



Doncaster Council

Agenda

To all Members of the

HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

Notice is given that a Meeting of the Health and Wellbeing Board is to be held as follows:

Venue Microsoft Teams - Virtual Meeting

Date: Thursday, 12th November, 2020

Time: 9.00 a.m.

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Chief Executive

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Items for consideration:	Time/ Lead
1. Welcome, introductions and apologies for absence.	2 mins (Chair)
2. Chair's Announcements.	5 mins (Chair)
3. To consider the extent, if any, to which the public and press are to be excluded from the meeting.	1 min (Chair)
4. Public questions.	15 mins (Chair)
(A period not exceeding 15 minutes for questions from members of the public.)	
5. Declarations of Interest, if any.	1 min (Chair)
6. Minutes of the Meeting of the Health and Wellbeing Board held on 3rd September, 2020. (Attached – pages 1 – 6)	3 min (Chair)
7. Direct Impacts of COVID-19. (Presentation/Cover sheet attached – pages 7 - 8)	10 mins (Dr Rupert Suckling)
8. Update on Borough Strategy Development. (Presentation/Cover sheet attached – pages 9 – 10)	15 mins (Allan Wiltshire)
9. Place Digital Strategy - Digital Inclusion. (Presentation/Cover sheet attached – pages 11 – 12)	30 mins (Katie Dowson)
10. Update on Dance On Programme. (Presentation/Cover sheet attached – pages 13 – 14)	25 mins (Lucy Robertshaw/ Laura Britten)
11. Impact of Parental Alcohol Misuse on Children. (Presentation/Cover sheet attached – pages 15 – 16)	25 mins (Andy Collins)
12. Community-led Health and Wealth. (Presentation/Cover sheet attached – pages 17 – 18)	25 mins (Vanessa Powell- Hoyland/ Cath Witherington)

Date/time of next meeting: Thursday, 14 January 2021 at 9.00 a.m.

Health and Wellbeing Board Membership

Name	Job Title
Cllr Rachael Blake (Chair)	Portfolio Holder for Adult Social Care
Dr David Crichton (Vice-Chair)	Chair of Doncaster Clinical Commissioning Group
Cllr Nigel Ball	Portfolio Holder for Public Health, Leisure & Culture
Dr Rupert Suckling	Director of Public Health, Doncaster Council
Kathryn Singh	Chief Executive RDaSH
Steve Shore	Chair of Healthwatch Doncaster
Karen Curran	Head of Co-Commissioning, NHS England (Yorkshire & Humber)
Richard Parker	Chief Executive of Doncaster and Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
Jackie Pederson	Chief Officer DCCG
Phil Holmes	Director of Adults, Health & Wellbeing, Doncaster Council
Riana Nelson	Director of Learning, Opportunities & Skills, Doncaster Council
Cllr Nuala Fennelly	Portfolio Holder for Children, Young People and Schools
Cllr Cynthia Ransome	Conservative Group Representative
Chief Superintendent Melanie Palin	District Commander for Doncaster, South Yorkshire Police
Shayne Tottie	District Manager, South Yorkshire Fire and Rescue
James Thomas	Chief Executive of Doncaster Children's Services Trust
Dan Swaine	Director of Economy & Environment, Doncaster Council
Dave Richmond	Chief Executive, St Leger Homes
Laura Sherburn	Chief Executive, Primary Care Doncaster
Lucy Robertshaw	Health and Social Care Forum Representative
Cath Witherington	Chief Executive, Voluntary Action Doncaster

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Agenda Item 6

DONCASTER METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL

HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

THURSDAY, 3RD SEPTEMBER, 2020

A MEETING of the HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD was held via MICROSOFT TEAMS - VIRTUAL MEETING on THURSDAY, 3RD SEPTEMBER, 2020, at 9.00 am.

PRESENT:

Chair - Councillor Rachael Blake

Vice-Chair - Dr David Crichton

Councillor Nigel Ball	Portfolio Holder for Public Health, Leisure and Culture
Councillor Nuala Fennelly	Portfolio Holder for Children, Young People & Schools
Councillor Cynthia Ransome	DMMC Elected Member
Karen Barnard	Doncaster & Bassetlaw Teaching Hospital Trust (Substituting for Richard Parker)
Steve Shore	Chair of Healthwatch Doncaster
James Thomas	Chief Executive, Doncaster Children's Services Trust
Lucy Robertshaw	Assistant Director, Darts
Louise Robson	Public Health Lead, Doncaster Council
Dr Rupert Suckling	Director of Public Health, Doncaster Council
Kathryn Singh	Chief Executive Rotherham, Doncaster and South Humber NHS Foundation Trust
Jackie Pederson	Chief Officer, Doncaster Clinical Commissioning Group
Paul Tanney	Chief Executive, St Leger Homes of Doncaster
Shane Tottie	District Manager, South Yorkshire Fire & Rescue

Also in Attendance:

Allan Wiltshire

Head of Policy, Performance & Intelligence

1 WELCOME, INTRODUCTIONS AND APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Richard Parker, Jackie Pedersen, Peter Dale, Phil Holmes and Riana Nelson.

