

HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

7 NOVEMBER 2017

WORK PROGRAMME

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Summary

This report advises the Board of the forward work programme for discussion in the light of latest priorities, issues and circumstances. It gives the Board an opportunity to shape and direct the Board's activities.

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 their area.
- 1.2 On 25 April 2013 the Council established the Board for Medway and agreed its terms of reference.

2. Background

- 2.1 Appendix 1 to this report sets out the existing work programme. It should be noted that the work programme is likely to be subject to frequent changes and additions throughout the year and is for guidance only.
- 2.2 A pre-agenda meeting was held on 18 October 2017. Officers advised at the meeting that the completed Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment would need to be presented to the Health and Wellbeing Board in April 2018 for the Board to agree its support.

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. In the event of there being any recommendations relating to commissioning these will need to be referred to the Council's Cabinet and/or NHS Medway Clinical Commissioning Group.

5. Recommendation

- 5.1. The Board is asked to agree the work programme attached at Appendix 1 and to consider whether any changes need to be made.

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Appendices

Appendix 1 - Health and Wellbeing Board Work Programme.

Background papers

None.