

HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

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	Report for Action
Title:	Winter pressures planning
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Brief summary:	This report provides the Board with information on winter pressures planning by the Local Authority and its partners.

Recommendations to the Health and Wellbeing Board:

The Health and Wellbeing Board is asked to:

- a) seek assurance that member organisations and key stakeholders are taking appropriate steps to plan for winter pressures;
- b) seek assurance that member organisations have considered Public Health England's Cold Weather Plan and satisfy themselves that the suggested actions and the Cold Weather Alert service are understood across their locality;
- c) consider and explore opportunities for closer partnership working with the voluntary and community sector. This sector can help reduce vulnerability and support the planning and response to cold weather, particularly through identifying and engaging vulnerable people; and
- d) consider the reduction of cold related harm as core business and included in Joint Strategic Need Assessments (JSNAs) and the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy (JHWS).

Contribution to Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy:

Health and Wellbeing Strategy aims and outcomes	Summary of contribution to the Strategy
Aim: To increase healthy life expectancy in Nottingham and make us one of the healthiest big cities	This report provides the Board with a summary of local authority plans and activities to reduce the negative impact of winter pressures on the health and well-being of citizens. The plans align to all four outcomes of the Health and Wellbeing Strategy.
Aim: To reduce inequalities in health by targeting the neighbourhoods with the lowest levels of healthy life expectancy	
Outcome 1: Children and adults in Nottingham adopt and maintain healthy lifestyles	
Outcome 2: Children and adults in Nottingham will have positive mental wellbeing and those with long-term mental health problems will have good physical	

health	
Outcome 3: There will be a healthy culture in Nottingham in which citizens are supported and empowered to live healthy lives and manage ill health well	
Outcome 4: Nottingham's environment will be sustainable – supporting and enabling its citizens to have good health and wellbeing	

How mental health and wellbeing is being championed in line with the Board's aspiration to give equal value to mental and physical health
The summary of plans includes specific reference to homeless and entrenched rough sleepers who often have co-existing mental health problems.

<p>Background papers: <i>Documents which disclose important facts or matters on which the decision has been based and have been relied on to a material extent in preparing the decision. This does not include any published works e.g. previous Board reports or any exempt documents.</i></p>	<p>Public Health England Cold Weather Plan</p> <p>NICE Guidance on excess winter deaths</p>
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