

## **Officer Decisions**

## Joint Associate Director of Commissioning - Tim Golby

Summary of Matter or Issue Requiring Decision

Increase in unit price paid to targeted Supported Living Providers (subject to client reviews and shared agreements).

**Decision Taken** 

Adult Commissioning and Health will mitigate risk of market failure by paying a minimum £14.06 hourly rate (as an aggregated indicator across all a provider's Supported Living buildings in Devon) from April 2018 to targeted providers.

The increases will be restricted to specific (shared hour) service arrangements in named organisations where DCC analysis has established that prices are below the indicator.

Summary of Reason(s) for Decision Taken

Summary of Alternatives or Options considered and rejected

No increase in unit rate to targeted providers was rejected on market sufficiency grounds. The rate of £14.06 has chosen as a benchmark rate modelled on typical rates we would expect to pay (lower and higher rates were considered)

Details of any conflict of interest and dispensation granted to the Officer taking the decision or by any Member of the Council in delegating responsibility for any specific express delegation

None

Contact for enquiries/further information

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**Decision Date** 

23 July 2018

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