

<b>Committee:</b>	<b>Date:</b>
Health and Wellbeing Board	29.01.2016
<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Public</b>
Health and Wellbeing Board update report	
<b>Report of:</b>	<b>For Information</b>
Director of Community and Children's Services	

## Summary

This report is intended to give Health and Wellbeing Board Members an overview of local developments related to the work of the Board where a full report is not necessary. Details of where Members can find further information, or contact details for the relevant officer are set out within each section. Updates include:

- Healthwatch Update
- Safer City partnership update
- 20 mph scheme update
- Contaminated Land Strategy
- City of London Standards for Houses in Multiple Occupation
- London Health and Care Collaboration Agreement
- Agenda planning meetings
- Square Mile Health service launched in the City
- JSNA calendar update

## Recommendation

Members are asked to:

- Note the report.

## Main Report

1. This report updates Members on key developments and policy issues that are related to the work of the Health and Wellbeing Board in the City of London. Details of where Members can find further information are also included.

### 2. Healthwatch Update

- 2.1. Annual conference- The Healthwatch City of London annual conference took place on 8 October. There were 72 attendees including residents from the City, services providers, staff from the City of London Corporation and the City and Hackney CCG, City workers and representatives from surrounding boroughs. Stalls held included the Barbican Library, Social Action for Health, City Advice, Stoptober, Adult Social Services, City and Hackney CCG for maternity and medications review, City air pollution, London Cancer and the Adult Community Rehab team.

A presentation on integrated care in the City was given by Chris Pelham, Department of Community and Children's Services. The full report is available at: <http://www.healthwatchcityoflondon.org.uk/news/report-healthwatch-city-london-annual-conference>

- 2.2. Children and Young People - Healthwatch will have a stand at Canto Court Halls, a student residence near the City, to engage with the City student population. Healthwatch plans to work with Hackney Youth parliament on running a consultation on mental health services for young people in City and Hackney.
- 2.3. Ophthalmology engagement work- Healthwatch City of London is taking part in a joint engagement project with Healthwatch Hackney to look at ophthalmology and eye care in City and Hackney to give local residents a say in how they want their services delivered in the future. The results will be published in a publically available report.
- 2.4. Christmas event with Bank of America Merrill Lynch- Healthwatch and the Bank of America Merrill Lynch organised an event to target social isolation. The event enabled City workers to interact with older people and gave Healthwatch the chance to discuss health and wellbeing issues with the staff in the financial district. Comments included that transferring of prescriptions to City pharmacies worked well.

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### 3. Safer City Partnership

- 3.1 2015 Festive Campaign: The Safer City Partnership worked with the GLA, London Ambulance Service, London Fire Brigade, Metropolitan Police Service, CoL Police and the London Drug & Alcohol Policy Forum to run the Christmas Campaign titled 'Eat, Drink and Be Safe.' This campaign involved advertising on the London Underground, engagement activities in the City to give out information on staying safe, and a social media campaign. The launch of the campaign was covered by BBC London television, the Evening Standard and other media. Evaluation of the campaign will be carried out and the results fed back to the Health and Wellbeing Board
- 3.2 Rape Awareness Conference: On Friday 22 January, City of London Police and Victim Support held the No Blurred Lines conference which focused on raising awareness of rape and sexual assault. The conference was open to professionals and identified local services that can support people who have been affected.
- 3.3 Prevent (Radicalisation): The Community Safety Team have been working to identify departmental leads across all Corporation departments who will help deliver the City's Prevent responsibilities. The Prevent duties introduced in the summer of 2015 place specific responsibilities on Local Authorities. The City of London Corporation has undertaken work to raise awareness of how concerns relating to suspected radicalisation should be raised and dealt with. Work needs to be undertaken to ensure all staff, especially those in contact with the public

are aware of the issue and our statutory duties. The Community Safety Team is working closely with colleagues in DCCS on this area of work, particularly with regard to safeguarding issues.

- 3.4 Safer City Partnership Strategy 2016-19: On 2 March 2016 the Safer City Partnership will be considering its strategy for the coming three years. Agreed priorities include Violence Against the Person, Night Time Economy Crime and Nuisance, Acquisitive Crime, Anti-social Behaviour and the Prevent strategy. There will also be work to reduce incidents involving cyclists. Issues relating to alcohol consumption and drug use are clearly linked to a number of these priorities. There are also links to mental health and quality of life issues. The Community Safety Team will be working with colleagues in the coming weeks to ensure our objectives and ambitions support those of the Health and Wellbeing Board.

