

NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde	Paper No. 22/54
Paper Title	Standing Committee Chairs Board Report
Meeting:	NHS Board Meeting
Date of Meeting:	23 August 2022
Purpose of Paper:	For Assurance
Classification:	Board Official
Name of Reporting Committee	Population Health and Well Being Committee
Date of Reporting Committee	20 July 2022
Committee Chairperson	Mr John Matthews OBE

1. Purpose of Paper:

The purpose of this paper is to inform the NHS Board on key items of discussion at NHSGGC Population Health and Well Being Committee.

2. Recommendation:

The Board is asked to note the key items of discussion at the last meeting of the **Population Health and Well Being Committee** on **20 July 2022** as set out below and seek further assurance as required.

3. Key Items of Discussion

3.1 Public Health Priorities

The Committee received the updated Public Health Priorities paper for consideration and approval for the 4 areas of Public Health that are to be priorities for NHSGGC.

Following consideration, the Committee were content to approve the 4 priority areas of Public Health for NHSGGC to prioritise in 2022/23; Child Health, Type 2 Diabetes Prevention, Drug Related Deaths and Review of “Turning the Tide”.

3.2 Public Health Assurance Framework

The Committee received a report for approval on the performance measures agreed for the Public Health Priorities.

The Committee were content to note the performance, progress and planned action for improvement.

3.3 Local Child Poverty Action Plans

The Committee received the East Renfrewshire 2021-22 (Year 4) Local Child Poverty Action Plan, the Inverclyde 2022-25 (Year 4) Local Child Poverty Action Plan and the Renfrewshire 2021-22 (Year 4) Local Child Poverty Action Plan presented for review and approval.

The Committee were assured by the progress made and were content to approve the East Renfrewshire, Inverclyde and Renfrewshire Local Child Poverty Action Plans.

3.4 Five Year Mental Health Strategy Prevention Progress Report

The Committee received a report for assurance on the progress of the prevention and early intervention work stream of the NHS GGC Five Year Adult Mental Health Strategy. The report outlined the key aspects of the work plan for the coming year.

The report highlighted the immediate public mental health response to the pandemic, and progress and future plans against key areas of priority including; Pandemic responses, Distress, Mental Health and Well-being primary Care Developments, Suicide Prevention, Challenging Stigma and Public Mental Health Training.

The Committee were assured by the report provided and were content to endorse the 2022/23 actions.

3.5 Drug Related Deaths in GG&C

The Committee received a report to provide an update on drug-related deaths in NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde, and the actions being taken forward to prevent drug related deaths in GG&C.

The report highlighted that the number of drug-related deaths has been steadily increasing in Scotland for many years and this trend has accelerated since 2013.

The Committee noted the report and acknowledged the complexity of the issues faced in reducing drug related deaths. The Committee were assured by the range of work underway to address drug related deaths and harms in GG&C.

3.6 Corporate Risk Register Extract

The Committee received The Corporate Risk Register Extract for assurance which noted the 2 risks aligned to the Population Health and Wellbeing Committee; Pandemic Response and Breakdown of failsafe mechanisms for Public Health Screening.

The Committee noted an update to the risk in relation to the Pandemic Response. An increase was proposed to reflect the current and future uncertainty of any impact on staff and services now that social restrictions, for example testing and isolation, have now been lifted nationally. The Committee were content to approve the update and were assured that the risks aligned to the Population Health and Wellbeing Committee were appropriately scored and described. .

4. Issues for referral to other Standing Committees or escalation to the NHS Board:

There were no issues for referral to other Standing Committees or escalation to the NHS Board.

5. Date of Next Meeting:

The next meeting of the Population Health and Well Being Committee will take place on 12 October 2022 at 2.00pm.