2 CHAIR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Chair reported that whilst there were no official announcements, she would like to take the moment to pay tribute to the hard work of key workers throughout this time, and commented that she was proud to be a part of the amazing effort in Doncaster that had been undertaken to combat the effects of the Covid-19 pandemic.

3 PUBLIC QUESTIONS

There were no public questions at the meeting.

4 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST, IF ANY

There were no declarations made at the meeting.

5 MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD HELD ON 12TH MARCH, 2020

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Health and Well Being Board held on 12th March, 2020, be approved as a true record.

6 DIRECT IMPACTS OF COVID-19

Members received a presentation from the Director of Public Health, Dr Rupert Suckling, which gave an overview regarding the current situation in terms of Covid-19, and the impact it has had on the communities in Doncaster and the actions being taken to address it.

The past twelve months in Doncaster had been without doubt tumultuous, starting with the floods in November, followed then by the emergence of the Covid1-19 Pandemic in the New Year. Following the World Health Organisation's announcement of the virus at the end of 2019 when it first emerged in Wuhan, China, it was not until February 2020, that it became a much greater concern in the UK, with cases quickly escalating in number, leading to the National Lockdown of the country on 23 March 2020. A Pandemic Plan had been quickly activated to react to the virus, and following the lockdown, people across Doncaster began new ways of working, with all services being offered and accessed very differently to enable people to stay home and stay safe.

The Fight Back Fund was introduced, which looked to provide grants to these struggling across the Borough and new structures were quickly put into place across the Authority with the Civil Contingency Plan activated in order to allow the majority of all decision making to be made by the Chief Executive.

In September 2020, the Covid-19 Engagement Board was established that looked to engage with different partners working to support all communities across the Borough as well as engaging with the public to ensure they were kept abreast of activity.

The Board noted that the lockdown had appeared to have had an effect with numbers falling since the peak in April, when at its height, there were 100 people in Acute Care and 7 people in ICU. There had been careful monitoring of activity in care homes and prisons and whilst in April there had been 20 care homes all with cases in, now this was considerably calmer. In fact, Dr suckling reported, that even since lockdown restrictions had eased numbers of cases across the borough had continued to fall and as of the meetings date, there had been a month with no deaths in Doncaster, of which so far there had been 278.

The outlook in Doncaster was at the current point was positive, and whilst it as anticipated it would get worse throughout the winter when various respiratory illnesses traditionally struck, it was hopeful that it would remain under control.

Many additional concerns had arisen because of Covid-19 and the associated lockdown with the following highlighted as concerns: -

- Concerns surrounding mental health as a result of stress and isolation
- The cancellation of a large amount of hospital appointments, screenings and appointments

- Direct impacts of the virus on various groups as a result of issues such as gender, race and deprivation

However, despite concerns there had also been positive points to draw from the last 6 months and which would be pushed further moving forward: -

- GPs doing video and telephone calls, providing greater accessibility
- More services provided to the home where needed
- Doncaster had managed the pandemic in the Borough well, and whilst it had not disappeared, it was being well managed
- Good relationships had been formed across all partner agencies to work well together
- The community effort was huge, with many vulnerable and isolated individuals receiving great support and help from their local communities

Members of the Board noted the presentation and were invited to make any comments. There was consensus across the Board that in these unprecedented times, it was testament to the key workers, Elected Members, and members of the public across all communities of the Borough how far the town had come in such a short space of time and had responded well to the challenge.

Testing, it was noted, continued to be one of the biggest challenges faced, but there was capacity, with sites at Doncaster Airport and Dearne Valley and it was hoped that this would improve further as time went on with the introduction of new faster testing.

Members acknowledged the challenges ahead as they moved into the Winter and with schools going back, there could be additional problems with mental health as a result of the social isolation that had been experienced over the past 6 months and it was expected that the demand on mental health services would be one of the greatest moving forward.

RESOLVED that the Board note the presentation by the Director of Public Health.

