



# Doncaster Council

**Doncaster  
Health and Wellbeing Board**

**Date: 10 March 2022**

**Subject:** Pathways to research excellence: developing a Health Determinants Research Collaboration (HDRC) for sustainable and applied research in Doncaster

**Presented by:** Susan Hampshaw

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

<b>Implications</b>		<b>Applicable Yes/No</b>
DHWB 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		
Legal		
Equalities		x
Other Implications (please list)		

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

The Health and Well-Being Board sponsors research across Doncaster. Doncaster Council submitted an Expression of Interest to the National Institute for Health Research Public Health Research Programme to host a HDRC. We have now been invited alongside several other places to submit a Stage 2 application. This presentation will describe our proposed collaboration, as it stands, and in particular focus on how becoming a more research active place will accelerate our progress to improve health and well-being and tackle inequalities.

<b>Recommendations</b>
The Board is asked to:-Take note of this presentation and endorse the outlined approach.