



DERBY CITY COUNCIL

SOCIAL CARE AND HEALTH COMMISSION

27 February 2006

Report of the Corporate Director, Corporate and Adult Social Services
and Deputy Chief Executive

Improving Our Health in Derby – A Public Health Strategy for Derby Final Version 2005 -2010

RECOMMENDATION

- 1.1 The Commission is asked to consider and comment on the Public Health Strategy for Derby.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

- 2.1 There are distinct differences in the health and well being of people in across the city. This Commission carried out a major review titled 'Reducing Health Inequalities' during 2003/04. Although the review was focused around three of the most deprived areas of the city, namely, Osmaston NRF, Normanton NRF and Derwent New Deal areas, the recommendations effectively covered the whole city. These were published in its final report published in July 2004 and are given in Appendix 5.
- 2.2 The attached Public Health Strategy for Derby has been produced jointly between the Central and Greater Derby primary Care Trusts and the City Council and is to some extent, a response to the initial report. It is a five year framework for action to improve the health of Derby residents and reduce health inequalities.
- 2.3 Work is also being carried out at the regional level to address regional health inequalities. The attached report summarises the work of the Investment 4 Health Group. The report was presented to a sub group of the East Midlands regional Board on 2 February.

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Background papers: None

List of appendices:

- Appendix 1 - Implications
- Appendix 2 – Public Health Strategy for Derby final version
- Appendix 3 - I4H Group Annual Report
- Appendix 4 - Choosing Health delivery diagram
- Appendix 5 – Health Inequality Review Recommendations

IMPLICATIONS

Financial

1.1 None.

Legal

2.1 The Health and Social Care Act 2001 provides overview and scrutiny committees powers to review any matter relating to the planning, provision and operation of health services within their area.

Personnel

3.1 None.

Equalities Impact

4.1 None.

Corporate Objectives and Priorities

5.1 The report accords with the Corporate Objectives of **healthy, safe and independent communities** and the priorities of **modernising social care**.