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**To: Health and Social Care Scrutiny Board (5)**

**Date: 26<sup>th</sup> February 2025**

**Subject: Primary Care**

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## **1 Purpose of the Note**

- 1.1 To provide the Health and Social Care Scrutiny Board (5) with an overview of the Primary Care Strategy, including an overview of general practice in Coventry and Warwickshire, an introduction to the Primary Care Strategy and an overview of the Primary Care Access Recovery Plan

## **2 Recommendations**

- 2.1 The Health and Social Care Scrutiny Board (5) is recommended to:
- 1) Consider the information provided in Appendix 1
  - 2) Identify any further recommendations to health partners and the Cabinet Member

## **3 Information and Background**

- 3.1 The Board requested an item on the Primary Care Strategy including access to GP's as well as information in relation to reducing pressure on A&E
- 3.2 Appendix 1 provides information which covers the following:
- Local Context
  - General Practice Explained
  - What is a Primary Care Network?
  - Primary Care Strategy
  - Primary Care Access & Recovery Plan – February 2025
  - Headline finding – 2024 GP Patient Survey

Appendix 1: Coventry and Warwickshire General Practice Explained