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Health and Wellbeing Board	10 th October 2013	Item	All

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SUBJECT: Joint Strategic Needs Assessment Executive Summary 2013/14 and Public Health Outcomes Framework 2013

1. Synopsis:

Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA)

This paper provides an executive summary of Islington's Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) for 2013/14. In Islington a web- based "Evidence Hub" has been developed for the borough to house evidence, data, strategies, intelligence and policies. The Evidence Hub is designed to help share information across and within organisations and to inform the development of evidence-based and needs-based commissioning plans and priorities. In essence, the Evidence Hub is Islington's JSNA. A specific section of the Evidence Hub is denoted as the JSNA, for ease of navigation. All current JSNA chapters can be found here, written in a consistent JSNA factsheet format. Islington's Evidence Hub can be accessed at <http://evidencehub.islington.gov.uk>. This summary is a high level outline of key existing and future needs and their implications.

Public Health Outcomes Framework

In August 2012 Public Health published a report showing Islington's achievement in the (then provisional) PHOF outcomes, with comparison against London and England. It also described initiatives in Islington that are relevant for achievement of the outcomes. (Please see <http://evidencehub.islington.gov.uk/Performanceoutcomes/PHOFramework/Pages/default.aspx>)

The Outcomes Framework will be used to hold local areas to account for improving population health outcomes over the coming years. While areas will not have nationally imposed targets relating to these indicators, achievement against outcomes will form the basis of local “health premiums” (financial incentives), the details of which will be published in 2015/16.

Public Health England (PHE) and the Department of Health published a data update in May 2013. The aim of this report is to allow those working to improve population health in Islington to look at achievement against the wide range of public health outcomes. Public Health England now produce local profiles, comparing local authorities to others within their region, therefore this profile compares Islington to other local authorities with a similar level of deprivation from across England. This is in line with Public Health England’s Longer Lives report, which placed Islington in the most deprived socioeconomic decile. The aim is to show how Islington compares against local authorities with a similar level of need. The report also provides an in-depth look at each indicator, describing Islington’s position and key steps being taken to improve outcomes for each indicator.

This update of the PHOF will be used to prioritise areas for the JSNA.

2. Recommendations

The Health and Wellbeing Board is asked to:

- Consider and note the summary of the JSNA
- Note, discuss and approve the next steps for the on-going development of the JSNA
- Ensure its constituent members have due regard for and take account of the JSNA in the discharge of their relevant functions
- Consider and note Islington’s achievement against the national Public Health Outcomes Framework.

3. Implications

3.1. Financial implications

- 3.1.1 This paper provides an update on the Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) in Islington which is a Health and Wellbeing Board statutory obligation, being delivered by various organisations including the Council and the CCG, led by the Public Health team.
- 3.1.2 The Department of Health (DH) announced 2 year funding allocations for the new ring fenced Public Health (PH) grant. Islington Council will receive £24.74m in 13/14 and £25.43m in 14/15 to provide public health services for the local population. The Council’s Public Health expenditure must be contained entirely within the grant funded cash limit indicated above. If any additional pressures are incurred management actions will need to be identified to cover this.
- 3.1.3 The Public Health Outcomes Framework is the mechanism against which local areas will be held to account for improving population health outcomes over the coming years. While areas will not have nationally imposed targets relating to these indicators, achievement against outcomes will form the basis of local “health premiums” (financial incentives), the details of which will be published in 2015/16.

3.2 Legal Implications

Section 116 of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007, as amended by section 192 the Health and Social Care Act 2012, provides that the Council has a duty to prepare, in conjunction with the CCG, a joint strategic needs assessment. The joint strategic needs assessment is a process to identify the current and future health and social care needs of the Islington population.

3.3 Equalities Impact Assessment None on these reports. The JSNA summary and factsheets and PHOF report detail dimensions of equality for each topic, highlighting the key measures taken to reduce inequalities.

3.4 Environmental Implications. None identified.

4. Conclusion and reasons for recommendations

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- Consider and note Islington's achievement against the national Public Health Outcomes Framework.

Background papers:

- Attached: Islington Joint Strategic Needs Assessment Executive Summary 2013/14
- Public Health Outcomes Framework September 2013. This will be available on Islington Council's website, upon request or as a hard copy at the meeting.

Final Report Clearance

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