

COMMUNITY & SOCIAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

16 NOVEMBER 2016

REPORT OF THE HEAD OF COMMUNITIES & NEIGHBOURHOODS

MELTON DISTRICT HEALTH PROFILE 2016

1.0 **PURPOSE OF REPORT**

1.1 To provide members with an update on the Melton's Health Profile and initiatives.

2.0 **RECOMMENDATIONS**

2.1 **Members understand and agree the health priorities within Melton Borough**

3.0 **KEY ISSUES**

3.1 The Health of people in Melton is generally better than the England average. 11% of children live in low income families, life expectancy for men is higher than the England average and includes:-

- General Health
- Health Inequalities
- Child Health
- Adult Health
- Local priorities

3.2 In terms of child health and year 6 pupils 15.1% of children are classified as obese, this is better than average for England. Levels for GCSE attainment and breastfeeding are also better than the England average

3.3 Adult health – Alcohol related and self harm hospital stays are both better than the England average Melton ranks top within Leicestershire within this particular criteria

3.4 There are 73 deaths per year related directly to smoking, this is better than the England average

3.5 The rate of statutory homelessness is worse than the England average and is rated 3rd highest amongst all districts in England

3.6 Even with its ageing population Melton rank top within Leicestershire in numbers of hip fractures in the over 65s

3.7 This report seeks member support to continue to back the priorities within Melton District which currently are

- Obesity
- Tobacco Control
- Alcohol and Substance Misuse

- Mental Health
- Sexual Health and Teenage Pregnancy
- The Ageing Population

The range of activities is shown in the presentation attached as Appendix C

3.7 The councils Sport and Health Alliance is responsible for delivering Health targeted initiatives within the Borough in particular to our targeted individuals and groups most in need.

4.0 POLICY AND CORPORATE IMPLICATIONS

4.1 Public Health Profiles provide a picture of peoples health in Melton District, they are designed to help local government understand the communities needs in order to work with other services to reduce health inequalities and improve people's health

5.0 FINANCIAL AND OTHER RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS

5.1 There is not expected to be any cost implications to agreeing the priorities bar the utilisation of staff time.

5.2 Resources are already accounted for in terms of allocation for delivering services to improve community health through commissioning plan delivered by Melton Sport and Health Alliance, attendance at meetings and clerical work.

5.3 In delivering an effective service within the community there is likely to be a reduce on demand for other services longer term and as such a reduction in costs

6.0 LEGAL IMPLICATIONS/POWERS

No direct impact has been identified in this report.

7.0 COMMUNITY SAFETY

No direct impact identified, however, activities have shown to have a positive impact due to their diversionary status.

8.0 EQUALITIES

8.1 No specific Equalities Impact Assessment has been carried out however, initial analysis shows that there are no further equalities implications as a direct result of this report.

9.0 RISKS

L I K E L	A	Very High				
	B	High				
	C	Significant				

I H O O D					
	D	Low		1	
	E	Very Low			
	F	Almost Impossible			
		Negligible 1	Marginal 2	Critical 3	Catastrophic 4

IMPACT

Risk No	Risk Description
1	Commitment is not approved by Members

10.0 CLIMATE CHANGE

10.1 There are no climate change implications as a result of this report

11.0 WARDS AFFECTED

11.1 All

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Appendices : Appendix A- Melton Health Profile 2016
Appendix B Directorate of Public Health district positions
Appendix C- Presentation highlighting range of activities

Background papers None