



Northern Ireland
Assembly

Committee for Health

Minutes of Proceedings

23 October 2025

Meeting Location: Room 29, Parliament Buildings.

Present:

Philip McGuigan MLA (Chairperson)

Danny Donnelly MLA (Deputy Chairperson)

Alan Chambers MLA

Linda Dillon MLA

Diane Dodds MLA

Órlaithí Flynn MLA

Nuala McAllister MLA

Alan Robinson MLA.

Apologies:

Colin McGrath MLA

In Attendance: Keith McBride, Clerk
Shannen Lofthouse, Assistant Clerk
Angela McParland, Assistant Clerk
Jonathan Lamont, Clerical Supervisor
Noel Gallagher, Clerical Officer

The meeting commenced at 2.01pm in public session.

The Committee moved into closed session at 5.12pm

**1. Closed session- Committee Inquiry: Access to Palliative Care Services-
Consideration of Report.**

The Clerk gave Members an overview of the Committee's draft Report and recommendations. There was discussion in relation to the timeline and the launch of the Report.

[Extract]