

Subject: Care Act 2014

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Purpose of bringing this report to the Board	
Decision	
Recommendation to Full Council	
Endorsement	
Information	√

Implications		Applicable Yes/No
DHWB Strategy Areas of Focus	Alcohol	√
	Mental Health & Dementia	√
	Obesity	√
	Family	√
	Personal Responsibility	√
Joint Strategic Needs Assessment		√
Finance		√
Legal		√
Equalities		√
Other Implications (please list)		Integration

How will this contribute to improving health and wellbeing in Doncaster?
<p>The Care Act enshrines in law a social care system that is based on the core principle of well-being meaning that for example; assessments will be required to take account of the impact of a persons need on their well-being, there is a duty to provide information and advice that allows people to make informed choices about services they access in order to improve their well-being, a duty to provide preventative services to reduce the or delay the onset of greater needs and a duty to integrate to improve well-being.</p>

Recommendations

The Board is asked to:-

- Note the content of the briefing and in particular the key principles and duties of Part 1 of the Care Act 2014
- Note the progress made locally and consider areas where the Health and Well Being Board can facilitate successful implementation in the short, medium and longer term
- Note the launch of the consultation on the draft guidance and consider whether the Board wishes to make a response
- Agree to receive further progress updates on local implementation of the Act.