

### 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.

#### 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, April 2021

2.1 The full Health and Wellbeing Outcomes Report for **April 2021**, along with this paper, is available on the Devon Health and Wellbeing website: [www.devonhealthandwellbeing.org.uk/jsna/health-andwellbeing-outcomes-report](http://www.devonhealthandwellbeing.org.uk/jsna/health-andwellbeing-outcomes-report). The report monitors the four Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2020-25 priorities, and includes breakdowns by local authority, district and trends over time. These priorities areas include:

- **Create opportunities for all**
- **Healthy safe, strong and sustainable communities**
- **Focus on mental health**
- **Maintain good health for all**

**Ten indicators** have been updated with new data and are as follows:

- **Key Stage 4 Performance, 2019/20**

The percentage of pupils achieving grades 5 or above (in English and Mathematics GCSEs) in Devon is 48.7%. This is significantly lower compared to the England average of 49.9%. Across Devon, there is variation across the Districts. North Devon and Torridge are significantly lower than the England average (42.3% and 40.2% respectively).

- **Overall Rate of Crime, 2019/20**

In Devon, the rate of crime from incidents recorded by the police is 47.4 per 1,000 population, a rate which is significantly lower compared to the England average. Across Devon, there is variation in rates across the Districts. Exeter and North Devon rates are higher compared to the Devon average (73.9 and 55.1 respectively).

- **Emergency Hospital Admissions for Intentional Self-Harm, 2019/20**

In Devon, the rate of emergency hospitalisations for self-harm is 230.1 per 100,000 population, a rate which is significantly higher compared to the England average. Across Devon, there is variation in rates across the Districts. North Devon and Torridge rates are significantly higher compared to the England average (326.8 and 253.8 respectively).

- **Self-Reported Wellbeing (low happiness score %), 2019/20**

The percentage of people who self-reported with a low happiness score in Devon is 5.7%. This is significantly lower compared to the England average of 8.7%. No district data is available.

- **Social Contentedness, 2019/20**

The percentage of service users who reported that 'they had as much social contact as they would like' in the Adult Social Care and Carers Survey in Devon is 45.8%. This is statistically similar compared to the England average. Across Devon, all Districts are statistically similar to the England average.

- **Alcohol-Specific Admissions in Under 18s, 2017-20**

In Devon, the rate of under 18s hospitalisations for alcohol specific causes is 51.4 per 100,000 population, a rate which is significantly higher compared to England average. Across Devon, there is some variation across the Districts. East Devon, North Devon, South Hams, Teignbridge and West Devon are significantly higher compared to the England average (45.1, 62.5, 64.9, 61.9 and 50.0 respectively).

- **Cancer Diagnosed at Stage 1 or 2, 2018**

The percentage of cancers diagnosed at an early stage in Devon is 58.4%. This is significantly higher compared to the England average of 55.0%. Across Devon, there is some variation across the Districts. East Devon, Exeter, South Hams and Teignbridge are significantly higher compared to the England average (58.9%, 60.4%, 59.6% and 58.8% respectively).

- **Re-ablement Services (Effectiveness), 2019/20**

The percentage of persons 65 and over who were still at home 31 days after discharge into reablement/rehabilitation in Devon is 85.8%. This is significantly higher compared to the England average of 82.0%. Across Devon, there is some variation across the Districts. South Hams and West Devon are significantly higher compared to the England average (97.8% and 93.6% respectively).

- **Re-ablement Services (Coverage), 2019/20**

The percentage of persons 65 and over who were offered reablement services following discharge in Devon is 1.7%. This is significantly lower compared to the England average of 2.6%. No district data available.

- **Injuries Due to Falls, 2019/20**

In Devon, the rate of hospitalisations for fall-related injuries in persons 65 and over is 1697.8 per 100,000 population, a rate which is significantly lower compared to the England average. Across Devon, all rates by Districts are significantly lower compared to the England average.

Please note that many outcome indicators demonstrate health and wellbeing inequalities across smaller areas which may not always be apparent when observing only the Devon figure.

Please refer to the Devon Health and Wellbeing Outcomes report for a full list of indicators.

### **3. Future developments to the Devon Health and Wellbeing Outcomes Report**

3.1 The 'Explanatory' Headline resource was published online in December and has recently been revamped and updated in May. This can be used to compliment the outcomes report as it provides information at many different geographical levels.

3.2 The 'Exploratory' resource is still in development with delays caused due to the Coronavirus global pandemic. This tool will provide information on health and wellbeing across the life course focusing on geographic variation, trends, deprivation inequalities and correlations.

3.4 An easy read version of the Devon Health and Wellbeing Outcomes report is also in development, with delays caused due to the Coronavirus global pandemic.

### **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 outcome indicators are also drawn from the Public Health Outcomes Framework. The report also includes a specific focus on health inequalities.

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### **Electoral Divisions: All**

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Background Papers

Nil