

Decisions taken by Individual Portfolio Holders

County Councillor S.M. Hayes
Portfolio Holder for Social Care

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Review of Fees for Residential/Nursing Care Homes

DECISION	Reason for Decision
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• That an inflationary increase of 1.255% for 2015/16 is implemented for care homes that have not completed the open book process during this financial year.• That the Portfolio Holder for Adult Social Care agrees that no inflationary uplift is approved retrospectively for 2014/15 in light of all providers having had an option to use the open book approach.• It is noted that measures are in place in liaison with the Care Home Provider Forum to consider 2016/17 projected costs, and a further fees report will be presented in March 2016 in relation to 2016/17 fee levels.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• To establish the final fees for 2015/16.• To deal with exceptional circumstances where use of the agreed contract rates may operate against the interests of individual citizens or the Council.• To advise the Portfolio Holder of measures underway to review 2016/17 Care Home fee levels.