



HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

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ITEM 11

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Outbreak Engagement Board and Health Protection Board Update

Purpose

- 1.1 To provide the Health and Wellbeing Board (HWB) with an update and overview of the key discussions and messages from the COVID Outbreak Engagement Board and Derbyshire Health Protection Board.

Recommendation

- 2.1 The Health and Wellbeing Board is asked to note the update report.

Reason

- 3.1 To ensure the Health and Wellbeing Board is kept updated on health protection issues affecting the population of Derby.

Supporting information

- 4.1 As we have moved to learning to live safely with COVID, the Derby Outbreak Engagement Board has been paused. A meeting is, however, being scheduled for September to review the Local Outbreak Management Plan which is currently being updated and to consider plans for winter.
- 4.2 The Derbyshire Health Protection Board continues to meet regularly and includes consideration of COVID as appropriate.
- 4.3 The Health Protection Board met on the August 12th. Key points of note for the information of the HWB:
 - Progress for the recovery of local delivery of the national screening programmes were reviewed and the age extension of the bowel screening programme to 58 year-olds was noted.
 - National work is underway to review the delivery of the national immunisation programmes.
 - Work is ongoing to improve uptake in immunisations, particularly the childhood schedule.

- The Derby and Derbyshire Air Quality report was received and discussed. It was noted that new air quality objectives relating to PM2.5 are expected to be put into statute.
- The Health Protection Board will be compiling the Health Protection section of the Integrated Care Strategy – required to be produced by the Integrated Care Partnership.

4.4 A full update on the local status of the national immunisation programme will be scheduled for an upcoming meeting of the HWB.

Public/stakeholder engagement

5.1 As part of the local outbreak planning arrangements, the Derby COVID Outbreak Engagement Board was established. A key function of this group is to engage with the local community to understand any local issues and communicate effectively with local people.

Other options

6.1 None.

Financial and value for money issues

7.1 None.

Legal implications

8.1 None.

Climate implications

9.1 None.

Other significant implications

10.1 None.

This report has been approved by the following people:

Role	Name	Date of sign-off
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