

# Agenda Item 6

<p><b>Name of decision-maker</b></p> <p>Healthier Communities and Older People (HCOP) Scrutiny Panel</p>	<p><b>DATE</b></p> <p>5<sup>th</sup> September 2024</p>
<p><b>REPORT/DECISION TITLE</b></p> <p>Report of the Health and Wellbeing Board 2023-24</p>	<p><b>WARD(S)</b></p>
<p><b>CHIEF OFFICER</b></p> <p>Russell Styles, Director of Public Health</p> <p>Signed.....</p> <p>Date:</p> <p><i>[Print name and position if the decision is being taken by an individual]</i></p>	<p><b>CABINET/LEAD MEMBER</b></p> <p>Cllr Peter McCabe, Cabinet Member for Health and Social Care</p> <p>Signed.....</p> <p>Date:</p> <p><i>[Print name and position if the decision is being taken by an individual]</i></p>
<p><b>DECISION CLASSIFICATION</b></p> <p><i>Non Key</i></p>	<p><b>IS THE FINAL DECISION ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS IN THIS REPORT TO BE MADE AT THIS MEETING?</b></p> <p>Yes</p>

**1 Recommendations:**

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The Healthier Communities and Older People Panel note the report of the Health and Wellbeing Board for 2023-24 including:

- A. The ongoing statutory governance role of the Health and Wellbeing Board, and its collaborative integrated work, as part of evolving health and social care governance structures.
  - B. Updates on the Joint Strategic Needs Assessment / Merton Story 2024/25 and Annual Public Health Report.
  - C. The approach to the next Merton Health and Wellbeing Strategy, covering 2025 to 2030, that will take a Marmot approach.
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## **2 Purpose of Report and Executive Summary**

- 2.1 This report sets out key aspects of the work of Merton Health and Wellbeing Board (HWBB) in 2023 and 2024. It includes the ongoing collaborative role of the statutory HWBB in the health and care governance structures, following the Health and Care Act 2022, including South West London (SWL) Integrated Care System (ICS) with its SWL Integrated Care Board (ICB), SWL Integrated Care Partnership (ICP) and place-based committees, including the Merton Health and Care Together (MHCT) committee.

It also provides an update on the Merton Story 2024/5 that will be considered by the HWBB in November 2024 and details of the Annual Public Health Report 2024/25 that is the subject of a separate report to this Panel in November 2024.

Finally, this report provides an update on the approach to the next Merton Health and Wellbeing Strategy, covering the period 2025 to 2030.

## **3 Links to the Merton Priorities (Borough of Sport/Civic Pride/Sustainable Futures)**

- 3.1 This report relates to the Council's Strategic priorities as follows:

- **Nurturing Civic Pride**

The actions and work of the HWBB continue to help Merton to become a fairer, more equal and inclusive place. To take this further it is incumbent on the Health and Wellbeing Board to develop a strategy for tackling inequalities and disadvantage across the borough, and supporting those who are most in need, as outlined in section 4.6.

The place-based partnerships that are supported by the HWBB also help to develop a community level understanding and appreciation of the needs of some of the most vulnerable residents and allows for focused action to address the health and wellbeing of people living in Merton.

- **Building a Sustainable Future**

Several of the Council's strategic priorities in this area relate directly to the work of the HWBB and in particular the proposed approach to the new Health and Wellbeing Strategy that takes a Marmot approach. The work of the HWBB is delivered through effective partnerships which look to address health inequalities, increase active travel, improve air quality, support residents from low pay jobs into good well-paid jobs and ensure fair access to quality health care.

- **Borough of Sport**

An ongoing focus for the MHCT is Actively Merton, the partnership initiative promoting both physical and social activity across Merton as major preventative intervention, aligning closely to the key council priority of the development of Merton as a Borough of Sport. The HWBB is committed to supporting positive actions and enabling partnership engagement with the priorities.

