

POLICY COMMISSION ENQUIRY SCOPING DOCUMENT

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RESPONSIBLE BODY	
Policy Commission for Care Trust Delivery and Health Scrutiny	
ENQUIRY NAME	REFERENCE NUMBER
Options for Housing Services	H4/05
PROPOSED OUTPUTS	RISK
1. Options for the future location of functions currently carried out by Housing Services	High Medium Low
PROPOSED DATE OF INITIATION	PROPOSED DATE OF COMPLETION
27 th July 2005	
REASON FOR ENQUIRY	
1. The need to plan the future of the Housing Service, particularly in light of the integration of Health, Social Care and Housing agenda.	
PROPOSED OUTCOME OF POLICY IMPLEMENTATION	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide the most efficient use of Council resources 2. Ensuring that the Housing Service operates in the most effective way. 	
TERMS OF REFERENCE	
<p>To receive evidence, advice and information from some or all of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ IWC Associate Director, Adult and Community Services ➤ IWC Head of Adults and Housing Services ➤ IWC Housing Officers ➤ Health Integration Project Director ➤ Isle of Wight Primary Care Trust (IWC PCT) Deputy Director of Commissioning ➤ Registered social landlords (RSLs) ➤ Service Users ➤ Staff / Unions ➤ Other Local Authorities. <p>About:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ All services currently carried out by the Housing Service ➤ Options for the Council's Housing service: 	

- Keeping the service as it is
- Changing some services, but keeping them within the Council
- Moving some, or all services to another organisation
- The most effective way to re-structure Housing services

What will not be included

- Other health and social care integration issues
- Individual staff issues

KEY STAKEHOLDERS

- Service Users
- RSLs
- Staff

RELEVANT CORPORATE AND/OR COMMUNITY STRATEGY/IES

Corporate Priorities fit:

- Economic development and regeneration
- Healthier communities and older people
- Safer communities
- Children and young people

Community strategy:

Theme 1: Guaranteeing the Quality of Life and Sustainability
Theme 3: Promoting Equality

RELATED PROJECTS

This Commission: Health and Social Care Integration
Scrutiny Committee: Supporting People

LEAD MEMBER

Cllr Erica Oulton

OFFICER INVOLVEMENT

Lead Link Officer:

Margaret Howard – Interim Head of Adults and Housing Services

Overview and Scrutiny Team:

Louise Biggs – Project Lead
Andrew Shorkey – Project Support

OTHER RESOURCES REQUIRED

Specialist Officer time
Expert witness

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