

NORTH LINCOLNSHIRE COUNCIL

HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

North Lincolnshire Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy

1. OBJECT AND KEY POINTS IN THIS REPORT

- 1.1 To provide an update in respect of the task and finish group developing the new Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy.

2. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- 2.1 The Health and Wellbeing Board's core strategic functions include setting the vision for improving the health and wellbeing of North Lincolnshire residents and publish a Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy. The strategy is informed by having an assessment of the populations' needs in order that the board, as system leaders can explore opportunities for improving health and care.
- 2.2 The first Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy for North Lincolnshire was published in 2013, and the strategic priority actions updated to reflect the local Joint Strategic Assessment.
- 2.3 Since the review of the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy in 2015-16 which resulted in the new strategic priority actions, national drivers and local context is changing. The publication of the 'Burden of Disease' report, the NHS transformation requirements at a local level and recent publication of Public Health Outcomes data provided a timely opportunity for the Health and Wellbeing Board to reflect on the current strategy and consider preparation of a new strategy.
- 2.4 At its meeting on 9 December 2016, the Health and Wellbeing Board agreed to support a task and finish group to develop the new Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy. A group was established and a meeting was subsequently held on 31 January to discuss this further.
- 2.5 A number of issues were identified that would ensure that the revised strategy was fit for purpose. These included wider engagement and ownership, aligning future work to care network areas, taking into account a move to greater integration and strategic commissioning, and a focus on improving outcomes for local residents. It was agreed that the revised strategy needed to be underpinned by a comprehensive and up to date Joint Strategic Assessment.
- 2.6 A key role for the new Director of Public Health will be to lead on the above, Chairing the task and finish group. Preparatory work is ongoing by the Public Health team to ensure that this can be done efficiently and swiftly, and it is intended to regularly feed back to the Health and Wellbeing Board on further progress.

3. OPTIONS FOR CONSIDERATION

- 3.1 To note the progress being made in developing the new Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy.

4. ANALYSIS OF OPTIONS

- 4.1 Progress continues to be made in respect of service delivery and health promotion activity in the Board's priority areas of reducing the harm caused by tobacco and ensuring that adults and children have information, understanding and opportunities to achieve and maintain a healthier weight.
- 4.2 A key statutory role of the Board is to develop and maintain an oversight of progress on the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy. This includes ensuring that the strategy is aligned with other plans and priorities, and that it reflects ongoing work to integrate services and develop community resilience and wellbeing for residents of North Lincolnshire.
- 4.3 The task and finish group will continue their work to ensure that the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy and the Joint Strategic Assessment are relevant to North Lincolnshire as a place, forward facing, and aligned to the local situation.

5. RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS (FINANCIAL, STAFFING, PROPERTY, IT)

- 5.1 None as a direct consequence of this report.

6. OUTCOMES OF INTEGRATED IMPACT ASSESSMENT (IF APPLICABLE)

- 6.1 N/A.

7. OUTCOMES OF CONSULTATION AND CONFLICTS OF INTERESTS DECLARED

- 7.1 N/A

8. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 8.1 The Board note the progress being made by the task and finish group to develop the new Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy, and continue to receive updates.

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