

Decisions taken by Individual Portfolio Holders

County Councillor Stephen Hayes
Portfolio Holder for Adult Social Care

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Powys Independent Advocacy
Social Service & Wellbeing Act (Wales) (2014)

DECISION	Reason for Decision:
<p data-bbox="229 723 820 882">1. The Portfolio Holder is asked to approve the approach outlined in the report and the preferred option, namely, the procurement of :</p> <p data-bbox="229 958 828 1240">Option 2: Single Gateway to Statutory SSWB Advocacy & Wider Non-Statutory Advocacy with a view to moving toward Option 3: Single Gateway to Statutory SSWB, MCA, MHA, CHC Advocacy & Wider Non-Statutory Advocacy in the future.</p> <p data-bbox="229 1296 820 1621">2. That from April 2019 grants for Older People's services over £20k will be top sliced by 20% to invest in the triage / gateway to advocacy and the contract for PIAS will be funded from a number of contracts that are due to cease in March 2019 and July 2019.</p>	<p data-bbox="855 723 1294 757">This proposal would ensure:</p> <ul data-bbox="903 801 1414 1809" style="list-style-type: none">○ SSWB (Wales) Act duty is met○ Best strategic alignment○ Single gateway to the provision of a SSWB Advocacy & Wider Non-Statutory Advocacy○ Improved leadership that supports co-produced & asset based advocacy approach across Powys○ More efficient & effective commissioning○ Robust data recording, collection, collation & utilisation○ Targeted promotion & awareness including an Active Advocacy Offer○ Improved advocacy service & workforce governance○ Improved efficiency & sustainability○ Promoting local best practices and incremental approaches to service changes