7 PARTNER RESPONSES AND PLANS TO COVID-19

The Chair reported prior to the meeting, Members of the Board had been asked to consider items of importance for discussion and information that they would bring to the meeting in terms of where they were currently with their key priorities and action points. This would raise awareness of all the work being done by all the different partner agencies and highlight any areas for further discussion.

Members were invited one by one, to outline to the rest of the Board, what issues were pertinent in their areas at the current time and what challenges had arisen as a result of Covid-19. The following points were raised:-

- Backlog of services in medical settings as well as Council services with many procedures delayed or cancelled and services suspended which were now moving towards a greater sense of normality;
- All services within the hospital as of now, were now back up and running although some had been modified greatly with fewer patients seen as a result of reduced capacities, extra cleaning and the need for PPE.

- The changes to ways of working had been very positive with so much more processes being done digitally
- All services commented that they were preparing for what could be a very tough winter ahead and it was important that the workforce was resilient and well rested and prepared;
- It was important that staff were well supported throughout the pandemic, in terms of mental, emotional and physical well-being and it was more important than ever that they were supported moving forward;
- Questions and discussions were ongoing as to how to support more vulnerable staff;
- Flexible working would be a much bigger part of the working world moving forward and it was good to see people had adapted and embraced new ways of working;
- Mental Health issues, continued across all agencies, to be a huge area of concern and supporting that moving forward would be a huge challenge;
- In terms of the third sector, concern was voiced for BAME community and the support needed there, and it was very difficult at times to provide the support that many of the community and voluntary groups needed in terms of staffing and rising costs in a very uncertain time when more support was needed than ever;
- All partners across the emergency services were working well and providing support across the board where needed to ensure the processes and procedures were as seamless as possible;
- In terms of children and families, it was noted that this had increased demand, with a lot of referrals received throughout, but the Trust was working closely with schools and were reacting well to all situations that were presented in terms of different ways of working;
- With regard to ST Leger Homes, Members heard that to a large degree it had continued to be 'Business as Usual' with maintenance and repairs continuing, and additionally had provided a lot of support to the community hub in the early days of the pandemic.
- One key point that was particularly positive to note, was that with regard to the Homeless in Doncaster and Members were informed that St Leger Homes had worked to ensure that they had managed to offer a bed to every rough sleeper at the start of lockdown;

All partners reported positives as well as ongoing challenges, and it had been a steep learning curve for all, with the end by no means in sight but it was positive to see how all services had pulled together for the good of the Borough. Elected Members thanked other board members for their efforts throughout the pandemic, and there was the consensus amongst them that during these unprecedented times, people had worked exceptionally hard, going above and beyond, pulling together to work through this. A foundation was now in place to deal with this moving forward and it was hoped that this would be beneficial in the continued efforts against Covid-19.

Members also commented that they had been overwhelmed by the support of the public during this time, with time volunteered, donations made and support given and thanks was given for the heartfelt response by everyone.

RESOLVED that the comments made be noted.

8 INDIRECT IMPACTS OF COVID-19 AND WIDER RECOVERY
PLANNING/BOROUGH STRATEGY

Allan Wiltshire, Head of Policy and Performance gave a presentation to the Board with regard to the impacts of Covid-19 and how any emerging themes or points would affect the Borough Strategy that was currently being drafted.

The first point touched on during the presentation, referred to the indirect impacts of covid-19, and how this would affect the communities in the Borough long term. One of these for example was poverty with many inequalities widening further than previously. There were some positives however, with the environmental benefit of less traffic on the road as a result of so many people working digitally. Some of these impacts may seem small but when looked at alongside others would start to have effect.

Moving forward, Officers reported it was now important to look towards the future and the wider recovery for the Borough. This looked at how the Council would respond to the crisis and what could they build on that had already started. Looking at the Mayor's 10 Point Plan as a starting point, there was a lot of work already established that would be utilised moving forward. Taking plans from the wider region and sub region, there would be different areas of focus to ensure that resources were in place where needed and the vulnerable were well supported. It was a huge project moving forward and many streams of work that needed building.

In terms of the Delivery, it was important to address all the impacts of Covid-19, ensure that the Council was responding to any issues, and bring all aspects into one place. It was important that the focus was agile and able to react quickly in order to deliver the results needed in order to deliver the plan.

