of the new Integrated Mental Health Network from the commissioner and the lead provider.

## **OUTLINE**

At our meeting on 21 Sept '22 we discussed the specification for the new *Integrated Mental Health Network* service to replace the old 'Wellbeing Network'. We heard from the commissioners in Public Health and from CHWF Mind who were the previous providers. The Council was about to go to tender and Public Health officers explained the context for this service and how it will align with the mental health services delivered by ELFT and the IAPT service delivered by Homerton Healthcare.

The IMHN service provides mental health support and recovery services to City and Hackney adult residents with complex mental health needs. The service is delivered by a number of specialist providers managed by CHWF Mind which secured the contract as the lead provider.

The Commission has had a number of items on this in the past both as part of a review we did on *'Preventing depression and anxiety in working age adults'* in 2015 and in the evolution and development of the previous Network.

Attached please find an update report.

Attending for this item will be:

Jennifer Millmore, Senior Public Health Specialist, LBH Andrew Trathen, Consultant in Public Health, LBH Vanessa Morris, CEO, Mind in the City, Hackney and Waltham Forest

## **ACTION**

Members are requested to give consideration to the presentation.