Report to:	HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD
Date:	17 March 2022
Executive Member:	Councillor Wills - Executive Member for Health, Social Care and Population Health
Reporting Officer:	Sarah Threlfall - Director of Transformation
Subject:	CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S JOINT STRATEGIC NEEDS ASSESSMENT
Report Summary:	The Tameside Joint Strategic Needs Assessment for children and young people illustrates the key health and wellbeing outcomes and makes recommendations to improve these outcomes that will feed directly into the Children's Plan for Tameside.
Recommendations:	That the Health and Wellbeing note the Tameside Joint Strategic Needs Assessment in order for it to inform the Children and Young People's Plan for Tameside.
Corporate Plan:	The Tameside Joint Strategic Needs Assessment supports all strands of the Corporate Plan, in particular areas relating to Starting Well.
Policy Implications:	Since the 1 April 2013, every Health and Wellbeing Board in England has had a statutory responsibility to publish and keep an up to date Joint Strategic Needs Assessment. A Joint Strategic Needs Assessment looks at the current and future health and care needs of local populations to inform and guide the planning and commissioning of health, well-being and social care services within a local authority area.
Financial Implications: (Authorised by the statutory Section 151 Officer & Chief Finance Officer)	There are no direct financial implications for the Council relating to this report.
Legal Implications: (Authorised by the Borough Solicitor)	Since the 1 April 2013, every Health and Wellbeing Board in England has had a statutory responsibility to publish and keep an up to date Joint Strategic Needs Assessment. A Joint Strategic Needs Assessment looks at the current and future health and care needs of local populations to inform and guide the planning and commissioning of health, well-being and social care services within a local authority area.
	The aim is to develop local evidence-based priorities for commissioning, which will improve the public's health and wellbeing and reduce inequalities. A Joint Strategic Needs Assessment will be used to determine actions local authorities, the local NHS and other parties need to take to meet health and social care needs and to address the wider determinants that impact on health and wellbeing.
Risk Management:	The purpose of Joint Strategic Needs Assessments and Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategies is to improve the health and

wellbeing results of the local community and reduce inequalities for all ages.

There is a statutory duty to produce a Joint Strategic Needs Assessment. The reasoning for this is that strategic planning for health and wellbeing is best done in partnership and based on evidence. It is intended to promote joint working in local areas.

Background Information: All papers relating to this report can be obtained by contacting Jacqui Dorman, Public Health Intelligence Manager

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