Officers also touched on the Emerging Borough Strategy which would also look to tie in aspects of the impact of Covid-19 and how it was shaping the Doncaster Growing Together Plan. Members noted that it was important to produce a sustainable plan that created achievable goals. A lot of good work was being done to create the foundation for long term work, and a number of themes for the plan were starting to emerge with the following points highlighted as key priorities:-

- Cleaner and Greener communities
- Connected places
- Safe communities
- Healthy and caring
- Inclusive lifelong learning

The Board felt the plans for the Strategy were very comprehensive, and felt it was important that the financial impact of Covid-19 was strongly emphasised, as it would take a long time to recover from this. Members added that the economic strain would affect all organisations and partnerships and it was important that they were realistic moving forward as to what could be achieved.

A discussion continued with a number of points raised that officers noted for moving forward, with the following noted:-

- The input of third sector groups and their representation and the importance of widening this on the Board moving forward. With regard to this, it was felt that further benefit would be added to the Board with an additional representative, Cath Witherington, to be co-opted from the Voluntary and Community Sector ;
- Ward Member Budgets and how area focus could be more greatly supported;
- How funding mechanisms may change moving forward;
- Where the DGTP and Borough Strategy would sit alongside the Health and Well-Being Plan

Members acknowledged there was a lot of work to do moving forward, and a number of discussions would continue outside the remit of the Health and Well Being Board.

RESOLVED that the presentation be noted.

9 ITEMS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS

Further to the presentations received, and the issues that had presented themselves the Board had a brief discussion with regard to items for consideration at future meetings.

RESOLVED that the following items be considered at future meetings of the Health and Well Being Board:-

- Digital Inclusion
- The Voluntary Sector
- Dance On

10 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

RESOLVED that the next meeting of the Health and Wellbeing Board be held on Thursday, 12 November, via Microsoft Teams at 9.00 am.

CHAIR: _____

DATE: _____



Doncaster Council

Doncaster
Health and Wellbeing Board

Date: 12 November 2020

Subject: Direct Impacts of COVID-19

Presented by: Dr Rupert Suckling

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

Implications		Applicable Yes/No
DHW Strategy Areas of Focus	Substance Misuse (Drugs and Alcohol)	X
	Mental Health	x
	Dementia	X
	Obesity	x
	Children and Families	x
Joint Strategic Needs Assessment		x
Finance		x
Legal		
Equalities		X
Other Implications (please list)		x

How will this contribute to improving health and wellbeing in Doncaster?
The purpose of this presentation is to provide an update of the direct health impacts of COVID-19 in Doncaster and the steps taken to address them.

Recommendations
The Board is asked to:- NOTE the presentation.

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Doncaster Council

Doncaster
Health and Wellbeing Board

Date: 12 November 2020

Subject: Update on Borough Strategy Development

Presented by: Allan Wiltshire

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

Implications		Applicable Yes/No
DHW Strategy Areas of Focus	Substance Misuse (Drugs and Alcohol)	X
	Mental Health	x
	Dementia	X
	Obesity	x
	Children and Families	x
Joint Strategic Needs Assessment		x
Finance		x
Legal		
Equalities		x
Other Implications (please list) – Policy Implications		x

How will this contribute to improving health and wellbeing in Doncaster?
The purpose of this presentation is to provide an update on the development of our Borough Strategy, our long-term plan for the Borough.

Recommendations
The Board is asked to:-
NOTE the presentation and comment upon the emerging thoughts on the Borough Strategy.

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Doncaster Council

Doncaster
Health and Wellbeing Board

Date: 12/11/2020

Subject: Place Digital Strategy – Digital Inclusion

Presented by: Katie Dowson

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

Implications		Applicable Yes/No
DHWB Strategy Areas of Focus	Substance Misuse (Drugs and Alcohol)	Yes
	Mental Health	Yes
	Dementia	Yes
	Obesity	Yes
	Children and Families	Yes
Joint Strategic Needs Assessment		No
Finance		No
Legal		No
Equalities		No
Other Implications (please list)		

How will this contribute to improving health and wellbeing in Doncaster?
<p>As we implement our digital strategy, we want all Doncaster people to benefit from having faster and simplified access to our services as well as key information about their health and wellbeing.</p> <p>Digital transformation without a plan for digital inclusion will very likely increase inequality:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Directly by putting additional barriers to equal access to our health & care services and information; <p style="padding-left: 40px;">And;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indirectly through social and wider determinants of health where individuals might not have access to technologies or have the skills or confidence to use digital methods.

By having a plan for digital inclusion, we will minimise this risk and continue to strive to promote equality through the health and care services we offer to Doncaster people.

We recognise that we have a diverse population who may not have access or have intermittent access to technologies or they might lack the skills, confidence or motivation to utilise the digital services we offer. We want to address this to enable Doncaster people to get access to the right service, support and information they need.

