

EDENBRIDGE MEMORIAL HEALTH CENTRE

HOUSING & HEALTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE – 12 September 2023

Report of: Chief Officer Health & Advisory

Status: For Information

Also considered by: N/A

Key Decision: No

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

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Recommendation to Housing & Health Advisory Committee

To note the report.

Reason for recommendation:

For information only.

Introduction and Background

- 1 This report introduces work that has been undertaken to embed the One You Kent Service into the delivery model of the Edenbridge Memorial Health Centre, which is replacing the previously known Edenbridge Memorial Hospital and scheduled for moving to a newly built site in November 2023.
- 2 The vision for the Edenbridge Memorial Health Centre is an integrated care model delivered by Kent Community Health NHS Foundation Trust and Edenbridge Medical Practice. The clinical operational model focusses upon the needs of the local population. The plan is to provide a centre with the ethos of a one team approach.
- 3 **Edenbridge Population Profile:**
13,138 local population
One GP surgery with 95% of the local population registered there.

Average age = 42.5 years-old with male life expectancy of 81.8 years-old and female life expectancy of 85.4 years-old.

36% of people have one or more long-term health conditions – main conditions being hypertension, depression, diabetes and asthma.

More than 120 babies born each year to Edenbridge families, and 3,000 children and young people live in Edenbridge.

A growing older population, most people in Edenbridge are aged between 55 and 64 years old.

There are areas of Edenbridge which are deprived, and this has been taken into consideration when developing the provision.

- 4 When the new Edenbridge Memorial Health Centre opens it will offer a range of services incorporating general practice alongside a wellbeing day centre, proactive frailty unit, same day urgent care services and a range of outpatient clinics and will continue to develop the offer over the coming months.
- 5 Clinical Model:
 - Frailty and Proactive Care
 - Same Day Urgent Care
 - Frequent Service User
 - Outpatients
 - Wellbeing Day Centre
 - Wound Care Centre
 - GP Services
 - Health and Wellbeing Services
- 6 In addition, services such as Phlebotomy, Dispensary, Catering and Voluntary Drivers Service will run in-house.
- 7 The Centre aims to provide a one stop shop wrap around team who will support people, patients, carers who have social, health or wellbeing needs with the aim of enabling them to achieve/address what's important to them.
- 8 One You advisors will be central to the delivery of this work. Management of Edenbridge Memorial Health Centre have agreed in principle to fund two full time One You Kent advisors (in addition to current staff) to be placed on-site and work as part of the integrated model in multi-disciplinary team setting to support patients and service users.

- 9 One You Kent advisors will work with people for up to one year to support them to make meaningful changes to their lifestyle and health.
- 10 Work is undergoing with the respective legal teams to finalise drafting up a provider-to-provider service contract. Once we have that agreed we can progress with recruiting the posts in time for the scheduled opening time of November 2023.

Other options Considered and/or rejected.

None

Key Implications

Financial

This will be funded by Kent Community Health NHS Foundation Trust and £82k has preliminary been allocated for the One You Health Workers.

Legal Implications and Risk Assessment Statement.

There are no legal implications associated with this report.

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

Community Impact and Outcomes

This report links in with the community and any impacts.

Wellbeing

This report has a link to wellbeing due to the nature of the report.

Conclusions

To update members on the new Edenbridge Memorial Health Centre

Appendices - None

Background Papers - None

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