

## **HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD**

**21 OCTOBER 2014**

### **LIVING IN FEAR: JIGSAW PROJECT**

Report from: Neil Davies, Chief Executive

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#### **Summary**

This item will be a presentation from Colin Guest, Project Co-ordinator from MCCH, a voluntary body which has been working with a variety of organisations on a project called 'Jigsaw' to support people with learning disabilities and autism in Strood and Gillingham.

#### **1. Budget and Policy Framework**

- 1.1. The Health and Social Care Act 2012 places a duty on local authorities to establish a Health and Wellbeing Board for its area.
- 1.2. On 25 April 2013 the Council established the Board and agreed its terms of reference. This item relates to the health and wellbeing of people in the area with learning disabilities and autism so is relevant to the terms of reference for the Board.

#### **2. Background**

- 2.1 Appendix 1 to this report sets out a short briefing paper setting out details of the one year Living in Fear Jigsaw project which has been supported by Medway Council, Kent Police, Medway Community Safety Partnership and Kent Police and Crime Commissioner.
- 2.2. Colin Guest, the Project Co-ordinator from MCCH will be in attendance at the meeting to give a short presentation on the pilot project.

#### **3. Risk implications**

- 3.1. There are no specific risk implications connected with this report.

#### **4. Financial and legal implications**

- 4.1. There are no specific financial or legal implications connected with this report.

## **5. Recommendation**

- 5.1. The Board is asked to note the presentation on the Jigsaw project presented by the Project Co-ordinator of the Jigsaw Project.

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**Background papers** - none