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**DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**

**DERBYSHIRE HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD**

**05 October 2023**

**Report of the Director of Public Health**

**Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Board Strategy**

## **1. Purpose**

- 1.1 The Health and Wellbeing Board is asked to:
- a) Note the update on the proposed priorities /areas of focus of the new Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategy
  - b) Agree to engage in the process of supporting the development of the strategy, along with representatives from the local health and wellbeing partnerships.
  - c) Agree the priorities / areas of focus as outlined in 2.4.

## **2. Information and Analysis**

- 2.1 Following the implementation of the Health and Social Care Act 2022 on 1 July 2022, section 116A of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007, renames the 'Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy' to the 'Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategy (JLHWS)'. In preparing a Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategy, the Board must have regard to the Integrated Care Strategy, which is currently in development pending finalisation in early summer. The Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategy sets out agreed priorities and joint action for partners to address the health and wellbeing needs of the local population as identified by the Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA). The JSNA has now been published on the Derbyshire Observatory [Derbyshire Observatory – JSNA](#). Throughout 2023 the Board will be refreshing the strategy.

- 2.2 An analysis of the data and indicators contained within the JSNA will be utilised to identify a range of needs from which priorities will be agreed. Two development sessions have taken place. These sessions, in June and July, focussed on evidence such as the Integrated Care Strategy and the JSNA.
- 2.3 18 board members attended the first two development sessions. In addition, a further 10 individual engagement sessions have taken place with representatives from district and borough councils, ICB, Healthwatch, locality health and wellbeing partnerships and Derbyshire Constabulary. The information from the engagement sessions has been collated and analysed. The information gained from these engagement and development sessions informed the content of a further development session which took place on 6 September 2023 at County Hall. The following themes were identified to inform the areas of focus were identified:
- Mental health and wellbeing
  - Health experiences of children and young people
  - Housing
  - Falls prevention
  - Winter deaths
  - Cost of living
  - Smoking and tobacco control
  - Physical inactivity
  - Diet
  - Obesity (including childhood obesity)
  - Alcohol
  - Wider determinants of health
  - Inclusion
- 2.4 The development session on 6 September 2023 focussed on the draft areas of focus for the strategy. At the session it was agreed to circulate the draft areas of focus to Health and Wellbeing Board members before the board meeting on 5 October 2023.
- 2.5 A revised timetable is included below:
- September 2023 – Health and Wellbeing Board development session
  - October 2023 – further update on draft strategy to Health and Wellbeing Board meeting
  - January 2024 – board to approve final draft strategy
  - February 2024 – strategy action plan developed

- March 2024 – board to approve final strategy

- 2.6 In-between the milestones outlined in 2.5, there will be ongoing engagement and involvement with Board members and partners in relation the development and refinement of the Strategy to ensure case studies, best practice examples and reflections on local work already being undertaken is included.
- 2.7 We are working alongside system partners to ensure that engagement and learning from the ICS Strategy development and implementation informs the JLHWBS development.
- 2.8 We are working alongside Derby City partners to align the strategy where possible across the Integrated Care System.

### **3. Alternative Options Considered**

- 3.1 Not developing a new Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategy. This option is not appropriate as it was agreed in February 2022 to prepare a full strategy refresh during 2023.

### **4. Implications**

- 4.1 Appendix 1 sets out the relevant implications considered in the preparation of the report.

### **5. Consultation**

- 5.1 Members of the Board attended two development sessions in June and July 2023.
- 5.2 Further individual engagement sessions were undertaken with District and Borough Representatives and other Board members in July – September 2023.
- 5.3 An engagement session was held in September 2023 to gain feedback on the draft priorities / areas of focus with representatives from Locality Health and Wellbeing Partnerships.

### **6. Partnership Opportunities**

- 6.1 Partners are asked to fully engage with the process of developing the new Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Board Strategy. Collaboration from Healthwatch, district and borough representatives, Health and Wellbeing Partnerships and the Voluntary Community and Social Enterprise sector is required to ensure voices of the local communities and residents of Derbyshire are heard.

## 7. Background Papers

- 7.1 [Statutory Guidance on Joint Strategic Needs Assessments and Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategies.](#)
- 7.2 [Integrated Care Strategy Framework](#)
- 7.3 [Derbyshire Health and Wellbeing Strategy – Refresh 2022](#)
- 7.4 [Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Board Strategy – July 2023](#)

## 8. Appendices

- 8.1 Appendix 1 – Implications.

## 9. Recommendation(s)

That the Health and Wellbeing Board:

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## 10. Reasons for Recommendation(s)

- 10.1 To ensure that the Health and Wellbeing Board are aware of the latest actions in relation to the development of the revised Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategy.
- 10.2 To ensure the Health and Wellbeing Board approve the priorities / areas of focus for the new Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategy

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### **Implications**

#### **Financial**

- 1.1 There are no anticipated financial implications, and the refresh of the strategy will be completed within existing workstreams and budgets.

#### **Legal**

- 2.1 The Health and Care Act 2022 abolished clinical commissioning groups (CCG's) and their functions have been assumed by Integrated Care Boards (ICB's). The Health and Care Act 2022 also amends section 116A of the local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007, renames 'joint health and wellbeing strategies' to 'joint local health and wellbeing strategies' and replaces references to 'clinical commissioning groups' with 'integrated care boards'.
- 2.2 Health and Wellbeing boards continue to be responsible for the development of Joint Strategic Needs Assessments and Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategies. However, they must now have regard to the Integrated Care Strategy when preparing their Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategies in addition to having regard to the NHS Mandate and the Statutory Guidance on Joint Strategic Needs Assessments and Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategies.

#### **Human Resources**

- 3.1 There are no human resource implications of this report.

#### **Equalities Impact**

- 4.1 There are no equalities impacts.

#### **Partnerships**

- 5.1 The recommendations contained in this report will strengthen and further develop partnership working and allow all partners to be a proactive stakeholder and voice their views on the content of the Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategy.

## **Health and Wellbeing Strategy priorities**

- 6.1 The recommendations in this report contribute to all priorities by ensuring the Board and partners work collaboratively to reduce health inequalities for the population of Derbyshire.