Joint Strategic Needs Assessment
Croydon Key Dataset 2012 - 13

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- Five parts:
  - Croydon Key Dataset
- Rest has a mental health theme:
  - Overview chapter on mental health and wellbeing
  - Chapter 1 on Depression
  - Chapter 2 on Schizophrenia
  - Chapter 3 on Emotional health and wellbeing of children

JSNA Key Dataset
2012-13

Caveats about the data/dataset

- **National** indicators
- Routinely available, in public domain
- Allows regional and national **benchmarking**
- Most recent data as of October 2012
- **Timelag**
- Local, unpublished data may show different position!

Data caveats (contined)

- The data is **comparative**
- Therefore performance might be improving but trend could be worsening
- Distinguish between indicators of performance and indicators of **need**
- 'Whole Croydon' data conceals important inequalities **within** Croydon

Which indicators are included and why?

- Partly historic – DH JSNA key dataset 2008/9
- Refined following consultation
- Updated this year to include Outcomes frameworks
- Over 200 indicators
- Still gaps!
- Highlights achievement, as well as areas where we need to improve

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What does the dataset highlight?

- Where Croydon is 'better' or 'worse' than national averages
- Where this difference is statistically significant
- Statistically significant does not mean large difference, necessarily.
- Where need in Croydon is higher or lower than nationally and where this difference is statistically significant
- Where Croydon performs better/worse than London averages or where need is higher/lower
- Where our comparative performance is improving or deteriorating over time

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Findings (1) Good news stories

'The green greens'

- School attainment/absence
- Smoking in pregnancy
- Aspects of cancer
- Deaths from stroke
- Rate killed/seriously injured on roads

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Findings (2) Other good news stories

- Fuel poverty
- Self directed support to users of social care
- Chlamydia screening coverage
- Adults with mental illness living independently

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Findings (3) Challenges

'Red reds'

- Housing
- Crime
- Immunisations
- Childhood obesity
- Unemployment
- Flu vaccination
- Female life expectancy
- Emergency admissions

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Findings (4) Emerging challenges

'Yellows becoming reds of future?'

- Looked after children with stable placements
- Working age population qualified to 2 A Levels
- Overall employment rate
- Female life expectancy at birth
- Excess winter deaths
- Incidence of oesophageal cancer
- Early deaths from cardiovascular disease
- Alcohol attributable mortality

HWBS reinforces many of these challenges

- **Improvement area 1: giving our children a good start in life**
  - 1.3 Improve the uptake of **childhood immunisations**
  - 1.4 childhood **obesity**
  - 1.7 Improve educational attainment in disadvantaged groups
- **Improvement area 2: preventing illness and injury and helping people recover**
  - 2.3 Reduce the harm caused by **alcohol** misuse
  - 2.5 Prevent illness and injury and promote recovery in the over 65s
- **Improvement area 3: preventing premature death and long term health conditions**
  - 3.1 Early detection and management of people at risk for **cardiovascular diseases** and diabetes
- **Improvement area 4: supporting people to be resilient and independent**
  - 4.5 Reduce levels of **worklessness** and long term **unemployment**
  - 4.4 Reduce the number of households living in **temporary accommodation**

Some challenges are addressed by other groups

- Crime - addressed by Safer Croydon
- Looked after children – addressed by Children & Families Partnership

Some gaps are still evident

- Emergency admissions
- Flu vaccinations
- Excess winter deaths
- Oesophageal cancer
- NB not everything can be a priority!

In conclusion

- JSNA key dataset - key tool to support the HWB and HWBS
- Most challenges included in HWBS
- Some exceptions – need to consider
- 2013/14 Key Dataset due October/November
- Will provide further high level information to inform strategy and refresh