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#### **4. 20mph speed limits in the City**

- 4.1 On 20 July 2014, the City implemented the new 20mph speed limit across the City as part of the Road Danger Reduction Plan. At the same time Transport for London introduced experimental 20mph speed limits on two routes that run through the City. The key objective of the scheme was to contribute to reversing the trend of the increase in traffic casualties in the City.
- 4.2 Monitoring and Outcomes: The data from the first 12 months of the scheme shows the following outcomes:
- The speed data shows that the average speed is 1.5mph lower than before the scheme was introduced. This is higher than the forecast 1mph reduction in average speeds.
  - There was a reduction in the number of monitored sites found to have a mean speed above 20mph. This reduced from 16 to 7 of the 46 sites monitored.
  - Provisional casualty data over the period of August 2014 until June 2015 show there has been a continued increase in the number of slight injuries to people walking and cycling. It is possible that the increase in casualties would have been higher or of a more serious nature had it not been for the lower speed limit.
- 4.3 Further analysis of the casualty data will be collected up to summer 2017 and an in depth analysis of casualty data will be reported as part of the Road Danger Reduction Plan.

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#### **5. Land Contamination Strategy**

The City of London Corporation has revised its Contaminated Land Strategy to comply with additional refined statutory guidance given by The Department of

Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (Defra) in 2012. The strategy fulfils the City of London's statutory obligation to set out its wider approach to contaminated land and its inspection duties within the Square Mile. Public health colleagues were consulted during the development of the strategy to ensure it supports the Health and Wellbeing Board's overarching aim to promote the health and wellbeing of residents and workers in the City. The key priorities of the strategy are to protect human health, protect controlled waters, protect designated ecosystems, prevent damage to property and prevent further contamination of land. A draft strategy was approved by Port Health and Public Protection Committee in March 2015 and then went out for public consultation. The final version was approved by the Port Health and Public Protection Committee at their November meeting.

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## **6. City of London Standards for Houses in Multiple Occupation 2016**

The Corporation has produced a set of Standards for Houses in Multiple Occupation designed to protect tenant's safety and health. This set of standards aims to give guidelines to ensure properties are brought up to and maintained at an acceptable standard within the recommendations of the Housing Health and Safety Rating System. The guidance refers to basic minimum standards for fire protection, room sizes, management and amenity provision.

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## **7. London Health and Care Collaboration Agreement**

7.1 In December 2015, the Government agreed a health devolution package with London health and care partners, including the 33 local authorities, 32 Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs), the Mayor of London, NHS England and Public Health England. The agreement involves five pilots to test new ways of working across London's large and complex health economy with the longer term aim for further devolution of London's healthcare out of Whitehall and into the hands of local leaders. One of the pilot areas is Hackney, which will focus on integrating health and social care within Hackney.

7.2 The City will maintain a watching brief. The City is not part of the scheme, and existing services for residents will not be affected by the pilot; however it will have the option to opt-in at a later date if the pilot is a success.

7.3 The CCG will devolve a portion of its budget to this pilot and this will be strictly ring-fenced – the rest will be retained to ensure that services for City residents and people who live on the borders of Hackney will be able to access their health and social care from other providers in the usual way (i.e. as is the situation now). DCCS and The Neaman Practice are being kept informed of the process, and will be consulted on future involvement. Representatives from the City will sit on one of the task and finish groups for the devolution, to ensure that the needs of City residents are not jeopardised at any point.

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## 8. Agenda Planning Meetings

The HWB approved a report at the November's meeting which set out how the board can take a more strategic approach to forward planning. Based on the recommendations of this report, a meeting has been set up to plan the agenda for April's Health and Wellbeing Board and identify any corporate wide issues to be addressed in future meetings.

If any members have suggestions for agenda items please contact Tizzy Keller: 0207 332 3223.

## 9. Square Mile Health service launched in the City

Last autumn, Westminster Drugs Project was awarded a three year contract to deliver substance misuse treatment and prevention services to communities in the City. The new service, Square Mile Health, is working in partnership with Queen Mary University London and all City pharmacies and is leading the way in promoting healthy attitudes towards drugs, tobacco and alcohol across the City. Square Mile Health is a free and confidential service aimed at employees and businesses and offers health screening, workshops and one-to-one follow up appointments, amongst other things, to support people. The Department of Community and Children's Services recently invited key internal and external partners working in the health arena to an event at the Guildhall to find out more about the service.

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## 10. JSNA developments and publication dates

There are a number of JSNA updates planned for the coming months:

January 2016	<p><b>City &amp; Hackney Health &amp; Wellbeing Ward Profiles-</b> These profiles will explore the demographic, social and economic characteristics of the population within each of the new wards, and provide a range of local health information.</p> <p><b>Mental Health and Substance misuse chapter-</b> this will cover the mental health and wellbeing of residents from childhood to older age to draw out key issues at each life stage..</p>
February 2016	<p><b>Refresh of Society &amp; Environment-</b> This chapter will include a description of the local social, economic and environmental factors that influence people's health and will outline relevant health inequalities.</p> <p><b>City and Hackney JSNA website-</b> Design and work for the new</p>

	website is scheduled to start in February.
April- December 2016	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Lifestyle and behaviours</li><li>- Adult, health and illness</li><li>- Children and young people's health and wellbeing</li></ul>

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