

**Subject:** Team Doncaster Strategic Partnership Update

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<b>Purpose of bringing this report to the Board</b>	
Decision	
Recommendation to Full Council	
Endorsement	
Information	X

<b>Implications</b>		<b>Applicable Yes/No</b>
DHWB Strategy Areas of Focus	Alcohol	Yes
	Mental Health & Dementia	Yes
	Obesity	Yes
	Family	Yes
	Personal Responsibility	Yes
Joint Strategic Needs Assessment		Yes
Finance		No
Legal		No
Equalities		No
Other Implications (please list) Communications and cross partnership working		Yes

<b>How will this contribute to improving health and wellbeing in Doncaster?</b>
The aim of this note is to raise awareness of the information contained in the Team Doncaster website ( <a href="http://www.teamdoncaster.org.uk">www.teamdoncaster.org.uk</a> ), which consists of a summary of the work and priorities of the Partnership and each of its Theme Boards. It also includes links to the Borough Strategy Refresh 2014, Partnership Charter and diagram of the core Partnership Structure.

<b>Recommendations</b>
The Board is asked to:  Note the information contained in the Team Doncaster website and consider if there is any further information it wishes to be included either in the Health & Wellbeing or any of the other sections.

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**To the Chair and Members of the  
HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD**

**TEAM DONCASTER PARTNERSHIP UPDATE – BRIEFING NOTE**

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

1. The purpose of this briefing note is to raise awareness of the information contained in the Team Doncaster website ([www.teamdoncaster.org.uk](http://www.teamdoncaster.org.uk)), which consists of a summary of the work and priorities of the Partnership and each of its Theme Boards. It also highlights the progress in publishing the Borough Strategy Refresh 2014 and the Partnership Charter.

**RECOMMENDATION**

2. The Board is recommended to note the range of information contained within the Team Doncaster website and consider whether there is any further information that it wishes to be included, either in the Health & Wellbeing or any of the other sections.

**UPDATE**

3. A review of the Team Doncaster partnership working arrangements, emphasised improvements were needed to the communication tools that were being used to support the dissemination of priorities, performance and best practice. This resulted in a systematic refresh of the website ([www.teamdoncaster.org.uk](http://www.teamdoncaster.org.uk)), which was launched at the Partnership Summit in November 2014. A Twitter account ([twitter.com/teamdoncaster1](https://twitter.com/teamdoncaster1)) and Blog ([www.teamdoncaster.blogspot.co.uk](http://www.teamdoncaster.blogspot.co.uk)) have also been set up. The success of these greatly depends on the quality and how regularly the information is updated and the frequency of use of the other tools. Please note though, the use of digital methods of communication should be seen as complimentary to traditional and other forms of communication.
4. The layout of the website reflects that of the Team Doncaster [partnership structure](#), with sections for each of the four Theme Boards and their sub-groups. Each section contains details of who is on the boards, current priorities and meeting schedule. The website also has a link to the [Data Observatory](#), which has an extensive range of demographic data and community profiles for Doncaster. Team Doncaster has also carried out and published the [Borough Strategy Refresh 2014](#) and agreed a [Partnership Charter](#), which will strengthen governance arrangements and help create a great sense of shared ambition of partner agencies from all sectors across Doncaster.

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