

Report for:	Overview and Scrutiny Committee, 26th January 2015	Item Number:	10
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Title:	Mental Health and Wellbeing Framework – outline
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Lead Officer:	Tamara Djuretic, Assistant Director of Public Health
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1 Describe the issue under consideration

1.1 Haringey's Overview & Scrutiny function has commissioned a series of reviews on mental health over the last eighteen months. Recommendations from completed reviews are being incorporated into the Haringey CCG and Haringey Council Joint Mental Health and Wellbeing Framework due for publication by the end of March 2015.

1.2 This paper outlines the Framework briefly, details the process for development of the Framework and proposes further engagement with the Adults and Health Scrutiny Panel and the Children and Young People's Scrutiny Panel in order to shape the Framework prior to its publication.

2 Cabinet Member introduction

2.1 Haringey has a high level of mental illness and that can impact on any sphere of life: family, employment, education, social interactions. Tackling this issue is a priority for the Council and therefore I welcome joint partnership approach to developing the Framework.

2.2 Recent years have seen some significant improvements in supporting people to have good mental health, in particular, our investment in a range of public mental health interventions. However, we do need to be more ambitious and aspire to commission and deliver the best mental health services for our communities in partnership with the NHS, voluntary and community sector and service users.

3 Recommendations

3.1 To note an outline and proposed process for development of the Framework.

4 Alternative options considered

None

5 Background information

5.1 The proposed Framework is being developed with a range of stakeholders and experts across the local health and social care economy (Mental Health Expert Reference Group) and it sets out high level vision for mental health and wellbeing in Haringey, defines a set of outcomes, principles and specific priorities that would underpin implementation of the vision. The Framework will have a delivery plan with a set of outcomes that will be regularly monitored.

5.2 The reference group had three workshops so far and suggested the following vision and outcomes:

All residents in Haringey are able to fulfil their mental health and wellbeing potential.

This vision articulates the need to focus on prevention and mental health promotion. It also recognises that there is a wide range of mental health and wellbeing experiences within Haringey's communities, and encompasses principles of services being flexible and tailored for a range of individual needs.

In achieving the proposed vision, we commit to improve mental health and wellbeing outcomes for all residents and, in particular, those with mental ill-health. Below is a set of locally defined outcomes aligned to the national mental health strategy.

Haringey's Mental Health and Wellbeing Outcomes

- More people will have good mental health
- More people with mental health problems will recover
- More people with mental health problems will have good physical health
- More people will have a positive experience of care and support, including carers
- Fewer people will suffer avoidable harm or die by suicide
- Fewer people will experience stigma and discrimination

5.3 The Framework will be available for wider engagement from 23rd January to 20th February 2015 on the following website www.haringey.gov.uk/social-care-and-health/health/public-health/mental-wellbeing. It is proposed to have a discussion on the draft Joint Mental Health and Wellbeing Framework at a joint scrutiny meeting, involving the Adults and Health Panel and Children and Young People's Panel in March prior to the publication of the Framework at the Health and Wellbeing Board on 24th March 2015.

6 Comments of the Chief Finance Officer and financial implications

N/A

7 Head of Legal Services and legal implications

N/A

8 Equalities and Community Cohesion Comments

N/A

9 Head of Procurement Comments

N/A

10 Use of Appendices

N/A

11 Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985

None