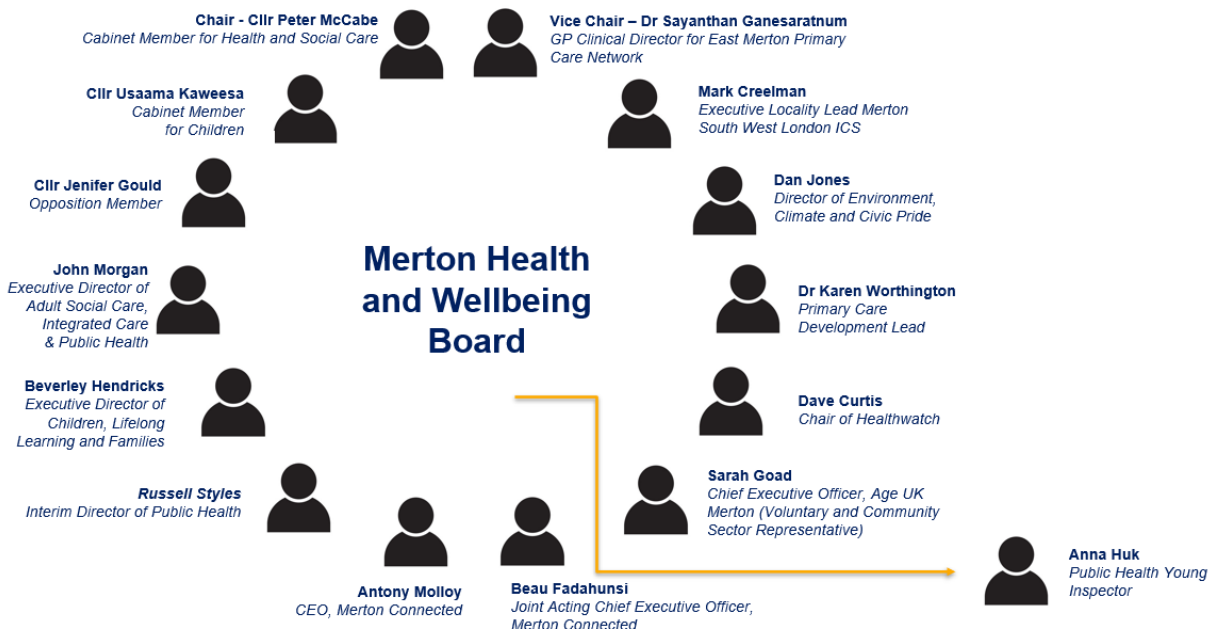
## 4 Introduction and Background

### 4.1 Health and Wellbeing Board

Merton Health and Wellbeing Board (HWBB) is a statutory partnership that provides the overall vision, oversight and direction for health and wellbeing broadly in the Borough of Merton. Health and Wellbeing boards (HWBBs) have been a key mechanism for driving joined up working at a local level since they were established in 2013.

The board includes local Councillors, Senior Officers and Directors from London Borough of Merton (LBM) and NHS South West London Integrated Care Board (ICB), GPs, a Young Inspector and community leaders working together as system leaders to shape a healthy place and health and care services (Figure 1). It is Chaired by Councillor Peter McCabe, Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care, Integrated Care and Public Health.

**Figure 1: Membership of Merton Health and Wellbeing Board (June 2024)**



**Table 1: HWBB purpose and ways of working**

Purpose	Principles and ways of working
<p>A statutory board working in partnership - providing strategic leadership, to improve health and wellbeing and reduce health inequalities.</p> <p>It brings together local Councillors, GPs and community representatives supported by officers, as system leaders to shape a healthy place and health and care services.</p>	<p>Underpinning everything that we do:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tackling health inequalities</li> <li>• Prevention and early intervention</li> <li>• Health in All Policies approach</li> <li>• Community engagement and empowerment</li> <li>• Experimenting and learning</li> <li>• Think Family</li> </ul>

Whilst the HWBB continues to consider the lasting impact of COVID-19 on Merton’s communities, it has renewed its focus on creating the conditions for people to thrive, including the social determinants of health and environmental sustainability, together with access to and delivery of holistic integrated health and care services.

The board has been focused on delivering the refreshed Health in All Policies (HiAP) framework that was approved by the Board in 2022 and is committed to combined consideration of health and wellbeing, sustainability, and equity in all of its work and through the next Merton Health and Wellbeing Strategy moving forwards (see section 4.6).

## 4.2 Health and Wellbeing Board Governance

The HWBB sits within a wider system of health and wellbeing governance, and has established collaborative ways of working with the NHS South West London ICB and specifically the Merton with the Merton Health and Care Together (MHCT) Committee alongside the Merton Health and Care Together (MHCT) Partnership.

The Health and Care Act 2022 introduced new architecture to the health and care system, specifically the establishment of integrated care boards (ICBs) and integrated care partnerships (ICPs).

In this new landscape, HWBBs continue to play an important statutory role in instilling mechanisms for joint working across health and care organisations and setting strategic direction to improve the health and wellbeing of people locally.

