

MIDDLESBROUGH COUNCIL

AGENDA ITEM:

SOUTH TEES HEALTH SCRUTINY JOINT COMMITTEE

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BRIEFING - LIVE WELL SOUTH TEES HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

To: South Tees Joint Scrutiny Committee

Date: 12 July 2019

From: Director of Public Health

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- 1 What is the purpose of the report?
 - 1.1 To brief Members on the Live Well South Tees Health and Wellbeing Board, its vision and priorities and discuss with Members how the Board will interact with the South Tees Health Scrutiny Committee.
2. What is the background to this report?
 - 2.1 Following the joint meeting between Middlesbrough and Redcar & Cleveland's Health and Wellbeing Boards, 22 February 2018, both Middlesbrough Council and Redcar & Cleveland Borough Council have obtained formal approval for the establishment of a single Health and Wellbeing Board for Middlesbrough and Redcar & Cleveland – to be known as the Live Well South Tees Health and Wellbeing Board. Attached at appendix 1 is a copy of the Executive report.
 - 2.2 The first formal meeting of the Live Well South Tees Health and Wellbeing Board in the current municipal year is scheduled for Thursday 26 September 2019 and will meet on a quarterly basis.
 - 2.3 The Board is jointly chaired by the leader of Redcar & Cleveland Council and the Deputy Mayor of Middlesbrough.
 - 2.4 Membership of the Board is summarised below:
 - Leader of Redcar & Cleveland Council,
 - Deputy Mayor of Middlesbrough Council,
 - Chief Executive Middlesbrough Council,
 - Chief Executive Redcar & Cleveland Council,
 - 3 Cabinet Members from Redcar & Cleveland Council,
 - 3 Executive Members from Middlesbrough Council,
 - Nominated Elected Member from Middlesbrough Council,
 - Nominated Elected Member from Redcar & Cleveland Council,

- Chair of NHS South Tees Clinical Commissioning Group (STCCG),
- Chief Officer NHS South Tees Clinical Commissioning Group (STCCG),
- Director Adult Social Care and Health Integration for Middlesbrough,
- Corporate Director for Adults and Communities for Redcar & Cleveland,
- Executive Director of Children's Services for Middlesbrough,
- Corporate Director of Children's Services for Redcar & Cleveland,
- Director of Public Health for Middlesbrough and Redcar & Cleveland,
- Senior representative of the local HealthWatch,
- Chief Executive and Chair of South Tees Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (STHFT),
- Chief Executive and Chair of Tees, Esk and Wear Valley NHS Foundation Trust (TEWV),
- Senior representative on behalf of Middlesbrough and Redcar Voluntary Development Agencies,
- Senior leader on behalf of Coast & Country Housing and Thirteen Housing Group,
- Chief Constable Cleveland Police,
- Chief Fire Officer Cleveland Fire Service

2.5 The vision for the single Health and Wellbeing board is to: Empower the citizens of South Tees to live longer and healthier lives. With a focus on the following areas key themes

- Inequalities – Addressing the underlying causes of inequalities across the local communities,
- Integration and Collaboration – across planning, commissioning and service delivery,
- Information and Data – data sharing, shared evidence, community information, and information given to people.

2.6 The Boards emerging priorities are set out below:

Theme	Priorities
Inequalities - Addressing the underlying causes of inequalities across the local communities, through a coordinated approach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tackling worklessness and underlying health issues, • Housing and health • Tackling poverty, financial inclusion and welfare reforms, • Tackling fuel poverty, • Violence prevention, • Promoting good mental health and emotional wellbeing, • Maximising the benefits of economic development for all communities, • Promoting healthy lifestyles, • Developing resilient communities
Integration and Collaboration - across planning, commissioning and service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Joint decision making – single Health and Wellbeing Board and streamlined partnerships,

delivery,	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Further develop approaches for joint commissioning of health and social care for adults and children as well as joint working with other organisations to address the wider health and well-being challenges, • Develop new models of service delivery models that integrate health, social care, housing, VCS, police and fire service.
Information and Data – data sharing, shared evidence, community information, and information given to people.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop joint understanding of the local challenges through better use of information and intelligence, • Improved use of intelligence to drive planning and service improvements, • Improved arrangements for data sharing and integrated data systems, • Ensuring the local narrative, community information and qualitative information is also considered, • Joined up approaches for sharing information with residents.

