

Report to: East Sussex Health and Wellbeing Board

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Report by: Director of Public Health

Title of report: East Sussex Joint Strategic Needs Assessment and Assets Annual Report 2017/18

Purposes of report: To present to the Health and Wellbeing Board the 2016/17 Joint Strategic Needs and Assets Assessment Annual Report which outlines the updates and developments that have taken place during the year.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Board is recommended to note the 2017/18 Joint Strategic Needs and Assets Assessment Annual Report

1. Background

1.1 The Joint Strategic Needs and Assets Assessment (JSNAA) programme has been established since 2007 and reports on the health and wellbeing needs of the people of East Sussex. It brings together detailed information on local health and wellbeing needs to inform decisions about how we design, commission and deliver services to improve and protect health and reduce health inequalities

1.2 In January 2012, a dedicated JSNAA website was launched. All JSNAA work and resources are placed on the East Sussex JSNAA website (www.eastsussexjsna.org.uk) so that it provides a central resource of local and national information.

2. Supporting information

2.1 The 2017/18 JSNAA Annual Report provides a summary of the updates and developments to the JSNAA during 2017/18 and presents recommendations which will be addressed as part of the 2018/19 work plan.

2.2 Moving the email subscription service to a new platform has seen the number of subscribers increase by 141%.

3.3 Key resources that remain popular on the site are the National Profiles, Local Needs and Assets Profiles, Area Summaries, Scorecards and Director of Public Health reports.

3.4 Improvements to the layout and navigation of the site have been made following user feedback.

3.5 Future plans involve working with commissioners and partners to ensure that JSNAA products meet their needs.

3. Conclusion and Reason for Recommendation

3.1 This report makes the following four recommendations which have been incorporated into the 2018/19 work plan:

1. Continue to improve the layout and navigation of the site for users.
2. Continue to grow the number of subscribers to the monthly email alerts through the year.
3. Repeat and build on the promotional activities successfully undertaken in 2017/18.
4. Work with commissioners and partners on improving the resources available

3.2 The East Sussex Health and Wellbeing Board is recommended to note the report.

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