

# WORCESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

## RECORD OF OFFICER EXECUTIVE DECISION

<b>Date Of Decision</b>	23 March 2015
<b>Decision Maker</b>	Dr Richard Harling Director of Adult Services and Health
<b>Brief Description Of Decision</b>	<p>Cabinet on 5 February 2015 received a report on the implementation of the Care Act and authorised the Director of Adult Services and Health to update any policies necessary to ensure compliance with the Care Act.</p> <p>This decision is to approve the Charging Policy for Care and Support and the Deprivation of Assets Policy</p>
<b>Reason(s) For Decision</b>	<p>The Care Act gives local authorities the power to charge for services for care and support and replaces existing provisions.</p> <p>Cabinet on 5 February 2015 confirmed that the Council will continue to charge for care and support for service users in line with its powers under the Care Act and existing policy, and the Director of Adult Services and Health was authorised to finalise and update the relevant policies and procedures accordingly.</p>
<b>Alternative Options Considered And Rejected</b>	<p>Cabinet confirmed the decision to charge and the finalisation and updating of the relevant policies was agreed by Cabinet.</p> <p>.</p>
<b>Any Conflict of Interest declared by a consulted Cabinet Member/ any dispensation granted</b>	Not Applicable