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Dr Dai Lloyd AM Chair Health, Social Care and Sport Committee National Assembly for Wales

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Dear Dai

I am delighted to let you know that today the Minister for Social Services and Public Health and I have published for consultation *Services Fit for the Future*, a White Paper which contains a number of proposals relating to quality and governance in health and care in Wales. The consultation will run until 29 September 2017.

https://consultations.gov.wales/consultations/services-fit-future

It is our hope that the direction of travel set out in the White Paper will act as a platform for the findings of the Parliamentary Review, which are eagerly awaited by us all.

The White Paper builds on a previous Green Paper consultation, as well as recommendations made by the Organisation for Economic Development and Co-operation (OECD) and others on actions we could consider taking in order to further enable and empower organisations, staff and citizens in the provision of sustainable, person-centred care. It provides a rare opportunity to influence potential future legislation and I am sure your Committee will view it with interest.

If there is any information I or my officials can provide to the Committee then please do not hesitate to let me know. I am also happy to meet with you to discuss how we engage and brief the Committee on the White Paper.

Yours sincerely,

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