

STRATEGIC DELIVERY PARTNERSHIP UPDATE

COMMUNITY PLANNING BOARD OF 25TH AUGUST 2022



COMMUNITIES AND POPULATION HEALTH SDP

Date of last meeting: 17th August 2022

CURRENT ISSUES OF CONCERN/CHALLENGES REQUIRING SUPPORT FROM THE SDP CHAIRS EXECUTIVE:

n/a

Follow up action agreed by the SDP CHAIRS EXECUTIVE following 3rd May 2022 meeting:

n/a

MAIN CURRENT FOCUS OF THE SDP

Development and delivery of actions within the Strategic Action Plan which have been aligned to the public health priorities.

PROGRESS UPDATE (INCLUDING AREAS OF SUCCESS)

Since the last CP Board, there have been two meetings of the SDP – 10th May and 17th August.

NATIONAL TREATMENT CENTRE

An update was provided on the new National Treatment Centre being developed at Ayr Hospital particularly in relation to the development of a process for community benefits and how this will support local communities and community groups. Initial conversations on how to implement this have begun and will involve community planning partners.

COST OF LIVING CRISIS

A request was made to members as to how, as community planning partners, we could collectively provide further support to our local communities because of the cost-of-living crisis. The importance of raising awareness of financial inclusion pathways was highlighted to allow staff to be able to signpost people on to the most appropriate services. Food, fuel poverty and accessing transport were identified as key issues and it was noted that the South Ayrshire Community Food Network has reported a 50% increase in the number of people accessing foodbanks in addition to people accessing local foodbanks. Members were also provided an update on the key areas of focus which have been identified within the Financial Inclusion SDP. It was suggested that a guide is developed for every household providing information on keeping warm, where and how to access benefits and support, and how to access healthcare services over the winter period including the promotion of Pharmacy First.

STRATEGIC ACTION PLAN

As highlighted in the last update report, the SDP now has in place an approved action plan which is more streamlined focused on four priority areas. Performance monitoring of the plan has been discussed and it is intended for the plan to be monitored through Pentana and discussions will now take place on how to take this forward. Priority leads are considering key performance indicators for measurement.

LOCALITY MODEL

The SDP continues to have discussion on the benefits working in localities particularly in relation to 'place', the concept of the 20-minute neighbourhood and the provision of services that are accessible locally. An update has been provided to the SDP on the development of the Local Wellbeing Teams/Networks which is being led by the HSCP bringing together a range of partners and services and the opportunities/aspirations that this will bring around areas such as the wellbeing pledge and conversation, place planning, thriving communities, leisure service opportunities, 20minute neighbourhoods, carers services and recommissioning, volunteering and frailty OT investment. Local Wellbeing Teams will bring together several services and will link into a wider network of other partners/services.

GREEN HEALTH APP

The 'Green Health' app is now fully up and running and is hosted by the NHS Ayrshire & Arran app. The app is a working directory of all the green health opportunities listing what they are, where they are in South Ayrshire and how you can get involved. In addition, South Ayrshire Council, NatureScot and NHS Ayrshire & Arran are looking to promote the creation of new green health opportunities through the app. A steering group to allow planning and promotion of the app has now been set up. Green health webpages, which will form part of NHS Ayrshire & Arran website, are in development.

SUBGROUPS

The SDP has in place several subgroups which are progressing the priorities of the SDP action plan and regular updates are provided on progress. Given the number of subgroups within the structure, updates will be provided on key areas of progress, focusing in on specific subgroups, as part of updates for the CP Board going forward. The subgroups are:

- *Dementia Friendly South Ayrshire Steering Group*
- *Social Isolation and Loneliness Subgroup*
- *Health in all Policies Short Life Working Group*
- *South Ayrshire Mental Health Improvement Subgroup*
- *Sport and Recreation Subgroup*
- *Green and Natural Health Subgroup (incorporating Active Living)*
- *Suicide Prevention Subgroup*
- *Healthy Weight Strategy Subgroup*

KEY ISSUES

- Continued development of the subgroups;
- Continued development of the app to promote new green health opportunities;
- Wider integration of place plans within the CPP; and
- Development of performance framework;

UPDATE ON ACTION TO SUPPORT THE LOIP/PLACE PLANS

Both the Dementia and Social Isolation and Loneliness Implementation Plans continue to progress.

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