

**Report to:** East Sussex Health and Wellbeing Board

**Date:** 28 September 2023

**By:** Healthwatch East Sussex

**Title:** Healthwatch East Sussex Annual Report 2022-23: *Together we're making health and social care better*

**Purpose of Report:** To provide an overview of the Healthwatch Annual Report 2022/23.

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**Recommendations:** The East Sussex Health and Wellbeing Board is recommended to:

**1) Consider and note the Healthwatch East Sussex Annual Report 2022/23.**

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## **1 Background**

1.1 Each local Healthwatch in England is required to publish an annual report covering certain issues. The Healthwatch East Sussex Annual Report 2022-23 is titled *Together we're making health and social care better* and is attached as **appendix 1**.

## **2 Supporting Information**

2.1 The Annual report sets out, amongst other things, highlights of work over the course of the year; work on engagement; ways in which a difference has been made; information about volunteers; financial details; and details of Healthwatch's priorities for 2023/24.

## **3 Conclusion and reasons for recommendations**

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

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Appendix 1: Healthwatch East Sussex Annual Report 2022-23: *Together we're making health and social care better*.