Progress Update – Review of Defibrillators

Appendix 1

No.	Recommendation	Responsi bility	Date	Evidence of Progress Presented to Committee on June 2018	Assessme nt of progress June 18 Categories 1-4	Evidence of Progress Presented to Committee on March 2019	Assessment of progress March 2019 Categories 1-4
	That the Council:						
2.	considers opportunities: a) to increase public awareness of the importance of first aid for cardiac arrest, and increase public confidence in the use of CPR and defibrillators; b) to promote increased participation on formal first aid courses within the local community; c) to promote and support the role of Community First Responder	Public Health/ BHWA	March 2019	 Catalyst: presented information and key messages on cardiac arrest, CRP and using defibrillators to the Voice Forum, organisation is interested in training (HeartStart -CPR and defibrillators) further promotion through Catalyst ebullet. Catalyst also agreed to add key message on defibrillators to their First Aid training which is provided 3 times a year to the VCSE sector. Discussion with Cleveland Fire service's to promote and encourage the community to take part in the HeartStart programme. 	2	 Information on CPR and defibrillators circulated via the Better Health at Work Award and Catalyst. Advice and support provided to local resident groups about CPR and defibrillator installation Local groups were encouraged to access/provide CPR awareness and formal first aid training. 6 training sessions on CPR and defibrillator use delivered to SBC staff and councillors in 2018. Further promotion of BHF, CPR and defibrillator video via social media through SBC comms 2 sets of CPR training kits are available at the Public Health Resource Library to support the community 	1

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				There are now 6 Community First Responders (CFR) in Stockton. NEAS is currently not recruiting further CFRs.		and council staff to deliver the CPR awareness training.	
3.	should strongly encourage all schools and colleges to give consideration to including first aid training (including CPR and use of an AED) for all students at an appropriate point in the curriculum;	Public Health/ Schools Network	March 2019	Negotiation with Cleveland Fire Service to lead promotion and training of HeartStart for all secondary schools with a particular focus on Year 8 / 9. The Fire Service is in discussion with local schools.	2	The Cleveland Fire Service will offer the Heartstart programme (CPR and defibrillator) to all secondary schools in Stockton for Year 8/9 pupils in 2019 Further training kits will be funded through SBC	1
4.	a) should, taking into account existing provision, funding opportunities, and good practice as outlined in this review report, install/assist the installation of publicly accessible defibrillators where significant gaps in provision exist b) ensures that first aid training opportunities are integral to this	Public Health/ Ambulanc e Service	Aug 2018	NEAS has recommended a suitable defibrillator model to be purchased and installed outside of Stockton Shambles, Stockton Library and Thornaby Town Centre. These locations were identified as gaps for defibrillator provision.	2	New defibrillators were installed at	1

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	programme			Defibrillators have been purchased (supported by Stockton Town Pastors) and are waiting for installation. See action 2 – training opportunities are integral to this programme.		registered with the ambulance service. • 3 training sessions by ambulance service provided for new defibrillators • Volunteers recruited as Defibrillator guardians	
5.	encourages existing holders of static AEDs to consider how they can be made more accessible to the general public, including conversion to a publicly accessible defibrillator ('cPAD'), in conjunction with North East Ambulance Service	Public Health/ Ambulanc e Service	Aug 2018	Presented at Catalyst Voice Forum to encourage organisations that have a defibrillator to register with NEAS Briefing disseminated to local businesses via the Better Health At Work Award to encourage businesses to offer/ register their defibrillator for public access and to raise awareness for heart disease prevention.	2	Further info published on Catalyst e-bulletin in Spring 2019 to encourage existing defibrillators to be registered with NEAS.	1
6.	encourages existing holders of static AEDs across the Borough to make sure their locations are registered with North East Ambulance Service.	Public Health	March 2019	As above	2	The existing defibrillator at Thornaby Town Centre is now registered with NEAS	1

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