

HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD: 7 JANUARY 2016

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH AND CARE INTEGRATION

HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD ANNUAL REPORT 2015

Purpose of report

1. The purpose of this report is to look back at the past year (2015) for the Health and Wellbeing Board (HWB) and to reflect on the progress that has been made. The focus throughout the report is the progress that has been made across the partnership to improve the health and wellbeing of the population of Leicestershire.

Policy Framework and Previous Decisions

2. The HWB received an annual report in March 2014 and an update to the JHWS in February 2015. This report builds on these two documents to update members on the progress that has been made in 2015.

Background

3. The report provides an update on the following key themes:
 - a. An update on the progress made by the Health and Wellbeing Board (HWB) in terms of implementing the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy (JHWS).
 - b. An overview of some of the achievements and outcomes that have been delivered by the HWB in 2015, including those supported by the Better Care Fund pooled budget.
 - c. An update from Healthwatch Leicestershire on the progress that is being made to meet the needs of the people of Leicestershire and how their insights have contributed to the work of the HWB during 2015.
 - d. A look ahead to 2016 which will involve the first phase of delivery of the Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland wide Better Care Together Strategy, the refresh of the Leicestershire Better Care Fund and the refresh of the Leicestershire HWB JHWS.

Consultation/Patient and Public Involvement

4. The report reflects on the ways that Healthwatch Leicestershire have worked with the Health and Wellbeing Board to ensure that the views of patients and the public are considered appropriately by the Board.

Conclusions/Recommendations

5. It is recommended that the Health and Wellbeing Board:
 - a. Approve the Health and Wellbeing Board Annual Report for publication;
 - b. Note the progress that has been made by the Board in 2015; and

- c. Support the key work streams that have been identified to further progress the impact of the HWB in 2015.

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