

Aim Four: All Rotherham people live in healthy, safe and resilient communities

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RAG RATING KEY
Completed
In progress
Off track
Not started

Strategic Priority	Ref #	Actions	Owner(s)	Start Date	End Date	Status	RAG Rating	Update on progress
1. Increasing opportunities for healthy, sustainable employment for all local people.	1.1	Ensure the Local Integration Board involves all relevant officers/partners and has a focus on how jobs, skills and health interlink and contribute towards good employment for local people.	Terri Roche, Jacqui Wiltchinsky	Ongoing	Ongoing	In progress	In progress	<p>There is now a Strategic and Operational Group. The Strategic Group is meeting biannually and Operational is meeting monthly. The Operational Meeting will escalate any issues to the Strategic Group and will also have overview of Working win, Pathways to Work, Pathways to Progressions and other employment and health initiatives.</p> <p>Working Win update as of 1st March 2019 Rotherham have had 825 referrals onto the trial.</p>
	1.2	Pilot a project in Waverley to build STEM aspirations and maximise opportunities for education and employment.	Terri Roche Well North Delivery Partnership Group	Jul-18	Mar-21	In progress	In progress	<p>This programme trains teachers and STEM leaders in schools and provides them with the materials to deliver a range of engineering based projects in the school throughout the academic year. This culminates in a celebration event at the end of the academic year. As of March 2019, this has been delivered to five primary schools.</p>
	1.3	Ensure that the development of the Employment and Skills Strategy has a focus on health and wellbeing.	Terri Roche, Jacqui Wiltchinsky, Becky Woolley	Feb-19	Mar-19	Completed	Completed	<p>Public Health and the Health and Wellbeing Board manager provided feedback on the Employment and Skills Plan and draft action plans in March 2019. This will be going to Cabinet in April.</p>

<p>2. Ensuring everyone is able to live in safe and healthy environments.</p>	<p>2.1</p>	<p>Work closely with the SRP to set priorities which consider the impact on health and wellbeing – and use influence across the partnership to address key challenges identified.</p>	<p>Sam Barstow, RMBC</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>	<p>In progress</p>		<p>The Safer Rotherham Partnership set three year priorities in April 2018. The partnership is currently undergoing a light touch review, informed by data and partnership activity across the relevant priority areas. This information will be available following ratification of the SRP Board in April 2019.</p> <p>The Safeguarding Protocol, which is an agreement between five of the Rotherham Together Partnership Boards will be reviewed and refreshed by June 2019.</p>
<p>2.2</p>	<p>Explore opportunities to better utilise intelligence resources including the JSNA, JSIA and MOSAIC to enhance local knowledge of emerging trends and issues, to inform future priorities.</p>	<p>Sam Barstow / Gilly Brenner</p>	<p>Oct-18</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>	<p>In progress</p>		<p>Initial meeting held in October 2018. JSIA is not being fully refreshed now until 2020/21. The JSNA is currently undergoing refresh and will remain live and will be used to inform future JSIA.</p>	
<p>2.3</p>	<p>Play a key role in helping to develop the local Housing Strategy, ensuring that health and wellbeing continues to be a focus.</p>	<p>Jane Davies / Sarah Watts, Strategic Housing RMBC</p>	<p>Jun-18</p>	<p>Apr-19</p>	<p>In progress</p>		<p>The Health and Wellbeing Board were part of the consultation on the Housing Strategy in September 2018 and the Health and Wellbeing manager as well as colleagues in Public Health have fed into the development of the strategy. For the first time, a chapter within the Housing Strategy has been included around improving health.</p> <p>The strategy will be going to Cabinet in March and is due to be published in April.</p>	
<p>2.4</p>	<p>Ensure that partners are able to feed in to development of the Homeslessness Prevention and Rough Sleeping Strategy action plans, to ensure that a whole-system approach is taken.</p>	<p>Sandra Tolley</p>	<p>May-19</p>	<p>Jul-19</p>	<p>Not started</p>		<p>The Homelessness Prevention and Rough Sleeper Strategy will be going to Cabinet in April and is due to be published in May. The strategy will come to the Health and Wellbeing Board in May/July for information along with the action plans for feedback.</p>	

	2.5	Maximise the use of selective licensing to improve the standards of local properties.	Matt Finn, Community Protection Manager, RMBC	Ongoing	Ongoing	Ongoing		<p>The current designations are about to enter the fifth and final year, with consideration to be given on whether to re-designate the areas due before the end of this calendar year. The scheme has covered 2,318 privately rented properties and inspections have found 35% had the most serious hazards relating to fire, falls and excess cold. 90% contained disrepair where the property fell below the minimum standards required of private rented housing. 98% of those inspected are now compliant with housing standards. In addition, two new designation areas are currently under consideration, and a public consultation was carried out between October and December 2018.</p>
	2.6	Maximise opportunities to improve the health and wellbeing of local communities through the refresh of local ward plans.	Martin Hughes, Head of Neighbourhoods RMBC	Mar-19	Jun-19	In progress		<p>A refresh of ward plans is scheduled for March 2019. Local priorities will be identified as part of this refresh of ward plans, including those in relation to health and wellbeing.</p> <p>In May 2019, an analysis will be undertaken as to what the ward budgets have been spent on in the previous year and how this reflects on local priorities.</p>
3. Ensuring planning decisions consider the impact on people's health and wellbeing.	3.1	Explore opportunities to develop the links between sustainable transport and planning decisions.	Ian Ashmore, Transportation Infrastructure Manager	Nov-18	Ongoing	In progress		<p>All planning applications are expected to address sustainable transport in line with the Local Plan policies and guidance. This includes the implementation of travel plans, a sustainable transport contribution of £500 per dwelling for developments of significant size and provision of infrastructure.</p> <p>An elected member-led 'walking and cycling' group has been established which includes officers from Public Health, Culture, Sport & Tourism and Transport to explore opportunities (i.e. transport plan) to encourage more active travel and walking/cycling for pleasure across the borough. This group could link in with planning going forward to maximise all opportunities to promote sustainable transport (e.g. members of the group having discussions in relation to the Well Rotherham project in Waverley).</p>