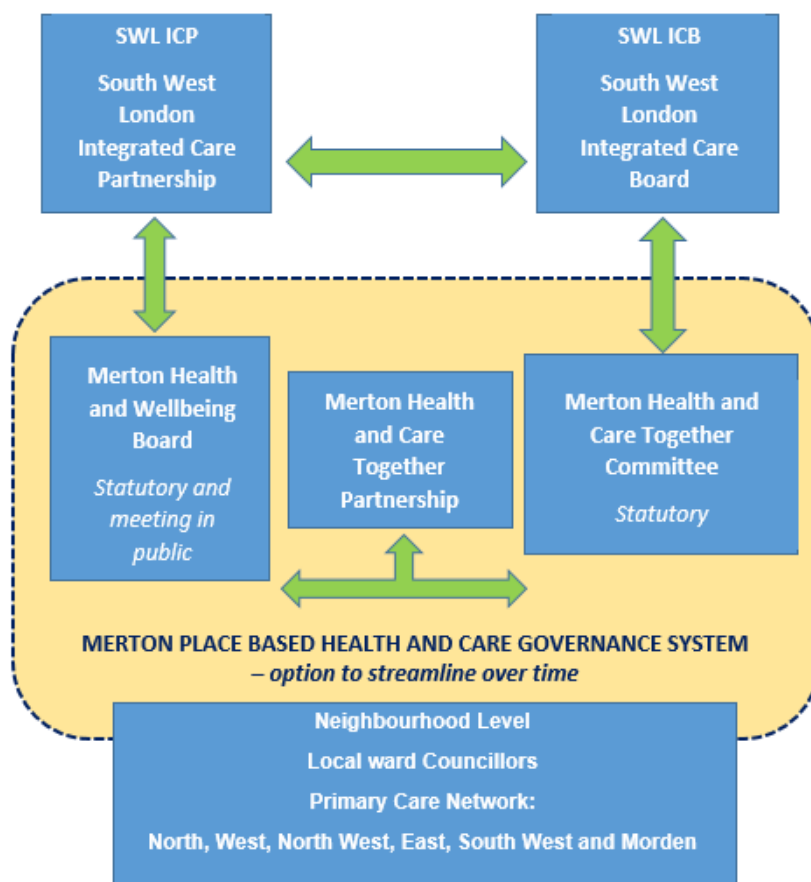
The Health and Care Act 2022 also amended section 116A of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007, renamed 'joint health and wellbeing strategies' to 'joint local health and wellbeing strategies' and replaced references to 'clinical commissioning groups' with 'integrated care boards'. While the Health and Social Care Act 2012 requires Local Authorities to take appropriate steps to improve the health of their population.

Health and wellbeing boards continue to be responsible for the development of joint strategic needs assessments and joint local health and wellbeing strategies. However, they must now have regard to the integrated care strategy when preparing their joint local health and wellbeing strategies in addition to having regard to the NHS Mandate and this guidance, as previously<sup>1</sup>.

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<sup>1</sup> <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/jsnas-and-ihws-statutory-guidance>

Figure 2 – Regional and Local Governance of Health and Wellbeing (March 2023)



There has been significant change within the ICBs in the last 12-18 months and this has had some impact on the ways of working, all parties remain committed to ensuring that ways of working are complementary and actions are taken in a way that best covers the breadth of health and wellbeing in the borough and to avoid duplication.

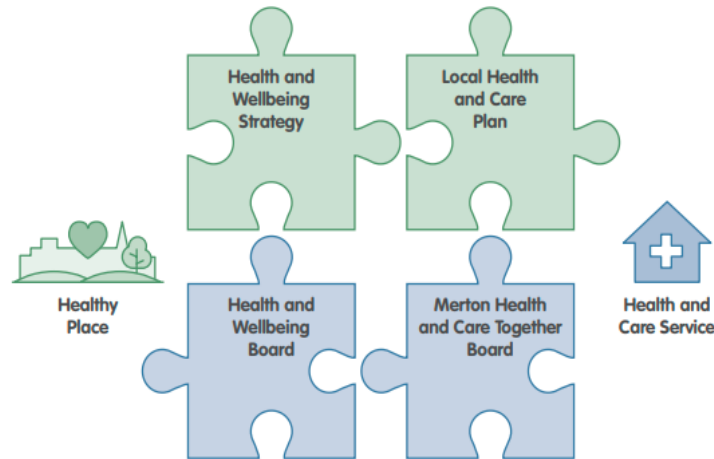
At SWL level, the ICB published its [Joint Forward Plan 2023-2028](#) in June 2023 and the ICP produced the [SWL ICP Strategy 2023-2028](#) in July 2023. Input and discussion were gathered from the HWBB and wider Merton teams to align strategic priorities, and to particularly consider actions to tackle health inequalities wherever possible.

Merton Health and Care Together Partnership (MHCT) is a partnership between the Council, the NHS and wider partners including providers of care and acute hospitals. Its plans for holistic integrated health and care services, prevention and health inequalities are set out in [Merton Health and Care Plan 2022-24](#).

