

Report to:	HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD
Date:	17 June 2021
Executive Member:	Councillor Wills - Executive Member for Health, Social Care and Population Health
Reporting Officers:	Dr Jeanelle de Gruchy - Director of Population Health Jessica Williams - Director of Commissioning Debbie Watson – Assistant Director of Population Health James Mallion – Consultant in Public Health
Subject:	COVID-19 UPDATE AND POPULATION HEALTH
Report Summary:	To receive presentations updating members of the Health and Wellbeing Board on the latest position in Tameside, including: - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Covid-19 Update & Enduring Transmission – Dr Jeanelle de Gruchy and James Mallion • Population Health in Tameside – Dr Jeanelle de Gruchy and James Mallion • Integrated Care System (ICS) Development – Jessica Williams and Martin Ashton • Physical Activity – Active Alliance Progress Update – Debbie Watson and Annette Turner
Recommendations:	That the Health and Wellbeing Board receive the presentations and note the updates in relation to the various actions being taken by the locality.
Corporate Plan:	How Covid-19 is managed and controlled in the current phase of the pandemic continues to be crucial in enabling our communities to live with Covid-19. This contributes to people being able to live longer and healthier lives, one of the key priorities within the Corporate Plan. It is also important to continue to work to address the pre-existing inequalities across Tameside & Glossop, which have added to the disproportionate impact that Covid-19 has had for our residents. These are influenced across the life-course. Areas highlighted in the presentations include the current state of our population’s health, emerging Integrated Care Systems (ICS) and the role they may play, and the ongoing work around physical activity to improve population health via the local Active Alliance.
Policy Implications:	This work represents ongoing implementation of the existing Local Outbreak Management Plan for Covid-19, and links to wider pieces of work such as the development of the ICS, which will inform and enable wider policy across the Council as to the steps we take to protect lives and the population’s health.
Financial Implications: (Authorised by the statutory Section 151 Officer & Chief Finance Officer)	As this is a general update, there are not any direct financial implications to consider. There is limited financial support available, if required, for any future activities identified to help deal with the Covid-19 pandemic.

**Legal Implications:
(Authorised by the
Borough Solicitor)**

As this is a general update report and no decisions are required there are no immediate legal implications.

However, this is an opportunity for Members to scrutinise officers in relation to a number of projects and work streams although clearly it is better practice to do this through reports rather than presentations not had advance sight of.

Risk Management:

The challenges posed by Covid-19 and poor population health outcomes present significant risks to the Council. These updates reflect ongoing work to tackle these risks and mitigate against them in the short and longer term. The updates help inform the key steps and functions that will ensure emerging risks are assessed and acted upon.

Background Information:

The background papers can be inspected by contacting James Mallion, Consultant in Public Health: -



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