



Subject:	Marie Curie Northern Ireland – Request to Present to Committee
Date:	6th February 2018
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Restricted Reports	
Is this report restricted?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, when will the report become unrestricted?	
After Committee Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
After Council Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
Some time in the future	<input type="checkbox"/>
Never	<input type="checkbox"/>

Call-in	
Is the decision eligible for Call-in?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

1.0	Purpose of Report or Summary of main Issues
1.1	To consider a request from Marie Curie NI to attend a meeting of the Committee to present on its case for a whole society approach to end of life care.
2.0	Recommendations
2.1	The Committee is requested; <ul style="list-style-type: none">To consider whether it would wish to invite Marie Curie NI to present at a future meeting.

3.0	Main report
3.1	<u>Key Issues</u>
	Marie Curie NI is calling for the Council to support the development of whole society initiatives to provide support to local people affected by terminal illness.
3.2	It is proposed that the presentation will provide the Committee with detail in respect of Marie Curie's case for a whole society approach to end of life care. Marie Curie NI believe that there is a need to recognise the limits to clinical care and service provision and to consider the benefits of a whole society approach to end of life care, one that provides non-clinical support in a community setting and treats care as a civic responsibility, shared by everyone.
3.3	A whole society approach to end of life care involves partnership working between all the major sectors in the community, including local government, the business community, education, arts and cultural institutions and the housing sector all supporting those affected by terminal illness and their loved ones.
3.4	The presentation will allow the Members to consider the range of measures that Marie Curie NI have already taken in respect of its campaign and will provide the opportunity to raise any issues within the presentation directly with the representatives attending the Committee.
3.5	<u>Financial & Resource Implications</u> None
3.6	<u>Equality or Good Relations Implications</u> None
4.0	Appendices – Documents Attached
	None