

# Health Overview Scrutiny Panel 24.6.2022

## Adult Social Services



# Adult Social Services Aim

Ensuring equity of opportunity for services, consistent assessment and approach to meeting eligible needs, through identifying areas of strength to enable people to meet their identified outcomes. Through commissioning services that are well lead, safe, personalised and good value. People receive the right services at the right time in the right place.

## Priorities

- Reduce inequalities through access to information and services that promote independence and builds on strengths
- Increase the knowledge and availability of TEC which supports people to be independent
- Supporting people into settled accommodation
- Work collaboratively with Locality Partnerships to grow integrated services, preventing duplication and encouraging innovation, resulting in positive interactions for people experiencing services
- Assure the Directorate is prepared for the implementation of CQC assurance and Care Reform
- Undertake a Cost of Care exercise to ensure there is a sustainable market and a Fair Cost of Care in North Somerset
- Safeguarding adults being everyone's business



# Measures and commitments to achieve success

- Redesigning hospital discharge pathways as a system
- Eligibility and Resource Forum ensuring a consistent approach across the Directorate
- Centralised Safeguarding Team
- Appointment of CQC Assurance Programme Lead and Care Cap Programme Lead
- Leading the way with TEC strategy, dedicated service, acoustic monitoring
- Joint chair of the One Weston Senior Leadership Team, constructive solution focused relationships
- Reablement Therapy and Care team supporting independence
- Practice audits operations
- Quality standards visits providers
- Engagement with South West ADASS and LGA identifying best practice

