

REPORT OF THE CHAIR OF THE NOTTINGHAMSHIRE HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

JOINT HEALTH AND WELLBEING STRATEGY FOR NOTTINGHAMSHIRE 2018-2022

Purpose of the Report

1. To inform Council members of the refreshed Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy for Nottinghamshire and seek their support for its implementation.

Information and Advice

2. Health and Wellbeing Boards were introduced as a statutory committee of all upper tier local authorities under the Health and Social Care Act 2012 and became fully effective on 1st April 2013. The Board has a statutory responsibility to prepare a Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) which identifies the current and future health needs of the local population. The Board must use the JSNA to inform a Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy to address the health needs identified.
3. The Strategy is the main way in which the Board executes its other statutory responsibilities to:
 - Improve the health and wellbeing of the people in their area
 - Reduce health inequalities
 - Promote the integration of services & closer working
4. The statutory duties of the Health and Wellbeing Board are aligned to the statutory duties of the Council, which were also as a result of the Health and Social Care Act. From April 2013, this Council became responsible for improving the health of their local population. This responsibility is reflected in the Council Plan 'Our Nottinghamshire, Our Future 2017-2021'. Whilst this is explicit in ambition 6 'People are healthier', the reality is that there could be significant health gain if all four of the ambitions there were taken forward in a way that sought to improve health and reduce health inequalities as all 4 ambitions involve the social and economic determinants of health. According to the Health Foundation these social and economic factors explain approximately ninety percent of the population's health.
5. Nottinghamshire's first Health and Wellbeing Strategy covered the period 2014 -17. It was refreshed following a public consultation and approved for implementation by Policy Committee in December 2017.
6. The refreshed Strategy focusses on:
 - A vision

- An approach
 - 4 strategic ambitions
 - To give children and young people a good start in life
 - To have healthy and sustainable places
 - To enable healthier decision making
 - Working together to improve health and care services
7. This Strategy builds on the first and the lessons learnt during its implementation. Therefore its focus is on partnership actions that only the Board could deliver, rather than on actions that any individual organisation might do on their own. It was also prepared in the context of a number of national and local policy documents, published during the lifetime of the first Strategy, in particular Delivering the NHS Five Year Forward View which required the preparation and implementation of Sustainability and Transformation Plans, Health in all Policies: a manual for local government, the Marmot report Fair Society, Healthy Lives and most recently Nottinghamshire County Council's Strategic plan: 'Your Nottinghamshire, Your Future'.
8. The full Strategy is at **Annex 1**. A delivery plan to secure implementation will be developed by the Board during 2018 and will include clear actions, outcomes, measures and governance to deliver each of the ambitions.
9. The consultation for the refresh of the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy highlighted the importance of maintaining and developing communications and engagement between the Board and wider partners. This will continue to be developed as the Strategy is implemented. This will give an opportunity to focus on different aspects of the Strategy as a delivery plan is developed, inviting collaboration with partners and highlighting the added value of the Board's involvement.
10. The support of County Councillors in implementing and publicising the Strategy with partners would be valued. The work of the Board relies on the commitment of partners and support for that work would be welcomed.

Other Options Considered

11. Feedback from the Strategy consultation has been considered during the development of the final Strategy document.

Reason/s for Recommendation/s

12. The Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy is a statutory responsibility of the Health and Wellbeing Board and will enable delivery of its responsibilities to encourage integration, closer working with partners and to reduce health inequalities.

Statutory and Policy Implications

13. 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

14. There are no financial implications arising from the Strategy. It will be delivered through existing resources across the Board partners.

Implications for Sustainability and the Environment

15. The Strategic Ambition to Create Healthy and Sustainable Places will include a priority to increase physical activity and active transport which will support improvements to air quality and the environment.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1) That Nottinghamshire County Council supports the implementation of the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy for Nottinghamshire and promotes it within networks and to wider partners.

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Constitutional Comments (LMC 12.03.2018)

16. Full Council is the appropriate body to consider the contents of the report.

Financial Comments (DG 12.03.2018)

17. The financial implications are contained within paragraph 14 of 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.

[Refresh Of the Nottinghamshire Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy](#)

Report to Nottinghamshire Health and Wellbeing Board 6 September 2017

[Second Health and Wellbeing Strategy](#)

Report to Nottinghamshire Health and Wellbeing Board 6 December 2017

[Nottinghamshire Joint Strategic Needs Assessment](#)

Nottinghamshire Insight

[Delivering the NHS Five Year Forward View](#)

NHS England

[Health in all Policies: a manual for local government](#)

Local Government Association

[Marmot report Fair Society, Healthy Lives](#)

Institute of Health Equity

[Your Nottinghamshire, Your Future](#)

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Electoral Division(s) and Member(s) Affected

- All