

AGENDA ITEM

REPORT TO HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

26 FEBRUARY 2020

REPORT OF PARTNERSHIP CHAIRS.

HEALTH AND WELLBEING UPDATE

SUMMARY

This report provides a brief overview of discussions at meetings associated with work undertaken by the Adults Health and Wellbeing Partnership and the Children and Young People's Partnership.

RECOMMENDATION

That the report and minutes be noted.

DETAIL

Children and Young People's Partnership – 25 November 2020 - Appendix 1

Oral Health - JSNA

1. Kamini Shah, Consultant in Dental Public Health, Public Health England was in attendance at this meeting, to present the Oral Health JSNA. From a Children and Young People's perspective, the Partnership noted that there were significant oral health inequalities, within the Borough. Public Health England was engaging with schools to improve the current position and the Director of Children Services and Cabinet Member for Children and Young People would facilitate reaching all schools.

Childhood Injuries

2. The Adults Partnership considered and agreed the Childhood Injuries JSNA. It was noted that Stockton on Tees had a higher incidence of childhood injuries than the national average. Partners were assisting in extending the prevention message as widely as possible.

Scoping the Sector Survey 2019

3. Members received a report that provided details of responses to a survey of local VCSE organisations. The report reflected on how the sector had changed since 2014, when the last survey had been undertaken. In summary, the main findings from this survey have shown that the VCSE sector feel well supported by Catalyst, although there are still some areas for improvement such as training needs, accessible forums and meetings, which were being addressed.

Resilience

4. The Partnership held a workshop session to establish how partners worked and could work to build resilience, which was one of the key themes of the Children and Young People's Strategy. Work was on-going to connect all the work being undertaken by partners, into a coherent offer.

Adults Health and Wellbeing Partnership – 27 November 2019 – Appendix 2

Health Inequalities in an Age of Austerity

5. The Partnership received a presentation on a Study into Health Inequalities in the Borough, from Dr Nasima Akhter, of Durham University. The study confirmed a link between an individual's economic circumstances and their life expectancy.

Childhood Injuries

6. The Adults' Partnership considered and agreed the Childhood Injuries JSNA, as there was a families' element to the assessment.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

7. There are no direct financial implications arising from this report.

LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

8. There are no specific legal implications arising from this report.

RISK ASSESSMENT

9. The risks arising from the production of this report can be categorised as low.

CONSULTATION

10. The content of the report reflects discussion at various Health and Wellbeing related meetings.

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