

2023-24 DRAFT HEALTH & WELLBEING ACTION PLAN

HOUSING & HEALTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE - 7 February 2022

Report of: Chief Officer People & Places

Status: For Approval

Also considered by: Cabinet 16 March

Key Decision: Yes

Executive Summary: The 2023-24 Sevenoaks District Health & Wellbeing Action Plan is set out to deliver against health targets.

This report supports the Key Aim of: Community & Corporate Plan

Portfolio Holder: Cllr. Maskell

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Recommendation to Cabinet:

To approve the 2023-24 Sevenoaks District Health & Wellbeing Action Plan.

Recommendation to Housing & Health Advisory Committee

To recommend to Cabinet that the 2023-24 Sevenoaks District Health & Wellbeing Action Plan be approved.

Introduction and Background

- 1 Originally the HAT (Health Action Team) had not meet since 2018 -. The new plan was drafted in 2019 and went through a process, however it was not put into action, mainly due to the pandemic.
- 2 In May 2021 we was asked by the Portfolio Holder to put this into place and reinstate the HAT but to include Wellbeing, we had an initial meeting with partner organisations and developed the action plan. Due to us being approximately 2 months behind of the start date (April 2021) it was agreed that partners would work on this one through the meetings rather than wait for the following year as we had missed the Cabinet process.
- 3 Since that time we have now developed a yearly one with partners. In December 2022 we held a workshop with partners to develop a new action plan against 4 priorities.

- 4 This plan has double the actions of the current one and has a lot of focus on mental health and issues around cost of living and health.
- 5 The plan will be monitored on a quarterly basis by the Partnership

Key Implications

None to SDC. It is a Partnership document

Legal Implications and Risk Assessment Statement.

None

Equality Assessment

The decisions recommended through this paper have a remote or low relevance to the substance of the Equality Act. There is no perceived impact on end users.

Net Zero Implications

The decisions recommended through this paper have a remote or low relevance to the council's ambition to be Net Zero by 2030. There is no perceived impact regarding either an increase or decrease in carbon emissions in the district, or supporting the resilience of the natural environment

Wellbeing

This document supports wellbeing and looks at this throughout the document.

Conclusions

For the Committee to approve the report

Appendices

Appendix A - Draft 2023-24 Health & Wellbeing Action Plan

Background Papers

None

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