

Shropshire Council
Legal and Democratic Services
Guildhall,
Frankwell Quay,
Shrewsbury
SY3 8HQ

Date: 18 September 2026

Committee:
Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Date: Monday, 28 September 2026
Time: 2.00 pm
Venue: Council Chamber, The Guildhall, Frankwell Quay, Shrewsbury, SY3 8HQ

You are requested to attend the above meeting. The Agenda is attached

There will be some access to the meeting room for members of the press and public, but this may be limited. If you wish to attend the meeting please email democracy@shropshire.gov.uk to check that a seat will be available for you.

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Richard Phillips
Service Director – Legal and Governance (Monitoring Officer)

Members of Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee
Shropshire

Councillor Bernie Bentick (Co-Chair)
Councillor Dawn Husemann
Councillor Colin Stanford
Lynn Cawley (co-optee)
Anne Mitchell (co-optee)
David Sandbach (co-optee)

Telford & Wrekin

Councillor Fiona Doran (Co-Chair)
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AGENDA

1 Apologies for Absence

2 Disclosable Interests

3 Minutes of Last Meeting (Pages 1 - 4)

To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 18 May 2026, attached

4 Urgent and Emergency Care Performance (Pages 5 - 24)

To seek assurance on current urgent and emergency care performance; improvement activity; whole-system flow; delivery timescales; and the role of wider services in supporting emergency care performance. A presentation is attached.

The following will attend the meeting to provide information and answer questions:

Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital NHS Trust (SaTH):

Joanne Williams, Group Chief Executive Officer

Ned Hobbs, Chief Operating Officer

NHS Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin:

Dr Salma Reehana, Chief Medical Officer

Gemma Smith, Director of Strategic Commissioning

Becky Scullion, Director of Nursing/Deputy Chief Nursing Officer

Gareth Wright, Director of System Improvement, Co-ordination and Emergency Preparedness, Resilience and Response

West Midlands Ambulance Service:

Vivek Khashu, Strategy & Engagement Director

Health Hero:

Michelle Reader, Chief Operating Officer

Sue Lavelle, Medical Director

5 Co-Chairs Update

To receive a verbal update.

6 Date of Next Meeting

To be arranged.