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Agenda item 6

Our Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) – Draft Emerging Key Findings

1. Purpose

To provide the Board with the emerging key findings on the Walsall Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA).

2. Recommendations

- 2.1 The Board to note the emerging findings of the JSNA for the purpose to identify priorities for the Walsall Joint Health and Wellbeing Board Strategy (HWBS).
- 2.2 A commitment to further contributing to; and utilising Walsall's JSNA to help inform organisational priorities and action.

3. Report detail

3.1 "JSNAs will be the means by which local leaders **work together** to understand and agree the needs of all local people, with the **joint** health and wellbeing strategy setting the priorities for **collective action** ... providing the **evidence base for decisions about local services**."

(Department of Health & Social Care, 2011).

- 3.2 A JSNA is:
 - Statutory duty of the HWBB
 - Used to identify local priorities
 - Feeds into the development of the Walsall joint HWBS
 - Assists in developing local plans to improve health and wellbeing of the population and to reduce health inequalities.
- 3.3 A refresh of Walsall's JSNA would have commenced last year (2020), however it was delayed due to the response to the Covid-19 pandemic taking precedence.
- 3.4 This refresh aims to build upon previous iterations and add further value in the form of:
 - Six key chapters and one supplementary
 - Take an asset based approach to drive the 'so what ...?'
 - Incorporate qualitative data i.e. resident survey on Covid-19
 - Learn from others JSNA best practice
 - Continue to host on the Walsall Insight website
 - Improve the end user experience (and strengthen staff skills and expertise) by utilising Power Bi to further effect
- 3.5 In the development of the JSNA a number of HWBB Development sessions have taken place ie on mental wellbeing and JSNA prioritiy formation to inform the development of priorities. Discussions with services ie Children and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS); Adult Social Care (ASC) and Housing colleagues have been had to glean views and seek further input.

- 3.6 A JSNA Working Group (and Teams set up) has been meeting fortnightly, drawing upon the support and expertise of the Walsall Insight Group (WIG further details in appendix 1). WIG have been tasked with refreshing the JSNA to then inform the joint HWBS. A 'JSNA 2021 Refresh Progress Log' has been devised and appropriate officers / Partner officers allocated to assisting with the refresh (an updated version is in appendix 2).
- 3.7 Our JSNA continues with the Marmot life course approach and is structured into six key chapters, with an additional supplementary seventh chapter dedicated to Covid-19. These include:
 - 1. Health and wellbeing
 - 2. Healthy start
 - 3. Adult wellbeing
 - 4. Ageing well
 - 5. Place
 - 6. Economy

Supplementary Chapter 7 - Covid-19

The emerging key findings from the draft 2021 JSNA to date are set out below. Also included by Chapter are the positives emerging, building on the strengths Walsall has.

Chapter 1 – health and wellbeing:

• Varied population density, increased diversity, increased inequalities, lower life expectancy / healthy life espectancy

And - diversity creates opportunities and different experiences.

Chapter 2 – healthy start:

• High infant mortality, higher low birth weight babies, high obesity (reception and year 6), high self-harm, low educational attainment, high number of looked after children and decrease in immunisation uptake

And - Low numbers of those not in education, employment or training (NEET), low hospital attendances, low risky behaviours, low smoking prevalence.

Chapter 3 – adult wellbeing:

• Inactive, poor diets, higher drug use, high rates of diabetes And - high health check uptake and low homelessness.

Chapter 4 – ageing well:

• Higher rate of premature deaths (cancer + cardio-vascular disease), increasing falls, higher MHD

And - low social isolation, good detection of disease (diabetes), good reablement and support at home.

<u>Chapter 5 – place:</u>

 Poor air quality, increasing road accidents/impact, increasing domestic abuse, crime/safety concerns, increased deprivation (IMD), high retail unit vacancies/changing town centre

And - well connected, good access to woodland, rich and diverse trades, arts and heritage

<u>Chapter 6 – economy:</u>

• Unemployment claimant high esp. young people (18-24), gap on matching skills to jobs, low income economy, high fuel poverty

And - diverse job roles across the borough, skilled trades, national companies HQs within the borough.

Supplementary Chapter 7 – Covid-19:

• "enduring transmission" in parts of the borough, continued pressures on health and care services (business continuity), long-covid, impacts on workforce (undetermined), continued requirement for response, taking resources.

However – a strong community response, exposed assets we didn't know, built lasting partnerships.

3.8 An overview of the views and outputs from the recent JSNA focussed HWB Development Session are summarised below, with further assimilation of these taking place.

Do the finding's 'feel about right'?:

- Concerns about the years in ill health how can we improve?
- What are the impacts on mental health in general and as a result of Covid-19?
- How do we address the continuing health inequalities long term in a sustainable way?

