

Agenda Item 13

DERBYSHIRE HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

1 March 2018

Report of the Strategic Director Adult Care

HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD ROUND-UP REPORT

1. Purpose of the report

To provide the Board with a round-up of key progress in relation to Health and Wellbeing issues and projects not covered elsewhere on the agenda.

2. Round-Up

Reaching out – influencing the wider determinants of health

The New Local Government Network has published a [report](#) which calls for public health to be more fully recognised as contributing to the nation's growth potential. The report finds that:

- While public health teams have integrated well with people focused services in local authorities, there are weaker connections with economic development teams and Local Enterprise Partnerships.
- The new Local Industrial Strategies need to incorporate a much clearer focus on public health as a driver of workforce productivity. To improve their effectiveness, the report recommends that Central Government should invest £65m into Health and Wellbeing board. This money would be used to support a five year upstream prevention programme, which could fund pilots within their area to address the wider determinants of health.
- Central Government should amend legislation to clarify that all public services must have regard to the Joint Strategic Needs Assessment and Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy in their area. This would ensure that Health and Wellbeing Boards, and the strategies they produce, are better positioned to drive action across local systems.

Shooting Up: infections among people who inject drugs in the UK

Public Health England has published a [report](#) which describes the extent of infections among people who inject drugs in the United Kingdom. The report highlights that drug use in the UK is among the highest reported in Western Europe. The report examines how people who inject drugs are vulnerable to a wide range of viral and bacterial infections, which can result in high levels of illness and death.

Active people, healthy places

The Local Government Association has published a [report](#) which discusses how local sport, leisure and physical activity services can help people to live longer, healthier and have happier lives. The report highlights that councils have a critical local leadership role for sport and physical activity in their places. The report further highlights that in the current economic climate, and in the face of national challenges such as high levels of obesity and inactivity and an ageing population, it is more important than ever that councils and their delivery partners demonstrate strong evidence of impact, value for money and service excellence.

Improving lives: the future of work, health and disability

The Department for Work and Pensions and the Department of Health have published a [report](#) which sets out the Government's strategy on the future of work, health and disability. The Government will take action across 3 settings – welfare, the workplace and the health system, to transform employment prospects for disabled people and people with long term health conditions. This also includes the Government's commitment to see one million more disabled people in work over the next 10 years.

A framework for mental health research

The Department of Health has published a [framework](#) which provides a collective view of how mental health research should develop in the UK over the next decade. It sets out a structure to improve co-ordination and strengthen the focus on areas where mental health research is likely to translate into significant health benefit. This document is a response to a recommendation in the Five Year Forward View for Mental Health [report](#) that was published in February 2016 by the independent Mental Health Taskforce.

Mental Health Services for post-16 students in England

This briefing [paper](#) gives an outline of recent studies on the mental health of students, government mental health policy for students, support in further and higher education providers and the legal duties of providers and discusses issues raised. It finds that those aged 16–24 today are more likely than previous generations of the same age to experience mental health issues and the numbers of students reporting mental ill health is increasing. In May 2017, data from the Higher Education Statistics Agency showed that 1,180 students left university in 2014-15 due to mental health problems. This was up from 380 students in 2009/10, a 210% increase in five years.

Health Survey for England 2016

NHS Digital has published [results](#) of the Health Survey for England 2016. The Health Survey for England series was designed to monitor trends in the nation's health; estimating the proportion of people in England who have specified health conditions, and the prevalence of risk factors and behaviours associated with these conditions. Each survey in the series includes core

questions, e.g. about alcohol and smoking, and measurements (such as blood pressure, height and weight, and analysis of blood and saliva samples). Key findings included: 48% of people are now taking prescription drugs, 19% of adults were thought to be suffering mental health problems such as anxiety and depression compared with 15% in 2012 and 66% of men and 57% of women were overweight or obese.

