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QUESTIONS AT ANY TIME TO CABINET PORTFOLIO HOLDERS

Response by the Portfolio Holder:

Thank you for your question in relation to the Healthy Start Voucher Programme in Powys. Like you, I am keen to ensure that the Powys residents who need this support are fully aware and able to access the support in a timely way. As you will be aware, this is a scheme which is run and administered by the NHS. We have raised the concerns with PTHB direct. We will work with the local health board to raise awareness of the scheme to improve the take up of the Healthy Start vouchers. We have sought a response to your question from PTHB and will share further details with you when available. It is difficult for the Council to publish a plan with measurable outcomes when the NHS are the lead agency but we are committed to working with Partners to improve up take.