

Report to:	Health and Wellbeing Board
Relevant Officer:	Delyth Curtis, Director of People, Blackpool Council
Relevant Cabinet Member	Councillor Eddie Collett, Cabinet Member for Public Health
Date of Meeting	3 rd December 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 November 2014 are attached for information at Appendix 3a.

- 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 Strategic Commissioning Group has a responsibility to regularly update the HWB on progress against its work programme and future planned activity. The notes of the meeting of the Strategic Commissioning Group on 6 November 2014 are attached for information at Appendix 3(a).

5.2 Some of the items considered at the meeting include an update on Better Start and Headstart; an update on the Better Care Fund submission; an update on the transfer of 0-5 years commissioning arrangements; and a report on governance and partnership arrangements.

5.3 Considerable time was spent considering the Health and Wellbeing Board Performance Dashboard and updates on relevant performance indicators. Health and Wellbeing Board strategy action plans were also discussed (see minutes attached); the Strategic Commissioning Group can give assurance to the Board that progress is being made in delivering the action plans, with no serious cause for concern about any of the actions.

5.4 Does the information submitted include any exempt information? No

5.5 List of Appendices:

Appendix 3a – Strategic Commissioning Group Notes and Actions 6th November 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