Our immediate plans to get a better understanding of the cohorts where we need to focus support and encouraging new programmes to think about their inclusivity will help to ensure we avoid widening the gap in inequality. We will also be working with partners across SY&B ICS to explore digital exclusion, drivers and barriers for change and how we can move forward with inclusive digital transformation schemes on a wider scale.

We are keen not to exclude anyone and as we implement our strategy and will consider how we can be as digitally inclusive as possible.

Recommendations

The Board is asked to:-

Note the immediate plans for digital inclusion across Doncaster, as part of the delivery of the Place Digital Strategy, with a view for an update in the next 6-12 months.



Doncaster Council

Doncaster
Health and Wellbeing Board

Date: 12/11/2020

Subject: Update on Dance On Programme

Presented by: Lucy Robertshaw and Laura Britten

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

Implications		Applicable Yes/No
DHWB Strategy Areas of Focus	Substance Misuse (Drugs and Alcohol)	No
	Mental Health	Yes
	Dementia	Yes
	Obesity	No
	Children and Families	No
Joint Strategic Needs Assessment		No
Finance		No
Legal		No
Equalities		No
Other Implications (please list)		Falls prevention

How will this contribute to improving health and wellbeing in Doncaster?
<p>Please view the following short films prior to the board meeting as they give a good overview of the Dance On programme:</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hsCZKN4WVQY&feature=youtu.be – Dance On short film</p> <p>https://youtu.be/wVbaVDGdKRc - Dance On: The Point</p> <p>https://youtu.be/52Pi7Rcuybc - Dance On: Bessacarr</p> <p>https://youtu.be/BWlY0DtSj1w - Dance On: Edlington</p> <p>The Dance On programme is a multidisciplinary team project (One Dance UK, Doncaster Community Arts, Yorkshire Dance, University of Leeds), which offers weekly dance sessions to older adults from socio-economically disadvantaged communities across Yorkshire. Dance On has engaged over 700 older adults, predominantly women (194 in Bradford, 294 in Doncaster, 213 in Leeds) and despite the COVID-19 pandemic continues to engage older adults with an online offer. The research element of</p>

the project (which will be presented to the board) has shown that the Dance On programme can lead to improvements in physical activity levels, balance and mobility, subjective wellbeing and a reduction in the fear of falling. The health economics analysis has also shown that the Dance On programme is cost effective.

Recommendations

The Board is asked to:-

Consider further support for the Dance On programme across Doncaster.



Doncaster Council

**Doncaster
Health and Wellbeing Board**

Date: 12 November 2020

Subject: Impact of parental alcohol misuse on children

Presented by: Andy Collins Public Health

Purpose of bringing this report to the Board: To gain partnership awareness and support for a joint piece of work by Public Health and Huddersfield University to look at Doncaster's response to parental alcohol misuse on children and facilitate changes to practice if appropriate.

Decision	
Recommendation to Full Council	
Endorsement	x
Information	

Implications	Applicable Yes/No	
DHWB Strategy Areas of Focus	Substance Misuse (Drugs and Alcohol)	x
	Mental Health	x
	Dementia	
	Obesity	
	Children and Families	x
Joint Strategic Needs Assessment		
Finance		
Legal		
Equalities		
Other Implications (please list)		

How will this contribute to improving health and wellbeing in Doncaster?

The impact of parental alcohol misuse on children is far reaching not only in the short term but long term development health and wellbeing. Estimates show that there could be over 800 children living in a household where a parent is a dependent drinker in Doncaster. This piece of work with Huddersfield University and the planned workshops will critically reflect on how services identify and respond to parental alcohol misuse and make recommendations for change.

Recommendations

The Board is asked to support this piece of work across the Doncaster partnership as initial attempts to do this from just Public Health have proved difficult.



Doncaster Council

Doncaster
Health and Wellbeing Board

Date: 12 November 2020

Subject: Community led Health and Wealth

Presented by: Vanessa Powell-hoyland

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

Implications		Applicable Yes/No
DHWB Strategy Areas of Focus	Substance Misuse (Drugs and Alcohol)	
	Mental Health	x
	Dementia	
	Obesity	x
	Children and Families	x
Joint Strategic Needs Assessment		
Finance		
Legal		
Equalities		
Other Implications (please list)		

How will this contribute to improving health and wellbeing in Doncaster?
Update to be included are on the Voluntary Action Doncaster, Social Isolation Alliance, strategic commissioning, the VCS sector and Anchor institution work as part of the community wealth builder programme.

Recommendations
The Board is asked to note the community led health and wealth work.

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