

Nottinghamshire County Council

minutes

Meeting HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

Wednesday, 9 February (commencing at 2:00 pm)

Membership

Date

Persons absent are marked with an 'A'

COUNTY COUNCILLORS

John Doddy (Chair) David Martin Sheila Place Tom Smith Nigel Turner

DISTRICT COUNCILLORS

	David Walters	-	Ashfield District Council
А	Susan Shaw	-	Bassetlaw District Council
	Colin Tideswell	-	Broxtowe Borough Council
	Henry Wheeler	-	Gedling Borough Council
	Abby Brennan	-	Rushcliffe Borough Council
А	Neill Mison	-	Newark and Sherwood District Council
	Marion Bradshaw	-	Mansfield District Council

OFFICERS

A	Melanie Brooks	-	Corporate Director, Adult Social Care and Health
	Colin Pettigrew	-	Corporate Director, Children and Families Services
	Jonathan Gribbin	-	Director of Public Health

CLINICAL COMMISSIONING GROUPS

A	David Ainsworth	-	NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Clinical Commissioning Group
A	Lucy Dadge	-	NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Clinical Commissioning Group
A	Idris Griffiths	-	NHS Bassetlaw Clinical Commissioning Group
А	Dr Thilan Bartolemeuz	-	NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Clinical Commissioning Group
A	Fiona Callaghan	-	NHS Nottingham & Nottinghamshire Clinical Commissioning Group
	Dr Jeremy Griffiths	-	NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Clinical Commissioning Group (Vice- Chair)
	Dr Nicole Atkinson	-	NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Clinical Commissioning Group

LOCAL HEALTHWATCH

Sarah Collis - Healthwatch Nottingham & Nottinghamshire

OFFICE OF THE NOTTINGHAMSHIRE POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER

Sharon Cadell – Chief Executive, OPCC

OFFICERS IN ATTENDANCE

Kash Ahmed John Wilcox	-	Integrated Service Commissioning Public Health Commissioning Manager
Briony Jones Martin Gately	-	Public Health and Commissioning Manager Democratic Services Officer

<u>OTHERS</u>

Kerryn Chamberlain	-	Strategic Director, Active Notts
Ilana Freestone	-	Chief Executive Officer, Active Notts

MINUTES

The minutes of the last meeting held on 24 November 2021 having been previously circulated were confirmed and signed by the Chairman.

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

- Cllr Susan Shaw (Bassetlaw District Council)
- Fiona Callaghan (Nottingham and Nottinghamshire CCG) with Dr Nicole Atkinson deputising on her behalf.
- David Ainsworth (Nottingham and Nottinghamshire CCG)
- Lucy Dadge (Nottingham and Nottinghamshire CCG)
- Melanie Brooks (Nottinghamshire County Council) with Kash Ahmed deputising on her behalf

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST BY BOARD MEMBERS AND OFFICERS

None.

CHAIR'S REPORT

The Chairman introduced the report and highlighted the delivery of Covid-19 vaccinations, with over 2 million vaccinations administered since the start of the programme. The latest figures show that 84% of the population aged 18 and over have now received 2 doses, and 65% of over 18s have had a booster dose.

The Chairman also referenced the drive to become a non-smoking society and the value of replacement therapy in the form of e-cigarettes.

In relation to drugs and alcohol, the Chairman noted that alcohol deaths remained particularly high. He also welcomed drug addiction being addressed as a public health rather than crime issue.

Finally, the Chairman referenced England's aging population and how, in the next 25 years, the number of people older than 85 will double to 2.6 million.

In response to questions raised by Members in relation to young people taking up vaping and possible future harm, Jonathan Gribbin, Director of Public Health , said that NICE guidelines indicated that people should be supported to stop smoking regardless

of the chosen method. Smoking cigarettes accounts for half of the health inequalities that we see.

Councillor Tideswell raised the issue of difficulty obtaining operations for children with tongue-tie. Councillor Doddy indicated that he had recently made referrals to paediatric surgery for this but would look into it. He was aware that it was a service some people paid for privately.

RESOLVED: 2022/001

That:

1) No further actions were required in relation to the issues outlined in the report.

WORKING TOGETHER TO ADDRESS INEQUALITY AND INACTIVITY ACROSS NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

Ilana Freestone, Chief Executive Officer and Kerryn Chamberlain, Strategic Director Active Notts introduced the report, the purpose of which was to provide a summary of the evaluation from the Health, Wellbeing and Physical Activity Insight work and update on the countywide plan for physical activity – Making Our Move – with a view to aligning with the Nottinghamshire Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy.

