

Adult Social Care and Public Health Departmental Strategy

Our commitments

The benefits

What we promise to do

How will we improve what we do?

Families prosper and achieve their Potential	Young people will have improved physical and mental health	Commission services to promote healthy lifestyles and address ill-health in young people and families	<p>Improve wellbeing through prevention and promoting independence</p> <p>Work with partners and wider stakeholders to develop and deliver healthy environments and communities which promote health, wellbeing and independence</p> <p>Embed prevention into both clinical and social care pathways, maximising opportunities to promote independence Review our employment offer and scope out work required from a social care and public health perspective to improve access to employment for disabled people / people with long term health conditions</p> <p>Develop our integrated health and social care system</p> <p>Work with health partners to develop and evaluate new models of care that meet both the social care and health needs of people in the County</p> <p>Focussed action plans to ensure all public health outcomes for Nottinghamshire County match or are better than the rest of England</p> <p>Test and evaluate innovative approaches to emerging population health needs</p> <p>Delivering high quality public health and social care services</p> <p>Work with care providers to understand their pressures and to ensure the fees paid for care services reflect the cost of delivery of good quality care</p> <p>Increase home care capacity and sustainability of all care providers</p> <p>Review of older people's care home structure, and a review of residential care for younger adults</p> <p>Commission new services for healthy lifestyles and substance misuse which deliver improved outcomes and value for money for residents</p>
Nottinghamshire has a thriving jobs market	More people are in higher paid and skilled jobs More apprenticeships available for people of all ages	Promote careers and career progression in social care and public health for people of all ages Work with partners and the wider community to improve the number of adults with disabilities in meaningful employment and reduce the employment rate gap for people with long term conditions	
Nottinghamshire is a great place to live, work, visit and relax	People live in communities supported by good housing and infrastructure	Work with partners to develop housing, built environment, and transport which supports healthy lifestyles and reduces exposure to poor air quality Work with partners to develop housing that will meet the needs of an ageing population and increasing numbers of people with disabilities	
People are healthier	Healthy life expectancy increases Life expectancy rises fastest in those areas where outcomes have previously been poor	Commission services which provide support for residents seeking a healthier life-style including reducing their exposure to substance misuse, tobacco, excess weight and low physical activity, and sexually transmitted infections	
People live in vibrant and supportive communities	Older people are treated with dignity and their independence is respected Our most vulnerable residents will be protected and kept safe from harm	Work with people to connect them to their community and local networks in order to remain as independent as possible Work with people to ensure they feel safe in their homes and communities. Where people experience abuse and neglect, we will provide support that is responsive to their needs and personalised Commission services to address the needs of people who experience domestic violence	
People live independently for as long as possible	Carers receive the support they need Better access to financial advice so that older people can make more informed Decisions People will have the opportunity to live independently in their local community	Provide support for carers, of all ages Provide information, advice and guidance to support people to live independently Provide effective short-term interventions for people with care and support needs and invest in rapid response services to enable people to return home from hospital as quickly as possible We will promote the use of technology, equipment and adaptations that support's people to stay in their own homes and in their community	
People can access the right care and support	People's needs are met in a quick and responsive way Services improve as a result of better integration of health and social care	Provide good quality advice, information and support to people with disabilities and long-term health conditions to enable them to lead productive and independent lives for as long as possible Provide intensive support at times of crisis and review the level of care required once the crisis has passed Work with the health service to provide more seamless services to put people at the centre of the care and support provided Provide statutory specialist advice to NHS commissioners and co-ordinate joint strategic needs assessment across health and social care	