	3.2	Explore opportunities to recruit a Public Health registrar and/or student to deliver a piece of work reviewing the Local Plan and how its policies impact on health and wellbeing.	Terri Roche / Bronwen Knight, RMBC	Dec-20	Dec-20	Not started		This is dependent on a registrar or student placement becoming available to do this work.
	3.3	Following the activity above, use the outcome of the review to consider where developing supplementary planning documents would have a beneficial impact of people's health – based on evidence of review and inspection and accepted policy and practice used elsewhere.	Bronwen Knight, Planning RMBC	Following completion of the action above (3.2).	Following completion of the action above (3.2).	Not started		Please see above.
4. Increasing opportunities for people of all ages to participate in culture, leisure, sport and green space activity in order to improve their health and wellbeing	4.1	Provide a governance structure for the Rotherham Active Partnership – using collective influence of the board to ensure this partnership works effectively to promote physical activity.	Polly Hamilton, RMBC	RAP meeting 27 June including HWb Strategy on agenda. First RAP October 18	Feb-19	Completed		Rotherham Activity Partnership is a working group of the Cultural Partnership Board. The group has now met on two occasions since the initial workshop. The group structure is in place with the main focus of the meetings moving towards priority themes. The group has not finalised its priorities but is some way to deciding. A number of the "sub- groups" continue to operate beneath the RAP group.
	4.2	Embed links between the Health and Wellbeing Strategy and Rotherham's Cultural Strategy through the development of a joint action plan, reflecting the contribution the culture, sport and green spaces sectors make to increasing physical activity, emotional resilience and positive mental health.	Chair of Cultural Partnership Board Polly Hamilton RMBC	May-19	Dec-19	Not started		The draft Cultural Strategy is out for final consultation following the feedback from the first consultation phase. The preference of the Cultural Partnership Board is to develop joint action plans with all of the main partnership boards within the Rotherham Together Partnership, including the Health and Wellbeing Board. This will ensure that joint outcomes are mutually understood and helped to multiply the benefits to communities. The timetable for completion of this process is December 2019. Meanwhile, a bid is being submitted to the Arts Council to support the delivery of key projects within the Cultural Strategy which will also impact on health and wellbeing. The Cultural Strategy is on track to be launched in June.

	4.3	Raise awareness of staff working in green spaces in relation to community safety, supporting staff to be the 'eyes and ears' of the partnership.	Sam Barstow, Polly Hamilton	Ongoing	Ongoing	In progress		<p>Community safety and green spaces have been working together around Public Space Protection Orders, to ensure reduction in anti-social behaviour and to help communities feel safer in Clifton Park. New CCTV has been introduced to Clifton Park and other green spaces across the borough to extend coverage. Operational links have been improved in relation to live investigations to ensure that green spaces staff are informed and engaged in the response to community safety issues.</p> <p>Green spaces have also been working with Wild Sheffield to engage residents of local communities with a particular focus on Eastwood to utilise outdoor activities as a way of supporting community integration and cohesion.</p>
	4.4	Support the ambition for all Rotherham primary schools to be taking part in the 'mile a day' initiative (championed by Ray Matthews).	Rotherham Active Partnership	Feb-19	All primary schools to be signed up by Dec 2023	In progress		<p>The "Active Schools" sub- group of RAP has met once and is currently formulating an action plan. The group has members from RoSIS, CST, Public Health, Yorkshire Sport Foundation and local schools. The initial meeting presented an overview of the Sport/ Physical Activity school picture and 5 main theme areas have been initiated. The final action plan can be circulated on its completion. "Mile a day" is one of the 5 themes.</p>
5. Mitigating the impact of loneliness and isolation in people of all ages	5.1	Oversee the development of and monitor implementation of an action plan to address issues associated with loneliness and isolation.	Ruth Fletcher-Brown / Kate Green, RMBC	Dec-18	Dec-19	In progress		<p>Small RMBC task group currently developing a local plan. Scoping work is being done to establish a picture of loneliness across the whole life-course. This will be presented at an event in Sept. 19 when a full partnership plan will be developed. This will be presented to the HWbB Nov 19.</p>

	5.2	<p>Roll out of 5 Ways to Wellbeing initiative:</p> <p>Using all the five ways themes to promote events across the borough as a catalyst to encourage people to try things for themselves and bring communities together. Explore opportunities to develop a programme of further activity throughout the year.</p>	Ruth Fletcher-Brown RMBC	Launched May 18	Dec-19	In progress		Working with partners to ensure they are using the 5 ways within their organisations and looking at embedding it into provider and commissioned services.
	5.3	Pilot the MECC Loneliness programme in the South of the borough. evaluate and roll out borough wide during 2019.	Phill Spencer and Sam Blakeman, RMBC	Oct-18	April commence pilot in the south of the borough. September 2019 roll out	In progress		MECC training dates set for April (for the 3 identified wards).