

Item No. 9	Classification: Open	Date: 17 November 2022	Meeting Name: Health and Wellbeing Board
Report title:		Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2022 – 2027 (Executive Summary and Action Plan)	
Ward(s) or groups affected:		All	
From:		Sangeeta Leah - Director of Public Health (Southwark)	

RECOMMENDATION(S)

1. The Southwark Health and Wellbeing Board is asked to adopt the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy Executive Summary and Action Plan as set out in Appendix 1.
2. The Board is asked to agree that the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2022-2027 is published as a final version.
3. The Board is asked to agree that, as local health and care system plans are established and embedded, the Board receives an update on the Joint Health & Wellbeing Strategy, and any refinement that may be required.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

4. A draft Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy was presented to the Board in July 2022.
5. The Board agreed five 'Drive' areas that will be the focus of the strategy delivery:
 - Drive 1 – A whole-family approach to giving children the best start in life
 - Drive 2 – Healthy employment across the health and wellbeing economy and good health for working age adults
 - Drive 3 – Early identification and support to stay well
 - Drive 4 – Strong and connected communities
 - Drive 5 – Integration of health and social care
6. The Board requested that the actions within the strategy were further developed and revised actions returned to the Board in November for approval.
7. The Public Health team have worked closely with partners to revise the strategy action plan following the Board's request.

KEY ISSUES FOR CONSIDERATION

8. The action plan as set out at Appendix 1 is structured around the five 'Drive' areas previously agreed by the Board and sets out key actions that will be delivered over the next two years.
9. The action plan will support the Board in monitoring the delivery of the strategy and changes to the health of Southwark's population. The action plan includes milestones or measures that demonstrate progress against each specific action. Population health measures have also been included that can demonstrate improvements over time for Southwark as a whole, and changes in inequalities within the borough. These population health measures, with baseline measures for Southwark and London, have been included as an Outcomes Framework in Appendix 2. Work is taking place with Cordis Bright to develop a shared outcomes framework for Partnership Southwark.
10. Partnership Southwark Delivery Executive will be responsible for delivery of the action plan. Six-monthly progress reports will be presented to the Health and Wellbeing Board, co-ordinated by Public Health. Public Health will work with Partnership Southwark Delivery Executive to ensure these progress updates are presented together with updates on the local Health and Care plan.
11. The action plan will be updated to ensure it continues to reflect current priorities. This will be reviewed by the Board regularly, as part of the progress updates.

Policy framework implications

12. There is a statutory responsibility for the Board to produce a Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy that addresses the needs and improves the health of our population.
13. Each local place in South East London is required to develop a local Health and Care Plan, as mandated by South East London ICB. In Southwark, it has been agreed by Partnership Southwark Strategic Board that this will align with the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy and the action plan.
14. On approval, the action plan will be provided to colleagues developing the South East London Integrated Care Strategy to ensure local priorities are fed into these system wide priorities.

Community, equalities (including socio-economic) and health impacts

Community impact statement

15. The action plan includes a section around strong and connected communities, focused on collaboration and co-design, accessibility of

services to marginalised groups and reducing social isolation and loneliness. These actions reflect what people have said are important to them during community engagement which has helped to shape the strategy.

16. Community empowerment and co-production is a key principle underpinning the strategy as set out in the executive summary, and delivery of the action plan should ensure that communities are a key part of driving change.

Equalities (including socio-economic) impact statement

17. The strategy aims to tackle health inequalities that lead to differences in health and life expectancy within the borough. The strategy takes a community and place focus, which involves providing additional support to the population groups that have the poorest outcomes and focusing on the most disadvantaged neighbourhoods in Southwark.

Health impact statement

18. The action plan is focused on improving health through five key areas. Actions taken will be monitored through progress updates to the Board, and changes in population health will be monitored through the outcomes framework.

Climate change implications

19. A principle in the strategy is that sustainability and tackling climate change should be an integral part of protecting and improving health. This should be taken into account in delivery of the action plan.

Resource implications

20. Officer time in each organisation will be required to support the delivery of the action plan.
21. Any new projects/initiatives that arise through the action plan that require additional or reallocation of funding would need to be considered through the appropriate budget, monitoring and governance processes.

Legal implications

22. The strategy and action plan fulfil one of the Board's statutory duties to prepare and publish a Joint Health & Wellbeing Strategy.

Financial implications

23. Any financial decisions that relate to the delivery of the action plan will be taken separately and through the relevant partner governance mechanisms.

Consultation

24. The Strategy has already been shaped by extensive community engagement, including listening and engagement exercises conducted through Southwark Stands Together, South London Listens and the 'Understanding Southwark' research. In addition, community researchers have worked with the Public Health team and colleagues in Partnership Southwark to identify opportunities to work with local communities in driving health improvements and strengthening community engagement.

SUPPLEMENTARY ADVICE FROM OTHER OFFICERS

Director of Law and Governance

25. None sought.

Strategic Director of Finance and Governance

26. None sought.

Other officers

27. None sought.

BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

Background Papers	Held At	Contact
Southwark JSNA Annual Report	Public Health / Southwark Council	Chris Williamson
https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/health-and-wellbeing-in-southwark-jsna/southwark-profile		

APPENDICES

No.	Title
Appendix 1	Southwark Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy – Executive Summary and Action Plan
Appendix 2	Southwark Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy – Outcomes Framework

AUDIT TRAIL

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Director of Law and Governance	No	No
Strategic Director of Finance and Governance	No	No
Cabinet Member	Yes	Yes
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