

Agenda Item 45.

TITLE	Strategy into Action
FOR CONSIDERATION BY	Wokingham Borough Wellbeing Board on 11 th February 2021
WARD	None Specific;
DIRECTOR/ KEY OFFICER	Ingrid Slade, Head of Public Health, Matt Pope, Director of Adult Social Services Wokingham Borough Council

Health and Wellbeing Strategy priority/priorities most progressed through the report	<p>This report addresses all three priorities in the Wellbeing Strategy:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creating Physically Active Communities • Reducing social isolation and loneliness • Narrowing the health inequalities gap
Key outcomes achieved against the Strategy priority/priorities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improved physical health of residents • Creating healthy and resilient communities • Support and collaboration of partners • Those most deprived will enjoy more years in good health • Greater access to health promoting resources

Reason for consideration by Wokingham Borough Wellbeing Board	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Progress updates from three established Strategy into Action Groups: outlined in the accompanying presentation (Appendix A), to deliver on Wellbeing Board objectives. • To invite input, queries and comments from Board members on these Action Groups and progress to date. • To note the summary of progress captured to end of December 2020 (and first weeks of Jan 2021), these short summary reports (Appendix B) will remain in place and until formal reporting is implemented.
What (if any) public engagement has been carried out?	Public Health has engaged with local partners and identified short term measures to deliver on the Board's priorities.
State the financial implications of the decision	None

RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1) Wellbeing Board to review progress updates from three established **Strategy into Action Groups**: outlined in the accompanying presentation (Appendix A), setup to deliver on Wellbeing Board objectives.
- 2) To invite further input, queries and comments from Board members on Action group progress to date.
- 3) To note the summary of progress captured during December 2020 (and first weeks of Jan 2021), these short summary reports (Appendix B) will remain in place and until formal reporting is implemented.

SUMMARY OF REPORT

Background

The Wokingham Wellbeing Strategy was developed in 2018 with three clear priorities to create healthier and more resilient communities. The overarching indicators are mostly based on the Public Health Outcomes Framework, social care and health indicators that are measured regularly. Short term measurable were presented to the Wellbeing Board in August 2020 and the Public Health team have continued to work with key stakeholders; an update of progress to date can be found in Appendix B.

Since the board last met in December the country has entered a third national lockdown, more prolonged than that in November. However, progress has been achieved on the delivery of shared objectives as evidenced in Appendix B.

There are some providers, particularly local leisure services, who have had to pause face-to-face support in accordance with Government guidance. Preparations are being made to resume service delivery in line with expected local restrictions applied via the government's COVID tier system.

The accompanying presentation to this paper (Appendix A) outlines the progress that has been made to date on the establishment of three Action Groups. Despite COVID-19 progress has been made and remains within the original timescales for each of the three priority areas.

To ensure the Board have oversight on the progress, the Board members are specifically asked to:

- 4) To review the progress to date for each of the three Action Groups, as outlined in the accompanying presentation (Appendix A) and the next steps.
- 5) To invite input from Board members on these actions groups and progress to date.
- 6) To note the summary of progress captured during December 2020 (and first weeks of Jan 2021), these short summary reports (Appendix B) will remain in place and until formal reporting is implemented.

Analysis of Issues, including any financial implications

There are no financial implications to the report presented here, however this builds upon the papers presented in August 2020 - outlining how the tier 2 healthy weight programme will be incorporated into the broader work of the physically active communities Action group. This financial commitment for Tier 2 weight management services is a planned cost accounted for in the Public Health budget.

Partner Implications

The success of the Action Groups is dependent on meaningful engagement and support through active membership where appropriate to each partner agency.
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Reasons for considering the report in Part 2

N/A

List of Background Papers

Appendix A – Wellbeing Board Action Group Development Progress Appendix B – Key Priority Areas Summary of Actions Update December 2020

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