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Jack Sargeant MS
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Petitions Committee

26 November 2021

Dear Jack

Petition P-05-1045 To make shared-decision making and monthly mental health care-plan reviews a legal requirement

Thank you for your letter dated 22 September regarding the above petition, in which you asked the Health and Social Care Committee to consider undertaking work on mental health support during the Sixth Senedd.

As a member of the Health and Social Care Committee, you will be aware that:

- Mental health, including access to support services, was one of the priority areas emerging from our <u>consultation</u> on the Committee's <u>priorities</u> for this Senedd.
- In our strategy for the Sixth Senedd, we have identified mental health as a priority for the first year. The Committee will be considering the potential scope and approach of an initial inquiry into mental health at our meeting on 2 December.



We look forward to working collaboratively with the Petitions Committee on cross-cutting issues which fall within our remit during this Senedd.

Your sincerely

Russell George MS

Chair, Health and Social Care Committee

Croesewir gohebiaeth yn Gymraeg neu Saesneg. We welcome correspondence in Welsh or English.