MHCT is part of the wider London Health and Care Partnership (LHCP) and the final evaluation report of 2022-24 LHCP is due to be delivered in August 2024. Following that the new LHCP will be launched in September 2024. Similarly, the local health and care plan, led by the MHCT is due to be refreshed in the coming months.

The HWBB will continue to work closely with the MHCT Committee and Partnership on collaborative ways of working to deliver the best and most efficient outcomes for Merton residents, and to explore opportunities for closer integration of the linked strategies and plans.

**Figure 3 – Relationship between Health and Wellbeing Strategy and Local Health and Care Plan**



#### **4.3 Overview of topics discussed at HWBB 2023/24**

The role of the Health and Wellbeing Board (HWBB) is to deliver local leadership, to improve health outcomes for residents, providing the overall vision, oversight and strategic direction for health and wellbeing.

Appendix A details the Forward Plan for the HWBB and a summary of topics covered at the HWBB 2023/2024.

#### **4.4 Joint Strategic Needs Assessment / Merton Story 2024/25**

The Merton Story is an annual high-level assessment of Merton’s population providing a snapshot of the local health and care needs and priorities of residents including Merton as a place to live and work. The Merton Story forms part of the Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (which is a statutory requirement) owned by the Merton Health and Wellbeing Board and is led by the public health team, with contributions from other council departments, health, and wider partners.

There is ongoing work in progress to complete The Merton Story 2024/25 which will consist of a series of sub chapters, automated data dashboards to support the information in the sub chapters and a Merton Story summary infographic. Key issues for analysis are identified in the Merton Story using publicly available data from the public health outcomes framework, Office of health improvement and disparities.

The completed Merton Story 2024/25 is due to be brought to the Health and Wellbeing Board in November 2024.

## 4.5 Annual Public Health Report

The Annual Report is a collaborative publication to provide advice and recommendations on population health to both professionals and the public. It provides an opportunity by which the Director of Public Health (DPH) can identify key issues and inform stakeholders of priorities, and to recommend actions to improve and protect the health of the communities they serve.

In 2024/25 the Annual Public Health Report is focussed on addressing, through partnership action, the harm caused by alcohol and other drugs (Tackling Drugs Together). It sets out the impact of alcohol and drug use (both nationally and in Merton), highlights emerging trends and harms and covers the three domains of the national drug strategy: breaking supply chains, delivering world class treatment, and achieving a generational shift for demand.

The report provides an overview of the governance structure for Tackling Drugs Together in Merton, which is led by the Combating Substance Misuse Partnership (CSMP) - the name of which will be reviewed in response to Merton's commitment to tackling discrimination, animosity, and enmity towards people with alcohol and other drug problems. The CSMP reports jointly into the Community Safety Partnership and the Health and Wellbeing Board. Reporting into the CSMP are the forums where the strategic decisions made by the CSMP are operationalised e.g. the multi-agency Young Peoples Substance Misuse Group and the Treatment and Recovery Group.

The annual report shines a light on the impact that alcohol and other drugs have on individuals and communities across Merton. It also draws attention to several emerging trends and harms, and outlines Merton's response to these.

The final report will be provided to the Healthier Communities and Older People Scrutiny Panel in November 2024.

## 4.6 A new Health and Wellbeing Strategy approach for 2025-2030

It is a statutory requirement for each HWBB to produce a joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy. Merton has been on a 'tackling inequalities journey' with the current [Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2019-2024](#)<sup>2</sup> having a key focus on creating a healthy place for healthy lives and the wider determinants of health (Figure 4) including the air we breathe, our schools, workplaces, homes, food, transport and relationships with friends and family – and the impact they have on our health. This was in line with the report on Health Equity in England: [Marmot Review 10 Years On published in 2020](#)<sup>3</sup>,

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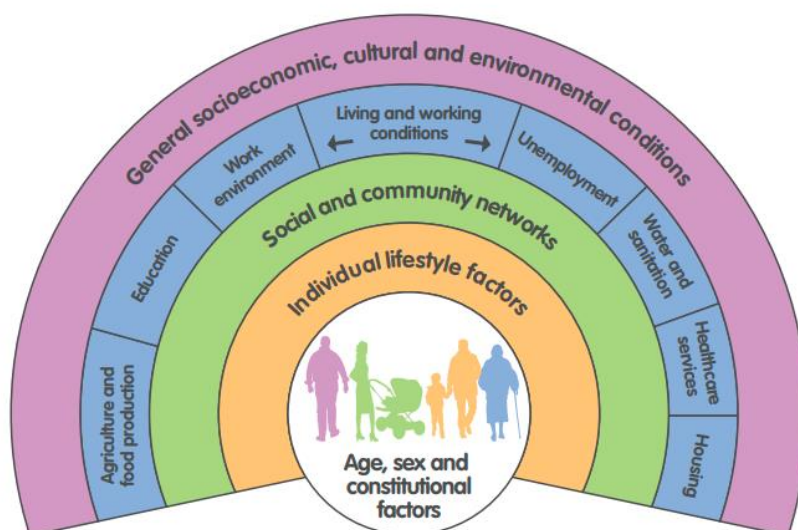
<sup>2</sup> [Merton Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2019-24 A Healthy Place for Healthy Lives](#)