Developing local substance misuse safeguarding protocols

Public Health England has published updated [information](#) and guidance on developing local joint protocols between drug and alcohol services, and children and family services. Local authorities can use this guidance to better support troubled families, and children and young people affected by substance misusing parents or carers. The updated guidance includes local practice examples.

Sexual and reproductive health - time to act

The Royal College of General Practitioners has published a [report](#) which finds that fragmented commissioning practices mean that GPs are increasingly unable to direct patients to the most appropriate sexual health services for their needs. The report argues that there needs to be urgent investment in sexual and reproductive health services in the community, both to protect the health of young people and to ensure progress that has been made over recent years is not reversed.

Accountable care organisations

The House of Commons Library has published a [briefing](#) which looks at the introduction of Accountable Care Organisations (ACOs) in the NHS in England, the development of the ACO policy and comment on its potential impact. An ACO is a model of healthcare organisation where a provider, or group of providers, takes responsibility for the healthcare provision of an entire population. There is no fixed definition of an ACO, but the organisation usually receives an annual, capitated budget to deliver contractually agreed health outcomes.

Health state life expectancies, UK: 2014 to 2016

The Office for National Statistics has published [data](#) which gives local, regional and national estimates of life expectancy and health state life expectancy at birth and age 65 in the UK between 2014 and 2016. Main points include:

- It is estimated that half of newborns in the UK could expect to still be alive at the age of 82.3 years if male and 85.8 years if female; the largest number of deaths for males are expected to occur at age 86.4 years and at age 88.9 for females, if they experience the same mortality rates as were observed in the period 2014-16.
- Over the past 15 years, the most common age at death for males has increased twice as fast compared with females.

- Healthy life expectancy at birth for males was 63.1 years and for females was 63.7 years in 2014 to 2016.
- Healthy life expectancy at birth across local areas of the UK varies by 18 years, while disability-free life expectancy at birth varies by 20 years.
- For females across Derbyshire life expectancy is show to be 82.8 years with a healthy life expectancy of 63.5 years, this ranks the county as 104 out of 215.
- For males across Derbyshire life expectancy is show to be 79.1 years with a healthy life expectancy of 63.9 years, this ranks the county as 81 out of 215.

Public Health grants

The Department of Health and Social Care has published the public health [allocations](#) to local authorities for improving local population health and the conditions for using the money. In the financial year ending 2019, local authorities will receive £3.215 billion public health grant for their public health duties for all ages. Also included in the release is a list of indicative public health allocations for the year 2019-20.

NHS continuing healthcare funding

The Public Accounts Committee has published a [report](#) which examines how NHS continuing healthcare funding is intended to help some of the most vulnerable people in society, who have significant healthcare needs. The report finds that those people that are assessed spend too long waiting to find out if they are eligible for funding, and to receive the essential care that they need. About one-third of assessments in 2015–16 took longer than 28 days. The Department of Health and NHS England recognise that the system is not working as well as it should but are not doing enough to ensure CCGs are meeting their responsibilities, or to address the variation between areas in accessing essential funding.

Teenage pregnancy prevention framework

Public Health England has released [guidance](#) which is aimed at local teenage pregnancy prevention programmes to help young people avoid unplanned pregnancies and develop healthy relationships.

Independent review of the Mental Health Act

The Government has [commissioned](#) a review which will consider and make recommendations on improving legislation and practice around the Mental Health Act. The review was established to look at how the legislation in the Mental Health Act 1983 is used and how practice can improve. The purpose of the review is to understand the reasons for:

- Rising rates of detention under the Act.
- The disproportionate number of people from black and minority ethnic groups detained under the Act.

- Processes that are out of step with a modern mental health care system.

The review will seek the views of service users, carers, relevant professionals, and affected organisations. It will produce a report with recommendations for change in autumn 2018.

Reimagining Community Services

The Kings Fund have released a [report](#) that details the research they have carried out on the current state of community services and to explore how the health and care system needs to change to enable these services to meet the needs of the population now and in the future.