The Live Well South Tees Health and Wellbeing met four times in its inaugural area. A summary of its key agenda items and achievements to date are set out below:

- 2.7
- Fully committed to support the implementation of the Sport England Local Delivery Pilot in South Tees and promote increasing physical activity across the population as a key priority for the Board.
 - Considered the local financial challenges, and their impact, across individual organisations and the health and care system as a result the Board lobbied Government Departments in response to national funding to ensure that South Tees receives a fair allocation.
 - Supported the development of a South Tees Health and Social Care Integration Programme based around three themes- delivery, commissioning and intelligence. The Board has a collective willingness to work together to ensure that:
 - We identify innovative solutions and changing models of deliver to ensure there is a difference to people's lives
 - there is a place based model of delivery that will impact on our local communities and raise expectations of local people
 - Avoids cost shunting between organisations, short term measures and cutting of services
 - Organisations are involved in each other's planning processes at an early stage
 - Publicly committed to support the development of the South Tees Arts in

Health movement and promote arts, heritage, and culture as a key priority for the Board and a critical element of a broader consideration of 'wellbeing'.

- Held the Integrated Care System to account for the plans and delivery plans at all the different levels (regional, sub-regional and place based) to ensure the decisions being made lead to improvements in the health of the local population.
- Supported the recommendations set out in the Director of Public Health Annual Report to continue to reduce the inequalities in life expectancy and healthy life expectancy and to ensure the major contributing factors to the decline in life expectancy figures and the widening inequality gaps continue to be addressed. The Board agreed to ensure that local plans reflect a stronger focus on:
 - Wellbeing and healthy life expectancy (quality of life)
 - Primary and secondary prevention
 - Children, young people and families; and
 - Mental health.
- Fulfilled its statutory responsibilities by ensuring :
 - that the Pharmaceutical Needs Assessments for each Local Authority is up to date by maintaining the map of pharmaceutical services, assessing any on-going changes which might impact pharmaceutical need
 - that the Better Care Funds(BCF) for each Local Authority meets the national conditions of the BCF as a mechanism for joint health and social care planning and commissioning, bringing together ring-fenced budgets from Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) allocations, the Disabled Facilities Grant (DFG) and funding paid directly to local government for adult social care services
 - that it is provided with assurance on the delivery of the Council's statutory public health duties regarding health protection
- Actively supported and responded to the work of Healthwatch South Tees. It considered two reports: People's experiences of living with Dementia in Redcar & Cleveland and a focus on hearing loss

3 Engagement with Scrutiny

3.1 Health and Wellbeing Boards are not typical of local authority committees as they were established under separate legislation (Health and Social Care Act 2012).

3.2 The Live Well South Tees Health and Wellbeing Board will prepare an Annual Report to both Council's, Redcar & Cleveland Cabinet and Middlesbrough Executive to provide an update on progress with implementing the work programme to ensure broader political engagement on health and wellbeing. In addition the Chairs of the Live Well South Tees Health and Wellbeing Board will provide regular updates arising from Health and Wellbeing Board to full Council meetings as part of

the Mayor and Council Leader's briefing.

- 3.3 The existing scrutiny and audit arrangements for each Council in respect of oversight of public health, health, social care, community services and children's services will remain. The relevant Committees of each Council responsible for scrutiny and audit will retain the right to inspect any plans, proposals and documents relating to the Live Well South Tees health and well-being board. It is proposed that quarterly updates on progress against the Health and Wellbeing Board's work programme will be provided to the Middlesbrough Overview and Scrutiny Board and to each of Redcar and Cleveland Council's Scrutiny Panels.
- 3.4 It is also proposed that a quarterly update of the Live Well South Tees Health and Wellbeing Board's work programme and performance indicators will be presented to the South Tees Health Scrutiny Panel.
- 3.5 The emerging work programme for the Live Well South Tees Health and Wellbeing Board is attached at appendix 2
- 3.6 The Live Well South Tees Health and Wellbeing Board Performance Framework is also attached at appendix 3 for information. This is due to be presented to the H&WBB in September. Further work is ongoing to cross reference the emerging work programme with the performance framework to identify further areas of improvement and any gaps within Board's work programme.

4 Conclusions and Recommendations

- 4.1 Members are requested to note the arrangements of the Live Well South Tees Health and Wellbeing Board, its emerging priorities and work programme and agree to receive quarterly updates on the Board's work programme and performance indicators.