<sup>3</sup> [Health Equity in England: Marmot Review 10 Years On, 2020](#)



and enabled a focus on tackling health inequalities as one of the key principles underpinning the Board's work.

Figure 4 – Wider determinants of health Source: Dahlgren & Whitehead, 1991



It is important to ensure the Health and Wellbeing Strategy remains up to date and is based on the most relevant and important issues for the borough.

Merton's current Health and Wellbeing Strategy was published in 2019, covering 2019-2024. Since then, the health and wellbeing and the health and care system in Merton, like many other places, have seen important changes. One of these key changes in the health and care system is the implementation of the Health and Care Act 2022. In addition, the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic and the cost-of-living crisis have had an impact on the health and wellbeing of local people.

Using a similar partnership approach that was taken for the current Health and Wellbeing Strategy, the new strategy will take a Marmot Approach by focussing on the established [eight principles from the Institute of Health Equity](#) that encourage local action on the main social determinants of health in places, these are:

1. Give every child the best start in life.
2. Enable all children, young people, and adults to maximise their capabilities and have control over their lives.
3. Create fair employment and good work for all.
4. Ensure a healthy standard of living for all.
5. Create and develop healthy and sustainable places and communities.
6. Strengthen the role and impact of ill health prevention.
7. Tackle racism, discrimination, and their outcomes.
8. Pursue environmental sustainability and health equity together.

[Marmot Places](#) have emerged in England and are founded on taking action on the 'Marmot Eight' principles. Based on these eight principles, Marmot Places develop

and deliver interventions and policies to improve health equity; embed health equity approaches in local systems and take a long-term, whole-system approach to improving health equity.

Marmot Places commit to improving health equity over the short, medium, and long term by:

- Developing and delivering approaches, interventions, and policies to improve health equity.
- Strengthening their health equity systems.
- Involving communities in the identification of the drivers of poor health and in the design and implementation of actions to reduce them.
- Broadening advocacy on health equity and engaging with other Marmot Places to share knowledge, roll out best practice alongside partners in local regions and nationally.

The new strategy will be developed in conjunction with the Merton Health and Care Together Board, including voluntary, community partners and residents, to ensure these two key strategies are complementary and are developed in a way to best cover the breadth of health and wellbeing in the borough and to avoid duplication. The governance arrangements for the two interlinked strategies will be reviewed as part of the development process.

Taking this approach, LBM will be outlining a long-term commitment to tackling health inequalities within the borough and working with patients, residents, community staff and planning teams. It would have full oversight of the Health and Wellbeing Board. It will also act as a steppingstone to eventually consider under the auspices of the Change Programme Board a fuller commitment to Merton becoming a recognised Marmot Place.

This recommended approach will give the best opportunity for LBM to work in collaboration with key partners from the HWBB and across the health and wider community to maximise the impact on the health and wellbeing of those living in Merton. It will also enable us to work with and learn from other local regions who are implementing Marmot approaches and advocate for health equity.

The full paper on the approach to the new Merton Health and Wellbeing Strategy will be discussed at the Health and Wellbeing Board on 2<sup>nd</sup> October and at the Leaders Strategy Group on 21<sup>st</sup> October.

## **5 Available Options**

- 5.1** The Health and Wellbeing Board is a statutory partnership under the Health and Social Care Act 2012 with a statutory duty to produce an annual Joint Strategic Needs Assessment and a joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy. This report is for information and to update the HOSC Scrutiny Panel on the work of the HWBB over the last 18 months.

## **6 Preferred Option**

The HWBB will continue to work to prioritise actions and encourage partnerships that focus on improving the health and wellbeing of all people living in Merton. Actions such as the Merton Story, Annual Public Health Report and the redevelopment of the Merton Health and Wellbeing Strategy all enable us to work towards these goals.

As a key aspect of development of the Health and Wellbeing Strategy, it is recommended that as well as reports on progress to the Health and Wellbeing Board and Merton Health and Care Together, progress is also reported into the LBM Change Programme Board. This would continue throughout the development and implementation cycle of the new strategy.

