

Devon Health and wellbeing board

January 2025

Vaccination update (data as of 23rd November)

Data for Covid-19, flu and RSV vaccinations.

- Uptake for Covid-19 vaccinations is currently at 51% of eligible cohorts
- Uptake for Flu vaccinations is currently at 56% of eligible cohorts
 - Over 56% of those having a Covid-19 vaccination have opted to have a flu vaccination at the same time
- Uptake for RSV catch up vaccinations (75 – 79 year olds) is currently at 39%
- 250 outreach clinics have taken place with further clinics planned to take place up to 31 January 2025.
- Clinics targeting underserved groups have been held, which includes the following:
 - o Highly deprived areas
 - o Farming communities
 - o Homelessness
 - o Elderly/frail cohorts
 - o Fishing communities
 - o Carers events
- Various future clinics are planned to reach the low uptake areas and hard to reach communities.

The vaccination team are building on the model used previously to drive innovative engagement activities, increase vaccine confidence, and improve uptake through relaunching the VCSE outreach vaccination fund. There has been £30,000 allocated from the Access and Inequalities funding to target inclusion groups and our diverse communities in Devon.

There have been 7 successful applications and circa £26,000 has been awarded. The scheme is still open to applications and VCSE organisations have until 31 March 2025 to complete their projects.

Waiting times

78 week wait position

The system remains behind trajectory in September for 78ww clearance with a total of 72 against a plan of zero, with patients remaining to be seen in October with a predicted position of 62 (data as of 13/09/24).

65 week wait position

Patients within the 65ww cohort are also behind trajectory for September and October with a position of 897 for September and 667 for October against planned positions of 378 and 104 respectively.

10 Year Plan

The [Devon 10 Year plan engagement programme](#) launched on 18 November 2024. This has been promoted through a number of digital and non-digital channels across Devon.

As of 19 December, over 700 responses have been received to the Devon 10 Year Health Plan survey from staff and the people and communities.

Throughout January – a series of engagement days are taking place across Devon to raise awareness of the engagement opportunities and explore experiences and opinions in more detail through a series of workshops.

Paignton Library – 17 January 2025
Ivybridge Library – 24 January 2025
Exeter Library – 28 January 2025
Barnstaple Library – 30 January 2025
Drakes Circus Plymouth – 31 January 2025

The survey responses and outputs from the workshops will be used to support the development of the 10 Year Health Plan for England which is due to launch in Spring 2025. The findings will also inform local priorities in Devon and support existing work programmes.

Devon Health and Wellbeing Board members can support this programme by;

- Raising awareness of the Devon 10 Year Health Plan survey with local communities
- Promote the engagement days and support recruitment to the workshops

The surveys, promotional materials and details of the engagement days and workshops are available on the dedicated [One Devon Webpage](#).