

DERBYSHIRE HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

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Report of the Executive Director for Adult Social Care and Health Derbyshire County Council

HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD ROUND-UP REPORT

1. Purpose of the report

To provide the Board with a round-up of key progress in relation to Health and Wellbeing issues and projects not covered elsewhere on the agenda.

2. Round-Up

The English local government public health reforms: an independent assessment

This [report](#), commissioned by the Local Government Association, assesses the success of the 2013 reforms to public health in England, which were part of the coalition government's wider health reform programme. These reforms, which saw the responsibility for many aspects of public health move from the NHS to local government, involved the transition of staff and services and required the formation of new relationships to ensure public health was embedded across local government services.

Community-centred public health: taking a whole system approach

Public Health England has published [resources](#) which aim to provide guidance to improve the effectiveness and sustainability of action to build healthy communities and to embed community-centred ways of working within whole systems action to improve population health. They are intended for use by local authority, NHS and voluntary and community sector decision-makers.

Beyond parity of esteem: achieving parity of resource, access and outcome for mental health in England

Mental health services remain a long way behind most physical health services in terms of their resourcing, patient ability to access care and overall patient outcomes. This [report](#) published by the BMA outlines findings about the state of mental health in England and recommendations for improvements. Key findings: under a third of children with mental health problems in England are able to access the care they need; those with a severe mental illness in England on average die 15 to 20 years earlier than the general population; and suicide is the leading cause of death among young people in the UK aged 20-34 years, and for men in the UK aged under 50.

Older people's mental health

Age UK and NHS England have launched a [campaign](#) to encourage older people to access treatment for mental health conditions. The campaign aims to boost the number of older people getting the help they need by writing to GPs to urge them to look out for the symptoms of mental health problems in older people, along with making them aware of the NHS support services available.

Determinants of mental health

The Commission for Equality in Mental Health is carrying out a two-year investigation and has published its first briefing [paper](#) which focuses on the unequal determinants of mental health. The briefing explores why some groups of people have a much higher risk of mental ill health than others and what can be done to reduce the disparities. The briefing finds that mental health inequalities are closely linked to wider injustices in society. Inequalities in wealth, power and voice are linked to poorer mental health. Exclusion, discrimination, violence and insecurity all increase the risk of poor mental health and explain why some groups of people face markedly higher rates of mental ill health than others. It explores actions that can be taken, from communities and local services to national policies, to reduce mental health inequalities.

Delivering the Dementia Moonshot: A plan to find life-changing treatments

Alzheimer's Research UK has published a [report](#) which calls on the government to invest in six priority research areas, which will help to deliver a life-changing treatment for dementia by doubling research funding and speeding up trials for new treatments. These include to find ways to detect the diseases that cause dementia 10 – 15 years earlier, make the UK the best place to conduct clinical dementia research and further the understanding of dementia risk reduction and prevention and dementia in the context of multi-morbidities.

Technology use and the mental health of children and young people

This [report](#) published by the Royal College of Psychiatrists explores the use of technology among children and young people. It looks at the wider impact of different types of screen use on the mental health of children and young people including issues around screen time, the impact of negative content, and the potential for bullying and addiction. It also explores how vulnerable groups such as those with mental health problems and very young children may be affected and discusses issues around safeguarding.

Measuring progress: commitments to support and expand the mental health workforce in England

This [report](#) published by the King's Fund finds that recent commitments to support and expand the mental health workforce have fallen short of their goals. To assess progress against these commitments and identify where further action is required, the report analyses workforce data and a survey of health care professionals working in the sector.

SpeakUp2020: Share your views and help make the NHS better

Healthwatch has launched a new campaign [SpeakUp2020](#) to encourage people to speak up about what would make health and social care services in their communities better. The results will be shared with decision makers across the NHS, social care sector and

Government to ensure that improvements to services are informed by people's experiences.

Pass the parcel: children posted around the care system

The Children's Commissioner has published a [report](#) which looks at the number of children living 'out of area' and their experiences of the care they receive including what it is like to be uprooted and placed miles away, what it means for friendships and family relationships, and how it affects a child's sense of belonging.

Adult social care statistics in England

This [report](#) sets out the findings from a review of adult social care statistics in England. Adult social care is a large and important area that requires strong evidence to support effective policy development, delivery of care and personal choice. While there is rightly a focus on delivery, a scarcity of funding has led to underinvestment in data and analysis, making it harder for individuals and organisations to make informed decisions. This review highlights three main areas for attention: better leadership and collaboration; gaps in available data for example private household expenditure and private funded care; and improving existing official statistics.

Health matters: physical activity - prevention and management of long-term conditions

One in 3 adults in England live with a long-term health condition and they are twice as likely to be amongst the least physically active. This edition of [Health Matters](#) focuses on the benefit of physical activity for the prevention and management of long-term conditions in adults.

Community pharmacies: promoting health and wellbeing

A new draft quality standard from NICE highlights the important role community pharmacy teams have in health promotion and prevention. The draft quality standard is open for [consultation](#) and comments can be submitted until 5pm on Friday 14 February 2020.

Pharmacy Advice campaign

A new [Pharmacy Advice campaign](#) has launched to encourage the public to visit community pharmacies for advice on minor illnesses. The campaign highlights that minor health concerns, such as coughs, colds and aches and pains, can be treated by pharmacists and runs until 22 March 2020.

Notification of Pharmacy Applications

Under the requirements of the National Health Service (Pharmaceutical and Local Pharmaceutical Services) Regulations 2013 the NHS Commissioning Board must notify the HWB of all relevant applications to provide pharmaceutical services, including the relocation of existing pharmacies. Notification of the following applications has been received:

Notification of closure: Cease to provide pharmaceutical services from Lloyds Pharmacy 42 Chatsworth Road, Brampton, Chesterfield, S40 2AQ at the close of business on 21 January 2020.

Application approved: Change of ownership Lloyds Pharmacy Ltd T/A Lloydspharmacy at 139 Victoria Park Road, Fairfield, Buxton, SK17 7PE to Ihsan Pharma Ltd.

Application approved: Change of ownership Lloyds Pharmacy 431 Sheffield Road, Chesterfield, S41 8LY to PCT Healthcare Ltd.

One-off change to Supplementary Hours: Weds 8 January, 12 February and 18 March 2020 Amber Pharmacy, Four Lane Ends, Main Street, Horsley Woodhouse, Ilkeston, DE7 6AX. They will operate 8.30am – 1pm, 2pm – 6.30pm as they will be closed for 1 hour for training purposes.

Change of trading name: PCT Healthcare Ltd 21 Ilkeston Road, Heanor, DE75 7DT has changed its trading name from Manor Pharmacy to Peak Pharmacy from 28 November 2019.

Application approved: No significant change relocation of John Dents (Chemists) Ltd from 1 Windermere Road, Newbold, Chesterfield, S41 8DU to Newbold Surgery 3 Windermere Road, Newbold, Chesterfield, S41 8DU.

3. BACKGROUND PAPERS

Pharmaceutical notifications are held electronically on file in the Policy and Research Service.

4. RECOMMENDATION

The Health and Wellbeing Board is asked to:

- Note the information contained in this round-up report.

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