

NORTH WEST LEICESTERSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

CABINET – TUESDAY, 26 MARCH 2024



Title of Report	NORTH WEST LEICESTERSHIRE COMMUNITY HEALTH WELLBEING PLAN 2023-2026	
Presented by	Councillor Michael Wyatt Portfolio Holder for Community and Climate Change PH Briefed <input type="checkbox" value="yes"/>	
Background Papers	Leicestershire Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy	Public Report: Yes
	NWL Health & Wellbeing Strategy	Key Decision: Yes
Financial Implications	There are no financial implications to the Council as involvement in workstreams will be covered under existing roles and capacity. Any funding required to deliver actions/interventions will either be sourced externally or met from existing partners budgets.	
	Signed off by the Section 151 Officer: Yes	
Legal Implications	It is anticipated that delivery of actions or interventions will create no legal implications.	
	Signed off by the Monitoring Officer: Yes	
Staffing and Corporate Implications	It is anticipated to have minimal impact corporately or on staffing as Council staff will attend/support work streams where it is pertinent to their area of work and/or is part of their standard role.	
	Signed off by the Head of Paid Service: Yes	
Purpose of Report	To inform Cabinet on the Integrated Neighbourhood Team Community Health and Wellbeing Plan for North West Leicestershire and to seek approval to adopt the Plan, to allow NWLDC to be a key partner in the delivery of the Plan.	
Reason for Decision	The Integrated Care Board is taking a whole systems approach to improving the health of our residents, and the Council is a key partner in supporting the delivery of this at a local/neighbourhood level. Due to the nature of the services it delivers, the Council can impact health positively through areas such as housing, customer services, planning policy, air quality, physical activity, signposting, and safeguarding, for example.	

	In addition, the Council works with and understands the needs of its residents and is best placed to support with behaviour change as well as being well connected with local organisations and having a good knowledge of the local area, both of which will help to inform and deliver the plan.
Recommendations	<p>THAT CABINET AGREES TO:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. ADOPT THE NORTH WEST LEICESTERSHIRE COMMUNITY HEALTH AND WELLBEING PLAN 2. THE COUNCIL BEING A KEY PARTNER IN THE DELIVERY OF THE NORTH WEST LEICESTERSHIRE COMMUNITY HEALTH AND WELLBEING PLAN.

1.0 BACKGROUND

- 1.1 In 2022 the Leicester, Leicestershire, and Rutland (LLR) Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCG) completed a transformation process, moving away from 3 Clinical Commissioning Groups to one Integrated Care Board (ICB). The ICB is responsible for how NHS monies are spent across LLR.
- 1.2 The ICB, in liaison with local authorities, made the decision to develop Community Health and Wellbeing Plans in each district across Leicestershire with a purpose of improving the health and wellbeing of the population by working in partnership on a local footprint and delivering joined up services.
- 1.3 The development and implementation of the Community Health and Wellbeing Plan (CHWP), which was written by the ICB, is overseen, and governed by the North West Leicestershire Integrated Neighbourhood Team (INT) and Leicestershire Staying Healthy Partnership.
- 1.4 The Integrated Neighbourhood Team brings together multi-disciplinary professionals from different organisations across health and care services. The aim is to deliver more joined up preventative care at a neighbourhood level. By sharing resources and information. The teams can work together more collaboratively to simplify and streamline access to services.
- 1.5 The NWL CHWP complements the NWL Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2018 - 2028 and avoids duplication. The NWL Health and Wellbeing Strategy can be seen in the Background Papers.
- 1.6 For further background information please refer to **Appendix 1**.

2.0 NORTH WEST LEICESTERSHIRE COMMUNITY HEALTH AND WELLBEING PLAN

- 2.1 The NWL Community Health and Wellbeing Plan (CHWP) can be found at **Appendix 2** with a condensed version at **Appendix 3**.
- 2.2 The purpose of the Community Health and Wellbeing Plan is:

1. To understand the local needs concerning health and wellbeing and the variance to England, other areas of the county or across the footprint covered by the CHWP.
 2. To ensure there are plans in place to drive improvement to the health and wellbeing of local populations and to manage any risks to this arising.
 3. To both inform the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy (JHWS) (through identification of local needs) and respond to JHWS priorities at a neighbourhood level.
- 2.3 The CHWP (and local priorities) has been developed in partnership moving through a number of stages. These included: a health needs analysis, stakeholder and public consultation, and consultation with NWLDC elected members. The detail of this process can be found at **Appendix 4**.
- 2.4 An overview of the results of the consultation undertaken and which helped shape the priorities for NWLDC can be found at **Appendix 5**.
- 2.5 The 9 priorities which emerged through the consultation process, and as agreed by the INT, are as follows:
- Cancer prevention (year 1)
 - Hip fracture prevention (year 1)
 - Overweight and obesity (year 1)
 - Mental health (year 1)
 - Breast feeding initiation (year 2)
 - Dementia (year 2)
 - Learning disabilities (year 2)
 - Carers (year 3)
 - Diabetes (year 3)

3.0 IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NWL COMMUNITY HEALTH AND WELLBEING PLAN

- 3.1 Priority action groups have been established for each of the year 1 priorities. Membership of each group is made up of officers and representatives from various organisations who can have a direct impact. The group lead for each priority also varies across organisations as detailed in **Appendix 6**.
- 3.2 Each group is in the process of finalising detailed action plans focussing on their priority, with emerging themes highlighted, as also detailed in **Appendix 6**.
- 3.3 The themes and actions for each priority have been determined using data and workshops including members of the group and wider partners and stakeholders.
- 3.4 A similar process will be followed for year 2 and year 3 priorities.
- 3.5 Long term success would see residents in North West Leicestershire living happy and healthy lives without illness or disease for as long as possible.
- 3.6 To ensure that this plan remains relevant, major review and evaluation points will take place on a three-year cycle. Whilst the priorities selected reflect the current and future need, these may change over the plan period. Due to this, the delivery action plan will be reviewed on an annual basis, prior to moving to the next phase of delivery to ensure the priorities are still right for the population.

3.7 Over the three-year period of this plan, at the end of each 12-month action plan cycle, a review of the data will take place to identify whether there are any areas of significant change in the district. If required, a review of the action plan priorities will take place. An annual summary will be produced at the end of each 12-month cycle.

4.0 RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS

4.1 If supported by Cabinet, as a fully engaged key partner, NWLDC officers that can directly impact on a given priority will be invited to attend relevant working groups. Officers will be expected to contribute to actions where appropriate.

4.2 If supported by Cabinet, officers who have the necessary skills and knowledge may also be invited to lead a priority group.

5.0 NEXT STEPS

5.1 If Cabinet approve the adoption of the NWL Community Health and Wellbeing plan the ICB will then take the plan to the ICB Executive Management Team for approval.

5.2 NWLDC officers, where appropriate will maintain membership or leadership of priority groups and support the delivery of associated action plans.

5.3 Progress on action plans will be reported bi-monthly to the INT.

5.4 Progress, outcomes, and impact will be evaluated and will also be reported back to NWLDC members through the appropriate channels.

Policies and other considerations, as appropriate	
Council Priorities:	Communities and Housing
Policy Considerations:	NWL Health and Wellbeing Strategy
Safeguarding:	None
Equalities/Diversity:	<p>The Community Health and Wellbeing Plan will positively impact on equality and diversity.</p> <p>The plan has been developed, by the ICB, based on several data sets to help determine who is most at risk of health inequalities and poor access to services.</p> <p>Action plans have been developed by priority action groups to target those most at risk to provide better health equity. See appendix</p> <p>The Community Health and Wellbeing Plan follows the NHS Core20 PLUS5 model that aims to tackle health inequality. More information to inform this section can be found by</p>

Customer Impact:	As the result of all agencies involved adopting and supporting the delivery of the plan the impact to the customer may include: Improved health and wellbeing. Reduced health inequalities. Better access to health and screening services. Better support whilst on waiting lists.
Economic and Social Impact:	As the result of all agencies involved adopting and supporting the delivery of the plan the economic and social impact may include: Healthier workforce across NWL. Reduction in sickness absence. Improved productivity and presenteeism. Reduced pressure on NHS services.
Environment, Climate Change and Zero Carbon:	None
Consultation/Community/Tenant Engagement:	Stakeholder, Elected Members and public.
Risks:	Failure to engage with this process could lead to a reputational risk given the positive impact that the Council can have on residents' health and wellbeing.
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