## **7 Reasons for Recommendations**

- 7.1** The Health and Wellbeing Board is a statutory partnership under the Health and Social Care Act 2012 with a statutory duty to produce an annual Joint Strategic Needs Assessment and a joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy.

A refreshed Health and Wellbeing Strategy for 2025-2030 developed around the eight Marmot principles will guide interventions and the decisions and actions of the HWBB but will also provide a framework for wider council activity to be planned and benchmarked against, thus ensuring health inequalities are considered and tackled at every opportunity.

## **8 Consultation Results**

The work and actions outlined within this report will be discussed with members of the Health and Wellbeing Board. External partners have also been engaged in the development of the Annual Public Health Report. The approach to the new Health and Wellbeing Strategy is due to be discussed, input gathered and endorsement of the approach sought at the Board at the next meeting being held on 2<sup>nd</sup> October. Consultation will also be undertaken with the ICB and Merton Health and Care Together Partnership and Board, and wider partners, to ensure the alignment of strategies and priorities.

A thorough and planned programme of engagement will be undertaken, allowing the opportunity to reach all the key people, at the right time and in the right way. This would involve providing accessible and innovative ways for people to feed in, being especially considerate of hard-to-reach groups and working within the community and with community partners to enable community voices are heard.

Effective engagement will help us to reach the shared commitment that is needed for the strategy and ensure we can agree action plans and focussed delivery models. Then, at the point of completion this engagement will ensure all necessary partners and interested parties are bought in and supportive of the strategy – and that it is adopted and promoted as necessary.

## 9 Next Steps & Timetable: Communication and Implementation of the Decision

At its meeting on 2<sup>nd</sup> October the Health and Wellbeing Board will consider the Annual Public Health Report and the proposed approach to the next Merton Health and Wellbeing Strategy. HWBB members will discuss the approach and ways to add value through partnerships at place as well as learning from previous experience with the current strategy. Both reports will be considered by the LSG meeting on 21<sup>st</sup> October 2024.

It is envisaged that the new Health and Wellbeing Strategy will be presented back the HWBB in March 2025.

The Merton Story will be tabled for discussion at the HWBB meeting on 12<sup>th</sup> November where the key messages and insights will be presented.

The Health and Wellbeing Board reports annually to the Healthier Communities and Older People Scrutiny Panel.

## 10 Report Appendices

10.1 The following documents are to be published with and form part of the report:

**Appendix A** - Forward Plan for the HWBB and a summary of topics covered at the HWBB 2019-2024

## 11 Background Papers

These are referenced within the report.

## 12 Cross-Cutting Issues and Implications and Sign-Off

Issue	Implications	Sign-off
<b>Legal</b> including Human Rights Act	<p>Legal responsibilities have been set out herein. The Health and Wellbeing Board is a statutory partnership under the Health and Social Care Act 2012.</p> <p>The Health and Care Act 2022 has a duty for Local Authorities to produce 'joint local health and wellbeing strategies'.</p> <p>LBM and NHS colleagues have a statutory obligation to pay due regard to addressing health inequalities in the residents and patients they serve.</p> <p>The Health and Social Care Act 2012 requires Local Authorities to take appropriate</p>	Matthew Blackwell, Senior Lawyer, 19/08/2024

Issue	Implications	Sign-off
	<p>steps to improve the health of their population.</p> <p>The Public Health Grant terms state that Local Authorities have regard to the addressing the need to reduce health inequalities.</p>	
<b>Finance</b> and other resources	<p>The Health and Wellbeing Board is a statutory partnership under the Health and Social Care Act 2012, with minimal ongoing financial implications.</p> <p>The consultation and development of a new Strategy will require appropriate resourcing, which has been identified.</p> <p>Successfully addressing health inequalities will bring overall financial benefit in terms of increased productivity and reduced need for public services.</p>	<p>Lana Hamilton Service Financial Adviser 21/08/24</p> <p>(Comments are not mine)</p>
<b>Equalities</b>	<p>The Health and Wellbeing Board is focused on reducing inequalities and encouraging action that contributes to tackling the social determinants of health which in turn cause further inequalities.</p> <p>In particular, the outlined approach of making a commitment to a Marmot approach for the next Health and Wellbeing Strategy, would show a long-term commitment to tackling health inequalities within the borough and would achieve compliance with the Equality Act, 2010</p> <p>The work of the HWBB will continue involve engaging with patients, residents, and community staff across all groups within Merton. The goal is to look at ways in which variation and inequalities in the health of end users in Merton can be reduced and eliminated. The Marmot approach will ensure we cover the main social determinants of health to improve equity.</p>	<p>Megan Inett, Public Health Partnerships Manager 13/08/2024</p>
<b>Climate change</b>	<p>The work of the HWBB outlined in this paper have a remote or very low impact on Merton's Climate Strategy &amp; Action Plan</p>	<p>Megan Inett, Public Health Partnerships Manager</p>

