

# WORCESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

## RECORD OF OFFICER EXECUTIVE DECISION

<b>Date Of Decision</b>	22 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, with regard to prevention, to consolidate existing policies and practice into an appropriate single policy and action plan.</p> <p>This decision is to approve the Prevention Policy incorporating Information and Advice Policy.</p>
<b>Reason(s) For Decision</b>	The Care Act and Health and Social Care Act set out the Local Authority's duties regarding prevention and information and advice services for adults. There is no single definition of these services and the Local Authority has set out in this policy its approach and scope, so as to provide assurance with the Acts and clarify the strategic framework.
<b>Alternative Options Considered And Rejected</b>	The policy provides assurance against Care Act legislation and alternative options were not considered.
<b>Any Conflict of Interest declared by a consulted Cabinet Member/ any dispensation granted</b>	Not Applicable