Joint Inquiry Launched On Long-Term Funding Of Adult Social Care

The Communities and Local Government and Health Committees have launched a joint inquiry on the long-term funding and provision of adult social care to feed in to the Government's forthcoming Green Paper. The Government has confirmed its intention to present a Green Paper containing proposals to reform care and support for older people before the summer recess. The inquiry seeks to identify funding reforms that will command broad consensus to allow progress in ensuring the long-term sustainability of both the health and care systems.

Written [submissions](#) are invited on the following by 7 March 2018:

- How to fund social care sustainably for the long term (beyond 2020), bearing in mind in particular the interdependence of the health and social care systems; and
- The mechanism for reaching political and public consensus on a solution.

Notification of Pharmacy Applications

Under the requirements of the National Health Service (Pharmaceutical and Local Pharmaceutical Services) Regulations 2013 the NHS Commissioning Board must notify the HWB of all relevant applications to provide pharmaceutical services, including the relocation of existing pharmacies.

Notification of the following applications has been received:

- Application for inclusion in the pharmaceutical list at best estimate of Retail Parade at junction of Breckland Road and Moorland View Road, Walton, Chesterfield.
- Relocation application from Jayne Hibbard Pharmacy in Darley Dale to move to the new Darley Dale Medical Centre when it has been built.
- From the start of January 2018, PCT Healthcare Limited (trading as Brennan's Pharmacy) in Swadlincote would be open from 8.45am, Monday – Friday.
- Reduction of opening hours at WR Evans Healthcare Ltd (trading as Manor Pharmacy) in Ilkeston. From Friday 5 January 2018 the pharmacy would no longer be open between 6.00pm – 6.30pm on Fridays.

- Reduction of opening hours at PCT Healthcare Ltd (trading as Peak Pharmacy) in Dronfield. From week beginning 16 April 2018 the pharmacy would no longer be open after 6.00pm, Monday - Friday.
- Reduction of opening hours at PCT Healthcare Ltd (trading as Peak Pharmacy) in Chesterfield. From 19 April 2018 the pharmacy would no longer be open after 1.00pm on Saturdays.
- NHS England have granted a change of ownership application for Lloyds Pharmacy Ltd at 53 Bridge Street in Belper by Jhoots Chemist Ltd.
- Reduction of opening hours at Lloyds Pharmacy Ltd at Dronfield Medical Centre. With immediate effect the pharmacy would no longer be open after 4.00pm on Saturdays.

Health and Wellbeing Board Forward Plan

The latest Forward Plan is attached as Annex 1 to this report. Should any Board member wish to add an item to the Forward Plan please contact Sam Critchlow by email at sam.critchlow@derbyshire.gov.uk. Items on the Forward Plan will help inform future Health and Wellbeing Board agendas ensuring a co-ordinated approach to items.

3. BACKGROUND PAPERS

Pharmaceutical notifications are held electronically on file in the Policy and Research Service.

4. RECOMMENDATION

The Health and Wellbeing Board is asked to:

- Note the information contained in this round-up report.

Joy Hollister
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Health and Wellbeing Board – Forward Plan 2017-18

HWB meeting date and venue	Other items	Patient Story	Healthwatch Reports	HWBS implementation			
				Enablers	Keeping people healthy and independent in their own home	Build social capital	Create Health Communities
19 April 2018 10am-Midday Committee Room 1, County Hall	STP update and key messages briefing Health Protection Board Update			Policy Round Up Report and Pharmacy Notifications JSNA and HWBS update HWBS Strategy Development Performance monitoring on HWBS	Carers update Derby and Burton Hospitals update Better Care Closer to Home implementation Outcome of urgent care consultation in Tameside and Glossop		Housing and Health update Arts Derbyshire Sexual Health Strategy implementation update
New municipal year meetings 2018/19			Review of LGBT+ report tabled August 2017				