Issue	Implications	Sign-off
	<p>adopted by full Council on 18th November 2020.</p> <p>The impact of climate change disproportionately impacts more on socially excluded people and populations, addressing this will be a key element of the overall work of the HWBB as described in this paper.</p>	13/08/2024
<b>Procurement &amp; Social Value</b>	See section above on Finance, appropriate resourcing to deliver a new strategy will be required. A health inequalities approach would strengthen LBM's borough's commitment to enhancing social value in future procurements.	A further Procurement view may be requested as required.
<b>Digital</b>	Digital approaches will be employed to put in place policies and practices addressing health inequalities where feasible and practical, including in conjunction with innovative approaches in the Merton Health and Care Plan.	A further Digital view will be requested as required including as part of the new Strategy development.
<b>Information governance</b>	The HWBB works in full compliance with LBM's information governance requirements.	To be signed once new Strategy is developed.
<b>Staffing establishment</b>	There are no staffing implications for the ongoing delivery of the HWBB however, there may be some resource implications as part of the strategy consultation and development stage which will be met within existing budgets, there are no foreseen implications for delivery once the new strategy is established and adopted.	To be signed once timeframes for delivery are agreed.
<b>Risk management</b>	<p>The HWBB works within established LBM governance frameworks to manage risk.</p> <p>The HWBB strategy re-development approach described in this paper will be accompanied by a suite of key performance indicators to close inequality gaps which present the greatest risk to the health and</p>	<p>Megan Inett, Public Health Partnerships Manager 13/08/2024</p>

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	wellbeing of the most vulnerable, excluded, and disadvantaged communities.	
<b>Community safety</b>	<p>Through the HWBB and the other partnerships such as the Combatting Substance Misuse Partnership, Community Safety is considered and coordinated where required.</p> <p>Effectively Tackling Drugs Together as detailed by the Annual Director of Public Health Report will support Merton Council in meeting its requirement to address crime and disorder (alcohol and other drug use being a driver of crime and anti-social behaviour).</p> <p>By widely addressing health inequalities, the HWBB aims to maximise opportunities for individuals and communities to live healthier lives and evidence demonstrates this will be accompanied by an improvement in community safety.</p>	<p>Megan Inett, Public Health Partnerships Manager 13/08/2024</p>
<b>Health and wellbeing</b>	<p>The focus of this report and of the Health and Wellbeing Board itself is on improving the health and wellbeing of Merton residents.</p> <p>Alongside the overall approach the renewed HWBB strategy will guide the actions and decisions of the HWBB and relevant partners to have a positive impact for individuals and communities. Taking a Marmot approach will ensure all the health and wellbeing components listed above are considered and acted upon.</p>	<p>Megan Inett, Public Health Partnerships Manager 13/08/2024</p>
<b>Corporate parenting</b>	<p>By focussing on addressing health inequalities, the HWBB will continue to have a positive and supportive impact on the Council's role as a corporate parent, by focussing our resources and support on our most disadvantaged residents, including children in care and care leavers.</p> <p>In conjunction with the dovetailed Health and Care Plan this will support the provision of</p>	<p>Megan Inett, Public Health Partnerships Manager 13/08/2024</p>

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	tailored high quality and effective care for these individuals.	
<b>Executive Director</b>	<i>Clearance/Approval of Report</i>	<i>[Executive Director Date signed]</i>
<b>Cabinet Member/s</b>	<i>Clearance/Approval of Report</i>	<i>[Cabinet Member Date signed]</i>
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## Appendix A: Health & Wellbeing Board: Forward Plan 2024/25

Last updated: 20/08/24

Date of HWBB meeting	Proposed agenda items (TBC at planning meetings)	Lead	Link to Merton Story priorities
June 2024	Meeting cancelled: pre-election		
2 October 2024	Annual Public Health Report	Russell Styles & Ted Sherman	Live Well, Healthy Place
	Vaping pilot	Ashlee Mulimba Healthy Dialogues to lead. Mike McHugh	Live Well, Healthy place
	Borough of Sport/Actively Merton update	David Gentles / Barry Causer	Live Well, Healthy place
	ICB Update	Mark Creelman	Live Well, Healthy place
	Development of the new Health and Wellbeing Strategy taking a Marmot approach	Russell Styles	Live Well, Healthy place
12 November 2024	Merton Story 2024/25 and Dashboard demo	Samina Sheikh	Start Well, Live Well, Age Well, Healthy Place
	SWLSTG's Trust update	Priya Samuel	Live Well, Healthy place
	Brazil Model Community Engagement pilot	Tony Molloy	Start Well, Live Well, Age Well, Healthy Place

