

Health and Wellbeing Outcomes Report

Report of the Chief Officer for Communities, Public Health, Environment and Prosperity

Recommendation: It is recommended that the Devon Health and Wellbeing Board note the updated Health and Wellbeing Outcomes Report and support plans to formally update and increase the accessibility of the outcomes report from March 2019 onwards.

1. Context

This paper and accompanying presentation introduces the updated outcomes report for the Devon Health and Wellbeing Board.

2. Summary of the Health and Wellbeing Outcomes Report, December 2018

2.1 The full Health and Wellbeing Outcomes Report for December 2018, along with this paper, is available on the Devon Health and Wellbeing Website: www.devonhealthandwellbeing.org.uk/jsna/health-and-wellbeing-outcomes-report. The report monitors the five Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2016-19 priorities, and includes breakdowns by local authority, district and trends over time. Seven indicators have been updated with new data since the September 2018 report covering the following areas:

- **Mortality rate from preventable causes, 2015-2017** – The age-standardised mortality rate in Devon (161.03 per 100,000) is below South West and significantly lower than the comparator group and England rates. However, the rate of decline has slowed in recent years.
- **Reablement Services (Effectiveness), 2016-17** – In Devon, 82.6% of older people were still at home 91 days after discharge from hospital into reablement services, which is similar to the South West, comparator group and national rates.
- **Reablement Services (Coverage), 2017-18** – In 2017-18, 1.8% of older people discharged from hospital in Devon were offered reablement services which is significantly lower than South West, comparator group and national rates.
- **Stable and Appropriate Accommodation (Learning Disabilities), 2017-18** – 76.0% of adults with a learning disability in Devon were living in their own home or with family, which is above South West and comparator group rate but below the national rates. There is no statistically significant difference in rates between the Devon, South West, comparator group and England.
- **Stable and Appropriate Accommodation (Mental Health Clients), 2017-18** – 60.0% of adults in contact with a secondary mental health service were living in stable and appropriate accommodation, which is significantly below the South West, but significantly above the comparator group and national rates.
- **Suicide Rate, 2015-2017** – There are around 70 suicides per annum in Devon, with rates remaining around or slightly above the national average. Rates are significantly higher in males.
- **Social Contentedness, 2017-18** – 42.8% of social care users reported being satisfied with their social situation, which is below South West, comparator group and national rates, but not statistically significantly lower.

3. Proposed changes to the Devon Health and Wellbeing Outcomes Report, December 2018

3.1 Some of the revised outcomes report format plans have been completed; the short summary report and streamline technical report. The easy read report, with the aim of improving accessibility, continues to be developed and focus group input to be repeated, showcasing the new technical report. The intention is to introduce the complete suite of outcomes report resources by March 2019.

4. Legal Considerations

There are no specific legal considerations identified at this stage.

5. Risk Management Considerations

Not applicable.

6. Options/Alternatives

Not applicable.

7. Public Health Impact

The Devon Health and Wellbeing Outcomes Report is an important element of the work of the board, drawing together priorities from the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy, and evidence from the Joint Strategic Needs Assessment. This report and the related documents have a strong emphasis on public health and other relevant health, social care and wellbeing outcomes. A number of the outcomes indicators are also drawn from the Public Health Outcomes Framework. The report also includes a specific focus on health inequalities.

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Background Papers

Nil