

REPORT FOR DECISION

Agenda Item	
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DECISION OF:	CABINET
DATE:	13 JUNE 2012
SUBJECT:	PUBLIC HEALTH ANNUAL REPORT FOR BURY (2011)
REPORT FROM:	COUNCILLOR RISHI SHORI, CABINET MEMBER FOR ADULT CARE, HEALTH & WELLBEING
CONTACT OFFICER:	DR PETER ELTON, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH, NHS BURY
TYPE OF DECISION:	CABINET
FREEDOM OF INFORMATION/STATUS:	Within the public domain.
SUMMARY:	This report describes health problems in Bury, especially inequality and discusses how these could be tackled in the medium to longer term.
OPTIONS & RECOMMENDED OPTION	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That Members note the Annual Report of the Director of Public Health and that the commitment to wellbeing in all partner organisation policies is based on five ways to wellbeing: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. CONNECT with others. Social relationships are critical to our wellbeing 2. BE ACTIVE. Exercise improves our physical health, mental health and wellbeing 3. GIVE. Linking to the wider community can be incredibly rewarding, creates connections with people and gives a sense of belonging 4. TAKE NOTICE. Be curious. Heightened awareness enhances an individual's self understanding and in turn increases our feelings of wellbeing. 5. LEARN. Learning encourages social interaction and increases self esteem and feelings of

	<p>competency to achieve:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Starting well: enabling good health in mothers before, during and after pregnancy and good parenting • Developing well: encouraging healthy habits and avoiding harmful behaviour • Growing up well: identifying, treating and preventing mental health problems and creating resilience and self-esteem • Living and working well: choosing lifestyles and behaviours that influence health and productivity • Ageing well: supporting resilience through social networks and activity and providing protection from preventable ill-health. <p>2. That this report forms the basis for Public Health considerations concerning the implication of Council policy decisions.</p>
IMPLICATIONS:	
Corporate Aims/Policy Framework:	Do the proposals accord with the Policy Framework? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
Statement by the S151 Officer: Financial Implications and Risk Considerations:	<p>This report relates to the Public Health function's activity for 2011.</p> <p>Whilst under the control of NHS Bury at this time, the report provides useful background to help the Authority prepare for the function's transfer to the Council wef April 2013.</p> <p>Officers are working jointly with PCT staff to ensure a smooth transition.</p>
Statement by Executive Director of Resources:	There are no direct resource implications arising from the Annual Report. Reflecting public health issues within Council policies may have resource implications that will have to be met from within existing budgets or by pooling resources with other partner agencies.
Equality/Diversity implications:	None at this time
Considered by Monitoring Officer:	Yes
Wards Affected:	All
Scrutiny Interest:	Health

TRACKING/PROCESS**DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH:**

Chief Executive/ Strategic Leadership Team	Cabinet Member/Chair	Ward Members	Partners
30.4.12			
Scrutiny Committee	Committee	Council	

1.0 BACKGROUND

- 1.1 There is a statutory national state requirement for the publication of an annual public health report.
- 1.2 This report is the first to be published as a joint report with the Council.

2.0 ISSUES

There are major variations in health in Bury with poor health and health-related behaviour being concentrated in deprived areas.

3.0 CONCLUSION & RECOMMENDATION

That this report forms the basis for Public Health considerations concerning the implementation of Council policy decisions.

List of Background Papers:

None

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