

# **Briefing note**

**To:** Health and Social Care Scrutiny Board (5) **Date:** 03 February 2016

Subject: Development of Coventry's Health & Wellbeing Strategy

#### 1 Purpose of the Note

1.1 The purpose of this report is to brief Scrutiny Board 5 on the progress so far on developing Coventry's new Health & Wellbeing Strategy, and to ask for their views on the emerging themes and priorities.

#### 2 Recommendations

- 2.1 Health and Social Care Scrutiny Board is recommended to:
  - Consider the progress made to date on the development of the Health & Wellbeing Strategy and the JSNA process supporting this;
  - 2) Comment on the emerging themes/priorities for inclusion in the strategy

## 3 Information/Background

The current Health & Wellbeing Strategy was adopted in 2012. Since the strategy was developed in 2012, there have been a number of changes including the acceleration of Health and Social Care integration, a smaller public sector and different challenges within communities that mean there is a need to review the strategy, to ensure it is fit for purpose. The peer challenge from the Local Government Association also identified the need to ensure that the strategy mirrors the ambition and scale of challenge outlined in the Marmot agenda and that there is a need to further develop contributions from the voluntary and community sector. In February 2015, the Health & Wellbeing Board agreed the approach to the refresh of the strategy.

- 3.1 The JSNA looks at the current and future health and care needs of the local population to inform and guide the planning and commissioning of health, Wellbeing and social care services within a local authority area. The JSNA should consider the needs arising from all factors that impact of the health and Wellbeing of the local population including economic, education, housing and environmental factors.
- 3.2 National guidance suggests that the refresh of the JSNA should be a process that runs alongside and is linked to the development of the Health and Wellbeing Strategy. This process provides an opportunity for the Board to work together to understand and agree the needs of the local populations, whilst setting priorities for collective action.

## 4 Current Progress

- 4.1 The JSNA process has been co-ordinated through a multi-agency steering group. A wide range of data and information resources have been reviewed to identify the key health and social care issues affecting Coventry residents. This exercise has been largely desk based but has involved a number of stakeholders to this point, to ensure that this is as comprehensive as possible (Appendix 1).
- 4.2 Between August and September 2015, a Stakeholder Call for Evidence was undertaken. The purpose of this was to provide stakeholders with an opportunity to review the evidence collated so far, and to include additional issues for consideration in the JSNA. As part of the Call for Evidence, we received 53 responses from 28 separate organisations. Respondents showed support for the existing topics and identified areas for further consideration.

#### 5 Priorities for Consideration

5.1 Due to the complex, multi-faceted nature of health and Wellbeing, the different issues identified through the review of evidence and call for evidence require consideration as potential priority topics. In order to focus on the areas of 'greatest' need, a more robust, transparent and inclusive means of determining the City's health and wellbeing priorities has been developed. This has involved the use of a prioritisation matrix whereby each of the suggested topics was run through a 'prioritisation framework' and scored against a number of indicators, including the numbers of the population affected, scale of the impact and the economic costs associated with the issue (the prioritisation framework is attached at Appendix 2). The areas that were considered during this process were:

Themes	Issues
Mental health and Wellbeing	Children & adults mental health
	Dementia
	Self-harm
Long-term Conditions	Cancer
	Cardiovascular disease
	COPD
	Diabetes
Physical Wellbeing	Obesity – diet & physical inactivity
	Substance misuse (smoking and alcohol)
Infectious diseases	• HIV
	• TB
	Immunisations
Resilience of health and social care	Admissions to hospital
system	Winter deaths
	Falls prevention
Children and Young people	Teenage parents
	Vulnerable children and young people
	Educational attainment/employment
	opportunities
Economy and Health	Jobs and economy
Housing and Health	Homelessness
	Fuel poverty

5.2 The above areas were shared with the Health & Wellbeing Board at their meeting in October 2015, along with the Marmot Group and Health and Social Care transformation groups. In December the Board agreed that they wanted to hold workshops on a number of key themes to understand what the barriers to achieving good progress were and how partners could work in a different way to deliver better outcomes.

The key themes are as follows:

- Health and social care integration the Board is interested in developing a placebased approach to health which aims to put place, people and outcomes above institutions, sectors and silos
- People affected by multiple/complex needs, specifically, mental health, domestic/sexual violence and substance misuse - the board is interested in how we work together to produce the best health & Wellbeing outcomes for this group
- **Marmot agenda** the Board has reiterated its commitment to the Marmot agenda in the city and that this should retain strong leadership from the board
- 5.3 Workshops on these three areas will take place on the 20<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> January 2016 and involve a range of partner organisations, including the voluntary and community sectors. The outcomes of the workshops will be used to inform the Health & Wellbeing Board's decision on its priorities and be included within the revised Strategy. Following this further work will be done as part of the JSNA around these key themes to support development of action plans under each priority area.

## 6 Next steps: Development of the Health & Wellbeing Strategy

6.1 The timescales for the production of the Health and Wellbeing Strategy are as follows:

What	When
Workshops on key areas	20 <sup>th</sup> / 27 <sup>th</sup> January
Discussion at Health and Wellbeing Board on outcomes from workshops and decision on priorities for future strategy	8 <sup>th</sup> Feb
JSNA finalised and Health and Wellbeing Strategy drafted	March 2016
Consultation on Health and Wellbeing Strategy, including engagement with partners	March 2016
Health and Wellbeing Strategy signed off by Health and Wellbeing Board	11 <sup>th</sup> April 2016

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