Ms Chamberlain explained how the work had started in Mansfield on the Bellamy Estate – this had been collective work with the District Council and a 'multi-pronged' systems based approach to build an understanding of the community and healthy lifeexpectancy. It's about a unique group of partners coming together to collaborate with co-funding.

The Chairman said that he was excited about placed-based working initiatives and saw this as the future.

Jonathan Gribbin said that such work needs to be sustained and joined up. We also need to consider what else we might do as a partnership.

Councillor Martin stated that this was an interesting and relevant piece of work. He added that Ashfield was a very diverse district and that Ashfield District Council had spent over £5m on recreation grounds. Police and Community Protection are also co-located in Ashfield, which is both place-based and strategic.

RESOLVED: 2022/002

That:

1) the Making Our Move Strategy be supported and consideration be given to how we can work together to achieve its shared vision and aims, and apply the

learning from the Health, Wellbeing and Physical Activity Insight work in future strategy development relating to the Nottinghamshire Health and Wellbeing Board.

2) the alignment of priorities of the Making Our Move Strategy be identified, with a view to embedding and adopting them within the Joint Health and Wellbeing strategy for 2022-2026.

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE FOOD CHARTER AND SUSTAINABLE FOOD PLACES

John Wilcox, Senior Public Health and Commissioning Manager introduced the report, the purpose of which was to obtain approval for the Food Charter for Nottinghamshire in setting a vision and call to action for food and health & wellbeing in the county, and to gain endorsement for working towards Nottinghamshire becoming a sustainable food place.

Mr Wilcox explained that a lot of work in relation to the food charter and sustainable food places had been on pause all through the pandemic. However, food is extremely important in the wider wellbeing sense, and is also important from an environmental perspective. There are also the issues of food insecurity and food poverty. The Health and Wellbeing Board takes the leadership on the local vision and call to action around the Food Charter. The Food Charter is a single page document which states that good food is vital to the quality of people's lives and plays an essential part in improving health and wellbeing and reducing health inequalities.

Dr Jeremy Griffiths raised the issue of the loss of cooking skills. Mr Wilcox explained that this was a good example of a negative feedback loop – as people cook less, more convenience food is purchased from supermarkets. Families with young children can sign up to the Food Service and receive healthy recipe cards and video guidance, as well as being able to attend cook and eat sessions.

In response to further comments from Dr Griffiths querying how many 16 year olds can cook, Colin Pettigrew indicated that he had recently received a letter from the Secretary of State for Education stating that in future there would be a requirement for all 16 year olds to be able to cook six healthy recipes.

RESOLVED 2022/003

That:

- 1) the publication of the Food Charter for Nottinghamshire on behalf of the Health and Wellbeing Board be approved and consideration be given to any further actions that are needed.
- 2) proposals for Nottinghamshire to start work towards becoming a Sustainable Food Place be agreed and consideration be given to whether any further actions are needed.

 the Food Charter be used and publicised as a call to action in local partnerships, organisations and communities, and with residents to further develop and contribute to improving the food environment.

JOINT STRATEGIC NEEDS ASSESSMENT PROGRESS AND DEVELOPMENT

Sue Foley, Public Health Consultant, introduced the report the purpose of which was to update the Board regarding the progress and development of the Nottinghamshire Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA).

RESOLVED 2022/004

That:

 Health and Wellbeing Board members refer to their own organisation's strategic plan and commissioning intentions and identify topics of joint interest and strategic importance, and submit these topics for consideration for the 2022/2023 JSNA work programme by 28th February 2022.

APPROVAL OF THE 2021/22 BETTER CARE FUND (BCF) PLANNING TEMPLATE AND BFC NARRATIVE PLAN

Kash Ahmed, Integrated Strategic Commissioning and Service Improvement, Adult Social Care and Public Health, introduced the report, the purpose of which was to provide formal ratification and agreement of the Better Care Fund 2021/22 Planning Template and BCF Narrative Plan, which were submitted to NHSE on 17th November 2021.

In response to questions from Board Members, Mr Ahmed stated that there were still areas of commissioning that were siloed, and there was a need to help people navigate the system better, as well as using the BCF as a medium for integration.

RESOLVED 2022/005

That:

 the 2021/22 Better Care Fund Planning Template and Better Care Fund Narrative Plan, which was submitted to NHSE on 17th November 2021 be approved.

WORK PROGRAMME

The Chairman reminded the Board that a hybrid board meeting/workshop on the delivery of the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2022-2026 will take place on 23rd March (at 2:00 pm)

RESOLVED: 2022/006

That:

1) The work programme be noted and consideration be given to any changes.

The meeting closed at 4:29 PM

CHAIR