

REPORT TO:	HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD (CROYDON) 27 February 2019
SUBJECT:	Croydon Health and Wellbeing Strategy
BOARD SPONSOR:	<i>Cllr Louisa Woodley, Chair of the Health and Wellbeing Board</i> <i>Guy Van Dichele, Executive Director Health Wellbeing and Adults</i> <i>Agnelo Fernandes, Croydon CCG</i>
BOARD PRIORITY/POLICY CONTEXT: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>This is the final draft of Croydon's Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy, a key statutory responsibility of the board</i> 	
FINANCIAL IMPACT: <i>This paper itself does not have direct financial implications however it is a strategic framework for the development of health and wellbeing focused services</i>	

1. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1.1 The Board is asked to sign off the Health and Wellbeing Strategy (Appendix 1)
- 1.2 This paper proposes that the board agrees to the development of a forward plan for the Health and Wellbeing Board aligned to the actions and commitments within the Health and Wellbeing Strategy.

2. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 2.1 The report provides context for the attached draft Health and Wellbeing Strategy which is a document being developed by the board outlining the borough's strategy for health and wellbeing of those living and working in Croydon.

3. Background and Context

- 3.1 Health and Wellbeing Boards are a formal committee of the local authority, created by the Health and Social Care Act 2012, charged with promoting greater integration and partnership between bodies from the NHS and local government. They have a statutory duty, with clinical commissioning groups (CCGs), to produce a joint strategic needs assessment and a joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy for their local population.
- 3.2 The previous iteration of the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy had outcomes leading to 2018.
- 3.3 Developing the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy is a statutory requirement of the Board but also presents an opportunity to pull together the considerable work that is being undertaken across the borough into a cohesive strategy.

- 3.4 The health and care system needs to be designed for more effective communications between partners and the public to be able to see, and take part in, the changes as they are developed. The Health and Wellbeing Strategy is a tool to assist in the necessary shift towards prevention, both within the health and social care system but also within the wider community.
- 3.5 A Draft version of the Health and Wellbeing Strategy was signed off in principle at the Health and Wellbeing Board on the 24th October 2018.

4. The Strategy

- 4.1 The Health and Wellbeing Strategy has been developed with partners and stakeholders from across the borough.
- 4.2 Outcomes have been included which have been developed with the One Croydon Strategic Development Board alongside the development of the Health and Wellbeing Strategy as part of the Health and Care plan, giving a shared set of outcomes for both the Health and Wellbeing Strategy and the Health and Care plan.

5. Delivering the strategy

- 5.1 Delivery of the strategy will be undertaken by a host of partnerships, groups and organisations and is reflected in a broad range of plans. These have been mapped by the Board.
- 5.2 The delivery of the commitments within the strategy will be overseen by the Health and Wellbeing Board. Board meetings will provide an opportunity to systematically review progress against the commitments and to provide additional multi-agency input into delivery. The Health and Wellbeing Board will work closely with the Local Strategic Partnership Boards and other relevant partnerships to support delivery of the actions within the Strategy.
- 5.3 It is proposed that the forward plan for the Health and Wellbeing Board aligns with the strategy priorities as a means of driving the delivery of the strategy.
- 5.4 It is also proposed that an annual review of the progress of this strategy be reported to the Board.

6. Conclusion and Recommendations

- 6.1 This paper proposes that the Board signs off the draft Health and Wellbeing Strategy.
- 6.2 This paper proposes that the board agrees to the development of a forward plan for the Health and Wellbeing Board aligned to the actions and commitments within the Health and Wellbeing Strategy.

7. CONSULTATION

- 7.1 As outlined above the priorities have been developed with the Health and Wellbeing Board and have been informed by the consultation processes supporting the development of the Croydon Health and Care Plan including the Health and Care Plan Engagement event 20th November 2018.

8. SERVICE INTEGRATION

- 8.1 Service integration is the one of the principles for the development of a Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy and the attached document refers to integration throughout.

9. FINANCIAL AND RISK ASSESSMENT CONSIDERATIONS

- 9.1 There are no direct financial implications arising from this report.
- 9.2 The strategy outlines the strategic direction that will inform future commissioning decisions. As these decisions are developed and implemented the financial implications will be fully explored and reported

Approved by: Lisa Taylor, Director of Finance, Investment and Risk and Section 151 Officer, Croydon Council

10. LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS

- 10.1 The Director of Law and Governance comments that there are no legal considerations arising out of the recommendation in this report.

Approved by: Sean Murphy, Director of Law and Governance and Deputy Monitoring Officer

11. EQUALITIES IMPACT

- 11.1 A full equality analysis is not be required. Health inequalities disproportionately affect vulnerable groups as well as groups that share protected characteristics. As such we will need to ensure the high level priority areas of work will help the Borough address wider determinants to prevent and reduce health inequalities and increase life expectancy for all communities. We will also need to ensure work with partners and key stakeholders is inclusive. As such further analysis/equality analysis may need to be undertaken as part of any decision-making processes and action plans developed to achieve each of the eight priority areas listed in the strategy.

- 11.2 Approved by Yvonne Okiyo, Equalities Manager