APPENDIX D

Update notes re The Cambridgeshire Health and Wellbeing Board from Cllr Sue Ellington

The board met on 10 July 2014 and considered the following:

The Better Care Fund

The creation of this fund by the Government in April 2013, which should have been implemented in April 2014, was delayed as new criteria were introduced. The deadline for submitting new proposals was moved to September 2014 and new governance arrangements were agreed by the Board. I expressed concerns regarding the creation of a committee system involving 25 senior officers but the committee felt this would demonstrate inclusivity.

Safeguarding Adults Annual Report 2013-2014

Members were informed of increased training and the production of training materials

Young Carers

There are two new pieces of legislation which will require Cambridgeshire to develop new ways of working. They place a duty of care on the local authority to integrate services. Young carers have raised issues around the lack of support and understanding in schools creating difficult transition from child to adult.

Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment

This looks at numbers of pharmacies and proposes criteria for the introduction of new outlets.

Strategic Needs assessments for "Carers", " older People - primary prevention, and mental health"

These documents are available as reference documents on line.