

Report to:	Health and Wellbeing Board
Relevant Officer:	Delyth Curtis, Director Adult Services, Blackpool Council
Relevant Cabinet Member	Councillor Eddie Collett, Cabinet Member for Public Health
Date of Meeting	3 rd September 2014

STRATEGIC COMMISSIONING GROUP UPDATE

1.0 Purpose of the report:

1.1 To receive a verbal update on issues related to the Strategic Commissioning Group.

2.0 Recommendation(s):

2.1 To note the update

3.0 Reasons for recommendation(s):

3.1 The Board has as a key responsibility to receive regular updates on the work programme of the Strategic Commissioning Group and to review future actions. The notes of the meeting of the Strategic Commissioning Group on 6th August 2014 are attached for information at Appendix 4a.

3.2a Is the recommendation contrary to a plan or strategy adopted or approved by the Council? No

3.2b Is the recommendation in accordance with the Council's approved budget? Yes

3.3 Other alternative options to be considered:

There are no alternative options to be considered

4.0 Council Priority:

4.1 The relevant Council Priority is

“Improve health and well-being especially for the most disadvantaged”

5.0 Background Information

5.1 The main items considered at the meeting include an overview of updated guidance on the Better Care Fund and progress in revising the locality plan against the new guidance; an update on JHWS Performance for Qtr 1 2014-2015, which will be covered separately on the Board agenda; a discussion on future support officer arrangements for the Board and the outcome of a subgroup mapping exercise.

5.2 Does the information submitted include any exempt information? No

5.3 List of Appendices:

Appendix 4a – Strategic Commissioning Group Notes and Actions 6th
August 2014

6.0 Legal considerations:

6.1 None

7.0 Human Resources considerations:

7.1 None

8.0 Equalities considerations:

8.1 None

9.0 Financial considerations:

9.1 None

10.0 Risk management considerations:

10.1 None

11.0 Ethical considerations:

11.1 None

12.0 Internal/ External Consultation undertaken:

12.1 None

13.0 Background papers:

13.1 None