	Smoking, vaping & tobacco control	Barry Causer	Start Well, Live Well, Age Well, Healthy Place
	Winter planning	Mark Creelman	Live Well, Age Well
	Better Care Fund	LBM/ICB	Live Well, Healthy place
	Joint Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment	Barry Causer	Start Well, Live Well, Age Well, Healthy Place
	Long COVID	Dr Anirban Gupta/ Barry Causer/ Vladimira Kalev	Live Well, Healthy place
14 January 2025	Sexual health update	Mike McHugh/ Hilina Asrress/ Kate Milsted	Live Well, Age Well, Healthy Place
	Air quality bundle/air quality action plan	Barry Causer	Live Well, Age Well, Healthy Place
	Combatting Substance Misuse Partnership update	Ted Sherman/ Andy Storr	Live Well, Age Well, Healthy Place
	Section 75 and Mental Health Services update	Graham Terry (replacement)	Live Well, Age Well, Healthy Place
	Suicide prevention review and refresh of action plan, surveillance, clusters	Barry Causer	Start Well, Live Well, Age Well, Healthy Place
	Merton Safeguarding Children Annual Report	Aileen Buckton/ Sarah Slater	Start Well, Live Well
	Safeguarding Adults Board Annual Report	Aileen Buckton/ Catherine Dunn	Live Well, Age Well
25 March 2025	Launch of new Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2025-2030	Russell Styles	Start Well, Live Well, Age Well, Healthy Place
	Oral health and dentistry	Mike McHugh Rachel Tilford Hilina Asrress	Start Well, Live Well, Age Well
	Childhood immunisations	Mike McHugh	Start Well

		Rachel Tilford Hilina Asrress	
	TBC Borough of Sport update	Barry Causer	Start Well, Live Well, Age Well, Healthy Place
	TBC Merton's Young People's health priorities/needs	Anna Huk	Start Well, Live Well

### Summary of HWBB meetings 2023-2024

	2023	2024
<b>January</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Merton Safeguarding Adults Board (MSAB)</li> <li>Merton Safeguarding Children Partnership (MSCP) Annual Reports</li> <li>JSNA/ Merton Story 2022/23</li> <li>Annual Public Health Report 2022/23 - Health Co-benefits of Climate Action</li> <li>ICP (Integrated Care Partnership) Strategic Priorities</li> <li>Adult Social Care Discharge Fund</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NHS Estates Update A verbal update to be provided at the meeting.</li> <li>Safeguarding Adults Board Annual Report</li> <li>Merton Safeguarding Children Annual Report</li> <li>An update on the Joint Targeted Inspection</li> <li>HWS Priority Report - School Superzones</li> <li>Young Inspector Membership of HWBB Review (Public Health)</li> </ul>
<b>March</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tobacco control and stopping smoking and vaping</li> <li>Health and Wellbeing Strategy report and rolling priority options</li> <li>Primary Care Strategy and integrated community services</li> <li>ICB draft Joint Forward Plan (JFP)</li> <li>Place-based Partnership progress and vision</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Measles &amp; MMR Update A verbal update to be provided at the meeting.</li> <li>JSNA/Merton Story</li> <li>Section 75 Agreement</li> <li>Sexual Health Update</li> </ul>
<b>June</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Beat the Street</li> </ul>	Cancelled: Pre-election period

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health and Wellbeing Board Rolling Priority 2023/24 – Outline Action Plan</li> <li>• Carers’ Strategy Update</li> <li>• Right Care Right Person</li> <li>• ICP Strategy and ICB Joint Forward Plan</li> <li>• NHS Proposal for Paediatric Cancer Care in the South East</li> <li>• Better Care Fund (BCF) Plan 2023-25</li> <li>• HWBB Young Inspector Pilot</li> </ul>	
<p><b>September</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Report on Borough of Sport and Actively Merton</li> <li>• Health and Social Care challenges and opportunities</li> <li>• South West London Primary and Community Health services model and pathways</li> <li>• Whole systems approach to Air Quality, Tobacco &amp; Vaping and Respiratory Health</li> <li>• Substance Misuse and update on the work of the Combatting</li> <li>• Substance Misuse Partnership</li> </ul>	
<p><b>November</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NHS Estates update</li> <li>• Social Prescribing (Adults) challenges and opportunities</li> </ul>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Social Prescribing (children) challenges and opportunities</li><li>• HWS Priority report / air quality / respiratory health &amp; smoking/vaping</li><li>• Health protection update</li><li>• Report on progress of local health and care plan</li></ul>
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