

HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

19 September 2019

Present: Councillor Warrington (Chair) – Executive Leader
Councillor Wills – Executive Member for Adult Social Care and Population Health
Steven Pleasant – Chief Executive Tameside MBC and Accountable Officer for Tameside and Glossop CCG
Stephanie Butterworth – Director of Adult Services, Tameside MBC
Karen James - Chief Executive, Tameside and Glossop ICFT
Liz Windsor-Welsh – Chief Executive, Action Together
Neil Evans – Greater Manchester Police
Viviane Robinson – Department for Work and Pensions
Andrew Searle – Independent Chair, Tameside Adult Safeguarding Partnership Board
David Swift – Tameside and Glossop CCG
Dr Saif Ahmed – Tameside and Glossop CCG
Henri Giller – Independent Chair, Tameside Child Safeguarding
Kerrie Pryde – Jigsaw Homes

In Attendance: Tom Wilkinson – Assistant Director of Finance
Debbie Watson – Assistant Director of Population Health
Elaine Richardson – Tameside and Glossop CCG

Apologies for Absence: Councillor Fairfoull – Deputy Leader & Executive Member for Children’s Services
Councillor Cooney – Executive Member for Housing, Planning and Employment
Chris Rushton – Chief Executive, Active Tameside
Sian Schofield – Pennine Care NHS
Dr Jamie Douglas – Tameside and Glossop CCG
Dr Asad Ali – Tameside and Glossop CCG
Richard Hancock – Director of Children’s Services

8 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

9 MINUTES

RESOLVED

That the minutes of the meeting held on 27 June 2019 be approved as a correct record.

10 TAMESIDE BETTER CARE FUND 2019 -2020

Consideration was given to a report of the Executive Member for Adult Social Care and Population Health / Director of Adult Services seeking approval of the Better Care Fund submission for 2019/20. The report provides details of the planned utilisation of the better care fund that also includes the disabled facilities grant, improved better care fund and winter pressures funding allocated to the Strategic Commission for 2019/20.

It was reported the Better Care Fund 2019/20 would retain the same National Conditions as in 2017/19. The only notable changes for 2019-20 were that requirements for narrative plans had been simplified with areas not required to repeat information they previously provided in their 2017-19 plans, and for more meaningful information on the impact of the Better Care Fund to be collected through the planning process. There were seven sections which required local input

- Summary
- Strategic Narrative
- Income
- Expenditure
- High Impact Change Model
- Metrics
- Planning Requirement

RESOLVED

That the Better Care Fund 2019/20 submission be approved.

11 STARTING WELL UPDATE

Consideration was given to a report of the Deputy Leader and Executive Member Children and Families / Director of Children's Services / Assistant Director of Population Health, updating Members on the progress on the Tameside Starting Well Partnership.

Following a children and families governance review presented at the meeting of the Health and Wellbeing Board in September 2018, work had been undertaken to support the establishment of a Starting Well Partnership to deliver public sector reform principles to support, enable and empower children, young people and families to lead happy and healthy lives.

Running parallel and in partnership to this was the launch of the Tameside and Glossop Corporate Plan in February 2019, which highlighted four overarching priority areas for Starting Well:

- Very best start in life where children are ready to learn and encouraged to thrive and develop
- Aspiration and hope through learning and moving with confidence from childhood to adulthood
- Resilient families and supportive networks to protect and grow our young people
- Opportunities for people to fulfil their potential through work, skills and enterprise.

The first Starting Well Partnership was due to take place on the 10 October 2019. In preparation for the establishment of the Starting Well Partnership activity had included:

- Proposed membership of the Starting Well Partnership and the Starting Well Implementation Group.
- Development of Terms of Reference for the both the Partnership and the Implementation Group.
- Mapping the delivery groups existing to support the work from the Partnership.
- Hosting a Starting Well Priorities Workshop using the Signs of Safety methodology to recognise the local partnerships understanding of the term 'starting well', their worries and opportunities to work as a system.

RESOLVED

That the report be noted.

12 AGE FRIENDLY COMMUNITIES UPDATE

Consideration was given to a report of the Executive Member for Adult Social Care and Population Health / Director of Adult Services updating the Health and Wellbeing Board of the development of

an Age Friendly Strategy and Action Plan which was to be aligned with the priorities of the Greater Manchester Age Friendly Strategy.

Co-production with older people was fundamental to the development of the Tameside Age Friendly Communities Strategy as was the wider involvement of other stakeholders. A key thread in the Strategy's progress had been reference to public engagement. A number of events had been held to collate thoughts and ideas about developing the Strategy with those which it would impact upon. The themes of the engagements included housing, transport, outdoor spaces and buildings; social participation and volunteering; community support and health services; and communication and information.

The Tameside Age Friendly Partnership as the body responsible for the development of the Tameside Age Friendly Communities Strategy were seeking to develop a co-ordinated approach across the Health and Wellbeing Board partnership, businesses, service providers and community organisations to make age friendly communities. It was proposed that the final strategy and action plan would be considered by the Health and Wellbeing Board in January 2020.

Reference was made to the Age Friendly Businesses Take a Seat Campaign which sought local businesses to sign up to the scheme to make their premises more age friendly and dementia friendly. They are encouraged to display clear signs, store items within easy reach, and keep floors clutter-free. So far, the Tameside 'Take a Seat' scheme had 19 shops/businesses signed up in different areas of Tameside.

RESOLVED

That the progress of the Age Friendly Strategy and Action Plan be noted.

13 CARERS STRATEGY UPDATE

Consideration was given to a report of the Executive Member for Adult Social Care and Population Health / Director of Adults Services outlining progress on the carers' health and social care provision nationally and regionally which, had been used to formulate and refresh Tameside and Glossop's Joint Carers Strategy 2019-2022.

It was reported in recent years there had been greater emphasis nationally on supporting carers across health and social care, recognising the support that carers provide and the need for integrated care systems to support them in being able to maintain their caring role and prevent them from falling into crisis. The NHS Long Term Plan published in 2019 has greater focus on Carers and recognises their contribution to the health and social care system with a focus on improving the support they receive.

Within Greater Manchester the Greater Manchester Adult Social Care Programme had been developed by bringing together best practice from local and national reviews, listening to local carers, and highlights examples of good practice across Greater Manchester. The programme consisted of the Greater Manchester Carers Programme which included a Careers Charter; the Greater Manchester Exemplar Model for Carer Support bringing together best practice from local and national reviews; and the Greater Manchester Working Carer Toolkit for Employers which sought to encourage employers to provide better opportunities for carers living and working in Greater Manchester. All Greater Manchester Authorities had been requested to adopt these standards and align local policies with them.

The development of the Tameside and Glossop Joint Carers Strategy had used the frameworks and toolkits available regionally and nationally, involving local carers and key stakeholders. To ensure the Strategy could be implemented effectively, a more detailed action plan has been drafted with identified work stream leads. A Carers Strategy Delivery Group was being implemented which would be tasked with oversight of the strategy implementation, providing necessary support and

challenge. A new Carers Champions Network was being formed to ensure that carers' voices were heard and involved in co-producing and shaping the way local services were developed.

The Health and Wellbeing Board were updated on the new Carers Centre in Ashton-Under-Lyne.

RESOLVED

- (i) That the local alignment to the Greater Manchester Carers Charter, Commitment to Carers and Exemplar Model, be noted.**
- (ii) The progress of the Tameside and Glossop's Joint Carers Strategy 2019-2022, be noted.**
- (iii) A visit be arranged for the Health and Wellbeing Board to the new Carers Centre at the next meeting scheduled for 14 November 2019.**

CHAIR