

Report to: Bolton Health Overview and Scrutiny

Committee

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Report of: Bolton PCT

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Report Title: Preparedness for Pandemic Flu in Bolton

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**Purpose:** To outline to members the state of preparations for a future flu pandemic.

Summary: This report outlines:

1. What a flu pandemic is.

2. How a flu pandemic would affect Bolton.

3. A range of action that have already been taken in preparation.