

ITEM NO: 6

Report to : HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

Date : 1 October 2015

Executive Member / Reporting Officer: Angela Hardman, Director of Public Health

Subject : PUBLIC HEALTH ANNUAL REPORT 2014-15

Report Summary : The Director of Public Health's Annual Report 2014-15 is themed around the health and wellbeing of children and young people. It describes through the life course approach the challenges Tameside children and families face from pre-conception through to transition to adulthood. The report shares recommendations for public health action, with a call to all partners and communities to contribute. There are examples in the document of how many of our communities and services are responding to these challenges together.

Recommendations : This report is for information only.

Links to Sustainable Community Strategy : This Public Health Annual Report is relevant to all aspects of the Community strategy, but health most specifically. Although an independent report, it also contributes to the delivery of the corporate vision: The Council, as a representative body, exists to maximise the wellbeing of the people of the borough.

Policy Implications : The report does not have any policy implications, however, it presents a challenge to the council and partners to embed principles within their policies that promote health and reduce inequalities.

Financial Implications:
(Authorised by the Section 151 Officer) The annual report is part of the accountability arrangements for the grant, providing an explanation to residents, the department of Health and other stakeholders on how £12.6m of s31 Public Health grant was spent within Tameside (part of £2.8bn nationally).

Legal Implications:
(Authorised by the Borough Solicitor) The publication of this report fulfils a statutory requirement of Tameside's Director of Public Health.

Risk Management : The annual report of the Director of Public Health is being presented to Board for their information.

Access to Information : The background papers relating to this report can be inspected by contacting Debbie Watson, Head of Health and Wellbeing by:

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