

# Health and Wellbeing Draft Strategy

Health and Wellbeing Board

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Wards: All

Locality Affected: All

Parishes Affected: All

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## 1. Purpose and Reasons

- 1.1 This report presents the first draft of the Swindon Health and Wellbeing Strategy (HWS).
- 1.2 The Health and Social Care Act 2012 set out a new vision for the leadership and delivery of public services and supports the principle of local clinical leadership and democratically elected leaders working together to deliver the best health and care services based on the best evidence of local needs.
- 1.3 The Health and Wellbeing Board has a duty to produce a Health and Wellbeing Strategy (Health and Social care Act 2012) informed by the needs of its population outlined in its Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA).
- 1.4 Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCG's), the NHS Commissioning Board (NHS England) and local authorities plans for commissioning services are expected to be informed by the JSNA and HWS.
- 1.5 The CCG must demonstrate that their commissioning plans have taken proper account of the JSNA and HWS and consult on them with the Health and Wellbeing Board. When consulted the Health and Wellbeing Board must give a view, and their final opinion must be included in the CCG's final commissioning plan.

## 2. Recommendations

The Committee is recommended to:

- 2.1 Note the progress in the development of the Swindon Health and Wellbeing Strategy.
  - 2.2 Authorise the Acting Director of Public Health to update the draft strategy taking on board the various feedback and comments from the contributions of the various stakeholders involved in the engagement process to date of developing the strategy
  - 2.3 Authorise the Acting Director of Public Health to launch a consultation on the revised version of the draft Health and Wellbeing Strategy.
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## 3. Detail

- 3.1 The Swindon Health and Wellbeing Strategy will set the overarching framework for health and care commissioning plans across the borough. The Health and Wellbeing Board has a duty to produce a Health and Wellbeing Strategy (Health and Social care Act 2012) informed by the needs of its population outlined in its Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA)
- 3.2 Swindon's Health and Wellbeing draft strategy was commissioned by the Swindon Shadow Health and Wellbeing Board and aims to improve the health and wellbeing of children and adults in the borough and to reduce the health inequalities that exist across our community.
- 3.3 A Health and Wellbeing Strategy development working group was established with membership from the local authority, the shadow CCG, the Swindon LINK and Public Health.
- 3.4 The draft Strategy has been developed informed by the Swindon Joint Strategic Needs Assessment and aligned with the One Swindon priorities, the national and local frameworks and feedback from various stakeholders following a widespread and on-going engagement process.
- 3.5 The vision for the draft strategy was agreed by the Shadow health and Wellbeing Board as ***Everyone in Swindon lives a healthy, safe, fulfilling and independent life and is supported by thriving and connected communities.***
- 3.6 Five outcomes have been identified for the strategy along with a number of related priorities
  - 3.6.1 Every child and young person in Swindon has a healthy start in life
  - 3.6.2 Adults and older people in Swindon are living healthier and more independent lives
  - 3.6.3 Improved health outcomes for disadvantaged communities
  - 3.6.4 Improved mental health, wellbeing and resilience for all
  - 3.6.5 Creation of sustainable environments in which communities can flourish
- 3.7 A revised iteration of the strategy is underway taking on board all the comments and feedback gathered during the engagement process with the intention to have a final version available for public consultation at the end of May.
- 3.8 Following consultation the final version will be presented to the Health and Wellbeing Board for ratification July 2013.

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## 4. Alternative Options

- 4.1 Not to have a further consultation process.

## 5. Implications, Diversity Impact Assessment and Risk Management

### Financial and Procurement Implications

- 5.1 There are no direct financial implications arising from the development of the Health and Wellbeing Strategy.
- 5.2 The Health and Wellbeing Strategy will have strategic influence over commissioning decisions across health, public health and social care. It will strengthen democratic legitimacy through the involvement of democratically elected representatives and patient representatives in commissioning decisions alongside commissioners across health and social care.

### Legal and Human Rights Implications

- 5.3 Legal and Human rights have been taken fully into account in compiling this report. It is considered that the recommendations within this report are compatible with Convention Rights.
- 5.4 In consideration of any future guidance and an understanding of best practice from elsewhere, the council will work with the NHS and other partners in order to ensure that equalities and a respect for human rights are at the heart of the development of the Swindon Health and Wellbeing Strategy and that everyone in Swindon has fair access to services and are free from discrimination

### All Other Implications (including Staff, Sustainability, Health, Rural, Crime and Disorder)

- 5.5 The Health and Wellbeing Strategy provides opportunity to improve the health outcomes of the people of Swindon and reduce health inequalities that exist across Swindon.
- 5.6 There should be no significant staffing or other implications arising from this report

### Links to One Swindon, Strategic Objectives, Plans and Policies

- 5.7 The Health and Wellbeing Strategy will align with and contribute to the delivery of One Swindon and the SBC Corporate objectives.

### Diversity Impact Assessment

- 5.8 A Diversity Impact Assessment has been completed for the Health and Wellbeing Strategy and is available on request.

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## Risk Management

5.9 No specific risks identified at this stage for this report.

## **6. Consultees**

6.1 The Board Director Finance, Revenues, Benefits and Property (Section 151 Officer) and Director of Law and Democratic Services (Monitoring Officer) are consulted in respect of all reports.

## **7. Background Papers**

7.1 Health and Social Care Act 2012

7.2 The Swindon JSNA

## **8. Appendices**

8.1 Appendix One. Swindon's Draft Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2013 - 2016