

Ashford Health and Wellbeing Partnership Priorities

Priorities 2019/20

Recommendations

1. That the Ashford Health and Wellbeing Board (AHWB) agree the Ashford Health and Wellbeing Partnership's (AHWP) priorities for 2019/20.
2. That the AHWB agrees the action plans to deliver against the identified priorities (please see Appendix 1).
3. That the AHWB notes the delivery mechanisms being established in order to progress the action plans.

Background Information

4. The AHWB has recently reviewed its focus and related governance, and has refreshed its approach in light of this.
5. At the last meeting, the AHWB discussed the following new priorities:
 - **Inequalities** - focus is annually reviewed based on Public Health England and other relevant data
 - **Infrastructure** – ensuring we are able to bring care as close to home as possible and that we have a high calibre, fully functioning health workforce
 - **Innovation** – including continually improving our flagship One You service offer

Key Issues

6. Officers and partners have developed three new action plans based on the agreed priorities as outlined above.

Approach

7. The action plans each have a lead (who will chair the sub group meetings, drive delivery and report to the AHWP) and a sponsor (who will champion the work within the partnership and across systems). The leads and sponsors will attend the main meetings of the AHWP – although as non-voting members where they are not otherwise contained in the membership of the terms of reference.

Inequalities

8. The smoking and obesity task group will shift focus and become the inequalities sub group. A new terms of reference has been written for the new sub group, including revised membership. The sub group has met and agreed this. The inequalities action plan has been developed in partnership by the sub group.

Innovation

9. Conversations have taken place between officers and the nominated sponsors for this activity. Priority areas for focus have been discussed and are reflected in the draft action plan.

10. A sub group will be set up to drive delivery of this action plan and a terms of reference will be written accordingly.

Infrastructure

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General

13. Key to note is that some of the activity contained within the action plans will require a resource commitment in order for them to progress.
14. Performance against the action plans will be reviewed at the sub groups and collated by the community safety and wellbeing manager, Ashford Borough Council to ensure oversight of the full health and wellbeing programme.
15. Performance against the action plans will be reported at every AHWP meeting by exception, with a detailed performance report received annually. This will be embedded as part of the timetabling of future meetings of the AHWP and the surrounding partnership / governance structure.

Next steps

16. Officers will continue to develop the new sub groups and related governance, based on the approval of the AHWB.
17. Meetings will be set up for 2019/20, in line with the developed timelines (please see appendix 2).

AUDIT TRAIL	
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