

7 September 2022**Agenda Item: 7****REPORT OF NHS NOTTINGHAM AND NOTTINGHAMSHIRE INTERGRATED
CARE BOARD****TARGETED LUNG HEALTH CHECK PROGRAMME****Purpose of the Report**

1. To update the Nottinghamshire Health and Wellbeing Board on the progress of the Targeted Lung Health Checks Programme.

Information**Background**

2. The Targeted Lung Health Checks (TLHC) programme is a new programme of work in England which will contribute to the ambition of the NHS Long Term Plan to improve early diagnosis and survival for those diagnosed with cancer.
3. The main objectives of the programme are;
 - To increase the number of lung cancers diagnosed at an early stage, thereby improving survival rates
 - To increase smoking quit rates.
4. The programme is aimed at people who are aged between 55 and 74 with a history of smoking.

Progress

5. The programme went live in Mansfield & Ashfield in March 2021 and has invited over 22,000 people to participate. Over 10,000 lung health telephone assessments have taken place and over 4,500 CT scans have been performed.
6. CT scans have been carried out in a mobile CT scanner in community locations such as supermarkets and leisure centres, to make the service as accessible as possible and encourage people to attend. This service model has been successful, with the project having one of the highest uptake rates in the country at approximately 70%.
7. Over 300 current smokers have been referred to the local smoking cessation service. As of 19th July 2022, 26 cancers have been diagnosed (23 cases of lung cancer, 2 urology cancer and 1 lower gastrointestinal cancer). Of these, 50% were diagnosed at either stages 1 or 2. This is in comparison to 20% diagnosed at an early stage before the programme launched.

Next Steps

8. NHS England has awarded additional funding for TLHCs to be expanded and to invite eligible patients registered with a GP practice in Nottingham City. The Nottingham City project is in mobilisation stage and the first invites are due to be sent as of October 2022. This will be a soft start with 1 or 2 GP practices in the Clifton and Meadows area.

Other Options Considered

9. None.

Reason/s for Recommendation/s

10. To provide information on the progress of the Targeted Lung Health Check programme in Mansfield and Ashfield and update on the expansion into Nottingham City.

Statutory and Policy Implications

11. This report has been compiled after consideration of implications in respect of crime and disorder, data protection and information governance finance, human resources, human rights, the NHS Constitution (public health services), the public sector equality duty, safeguarding of children and adults at risk, service users, smarter working, sustainability and the environment and where such implications are material they are described below. Appropriate consultation has been undertaken and advice sought on these issues as required.

Financial Implications

12. There are no direct financial implications arising from this report.

RECOMMENDATION/S

The Health and Wellbeing Board is asked:

- 1) To consider its role in promoting the Targeted Lung Health Check programme locally and whether there are any actions required by the Health & Wellbeing Board in relation to the various issues outlined in the report.

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Constitutional Comments (GMG 15/08/22)

13. This is a report for noting which falls within the remit of the Health and Wellbeing Board to consider.

Financial Comments (DG 15/08/22)

14. There are no direct financial implications arising from this report.

Background Papers and Published Documents

Except for previously published documents, which will be available elsewhere, the documents listed here will be available for inspection in accordance with Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972.

- 'None'

Electoral Division(s) and Member(s) Affected

- 'All'