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**DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**

**DERBYSHIRE HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD**

**18 January 2024**

**Report of the Director of Public Health**

**Health Protection Board Update**

## **1. Purpose**

The Health and Wellbeing Board is asked to note the key messages arising at the Derbyshire Health Protection Board from its meeting on 10 November 2023.

## **2. Information and Analysis**

- 2.1 The Health Protection Board is a Derby and Derbyshire Board that is a sub-group of the Derbyshire Health and Wellbeing Board.
- 2.2 The purpose of the Health Protection Board is to provide assurance to the Health and Wellbeing Boards of Derbyshire County and Derby City that adequate arrangements are in place for the prevention, surveillance, planning and response required to protect the health of the residents of Derby City and Derbyshire County.
- 2.3 The following updates were provided during the business of the meeting on 10 November 2023:
- 2.4 Health Protection Strategy development
  - The final version of the Health Protection Strategy was approved (a separate presentation will be provided to the Health and Wellbeing Board). Please see Appendix 2 and 3.

2.5 Tuberculosis (TB) services and management of those with no recourse to public funds:

- The Board were provided with an update on TB service provision across Derby and Derbyshire and plans in place to ensure services are meeting screening and treatment standards, including the establishment of a multi-agency group to review screening and diagnosis, treatment and vaccination for TB.

2.6 An update was provided on the Adverse Weather Plan

2.7 Vaccination and Immunisations and Screening programmes

- Further updates were provided on the work underway to support the delegation of vaccination (and potentially screening) services to Integrated Care Boards (ICB)s in April 2025, including updates to organisational and governance arrangements
- There are no current concerns about the performance of screening programmes.
- The Board received a deep dive on the Diabetic Eye screening programme. The performance of the local programme has been consistently at the acceptable level, but further improvement is desirable, especially for those people with diabetes who have not attended the screening programme in the previous 3 years
- A measles elimination plan has been developed with accountability through the Health Protection Board and Vaccination and Immunisation Delivery Board

2.8 Air Quality Strategy

- The Board received the updated version of the Air Quality Action Plan

2.9 UKHSA Communicable Disease Outbreak Management Plan

- An updated version of the plan was discussed by the Board, with additional engagement with local stakeholders agreed to test local implementation of the plan as part of a desktop exercise

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

3.1 No alternative options to consider as this report is for information only.

### **4. Implications**

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

## **5. Consultation**

5.1 No consultation required.

## **6. Partnership Opportunities**

6.1 Partners are asked to note the topics discussed at the Health Protection Board, and identify opportunities to implement any actions identified.

## **7. Background Papers**

7.1 None

## **8. Appendices**

8.1 Appendix 1 – Implications

8.2 Appendix 2 – Derby and Derbyshire Health Protection Strategy

8.3 Appendix 3 – Health Protection Strategy – Plan on a Page

## **9. Recommendation(s)**

That the Health and Wellbeing Board:

- a) Note the update report from the Health Protection Board and endorse the Health Protection Strategy

## **10. Reasons for Recommendation(s)**

10.1 To meet the purpose of the Derbyshire Health Protection Board in providing assurance to the Derbyshire Health and Wellbeing Board that adequate arrangements are in place to protect the health of the residents of Derbyshire County

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**Implications**

**Financial**

1.1 There are no financial implications of this report.

**Legal**

2.1 There are no legal implications of this report.

**Human Resources**

3.1 There are no human resource implications of this report.

**Equalities Impact**

4.1 None identified

**Partnerships**

5.1 Partners are asked to note the topics discussed at the Health Protection Board and consider opportunities for supporting any actions identified

**Health and Wellbeing Strategy priorities**

6.1 The Health Protection Board is a sub-group of the Health and Wellbeing Board, and therefore the Board is asked to note the update provided.

**Other implications**

7.1 There are no other implications of this report.