Are there any gaps?:

- Adults with learning disabilities
- Details of hospital admissions and reasons for such

Other Comments:

- Links to neighbouring LA JSNAs?
- Good working relationships are key to success.
- Go back to using the 'every contact counts' principle.
- A commitment that strategic plans are linked to a JSNA evidence base.
- 3.9 The timeline for JSNA 2021 reporting, aims to have a final draft in November 2021. This commitment is achievable with direct input and support from identified officers and Partners.

Updated content is being uploaded onto the Walsall Insight website - <u>here</u> in due course. Chapter 1 is currently live, with other Chapters coming soon.

4. Implications for Joint Working arrangements

Good joint working arrangements are crucial in relation to our JSNA process and in delivering the Health and Wellbeing Strategy. The HWB will need to provide the leadership required to overcome potential barriers to effective action.

5. Health and Wellbeing Priorities

HWBs have a statutory duty to ensure they have a JSNA and HWBSin place. These are used to identify local priorities and develop local plans to improve the health and wellbeing of their population and reduce health inequalities.

Background papers

Link to JSNA material is available on the Walsall Insight Website - Walsall JSNA

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Appendix 1 – Walsall Insight Group (WIG) Network

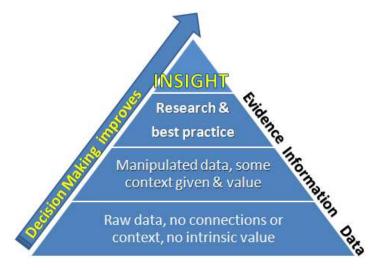
1. Purpose

The Walsall Insight Group (WIG) aims to bring together colleagues from different service areas across Walsall Council whose responsibility it is to ascertain a level of *'Insight'* as part of their job role.

Insight needs to be recognised as a valuable business asset. It is defined as '**the capacity to gain an accurate and deep understanding of someone or something**' (Oxford Dictionary, 2017).

Sharing insight with colleagues and working more collaboratively as part of the Insight transformation programme, will improve intelligence that can then be utilised to make informed council related decisions – this is the overall vision for the programme.

The Insight triangle highlights the levels at which 'insight' is created – data (both qualitative and quantitative) and information are used together to generate intelligence / evidence. Using insight in this way will ensure the council is making evidenced and informed decisions.



2. Objectives of the Group

The key objective of this group is to work collaboratively, to utilise analytical expertise when analysing data to understand the needs of and to inform key decisions aimed at improving outcomes for the borough of Walsall.

WIG members will be committed to providing insight in relation to the Council's and Partner's Boards, this will be achieved via a number of ways including:

- Harness and add value to the boroughs information assets through analysis in order to understand the boroughs key priorities and to hence inform strategic decision-making processes aimed at delivering improved outcomes for the borough.
- Develop a performance framework and monitor delivery against The Walsall Plan.
- Contribution to key Insight products such as Locality profiles; JSNA to inform local delivery and highlight priorities.
- Learning and provision of expertise training to help sustain skill levels amongst all WIG members.

- Collaborate with wider intelligence networks to understand the extent of and hence manage the delivery of agreed forward programme of the borough's analytical and information needs.
- To work towards contributing to the three key strategic assessments.
- To recognise, harness and strengthen capabilities within WIG and wider intelligence network so that products are fit for purpose and of a good quality; incorporating creative, innovative, qualitative and informative outputs that informs sound decisions and hence leads to positive outcomes for the borough.
- WIG to act as peer support on more formal basis, to assist in developing personal analytical and technical skills.
- To identify and to act on areas for improvement relevant to delivery of forward programme of analytical needs. For example development of Walsall's Local Information System (LIS).
- To adhere to and facilitate delivery of agreed Partnership Data Sharing Protocol and other information governance guidelines in relation to GDPR 2018.

3. Membership

Recognised Walsall Council colleagues who have an 'insight' responsibility within their job role.

It is recognised that membership will extend to Partners in due course as they too play a vital role in the delivery of insight and the success of Insight as a LA transformation programme is pivotal.

4. Role of the Nominated Representative

The role of members is:

- To work collaboratively across the insight network in order to meet the analytical needs of their service i.e. JSNA
- To act as a channel to facilitate the wider analytical group networks contribution into analytical outputs.
- To act as an analytical 'champion' for WIG and a source of advice within their own service area / organisation.
- To act as a point of contact for partner organisations on analytical issues within their service area
- To refer issues to the group as appropriate
- To draw on the expertise of the group for specific projects i.e. JSNA
- To promote a culture where evidence is paramount to effective decision making.

Appendix 2 – JSNA 2021 Progress Log

	0)21 - Progress Log	In Progress Complete		
Chapter Number	tion Number	t ba Name	Analyst	Comments	the sal notes
	Sect	ž		5	Vrdd
	0	Executive Summary	ET	Being collated - slide set. To include discussions from HWBB Dev. Session. Health & Wellbeing in Walsall	A draft slide set is nearing completion for the development session
	0	Introduction Demography	LH	Update to 2019	https://app.powerbi.com/links/pV.covGoZ3-?ctid=5ddc79c7-7e59-4267-ba30-84b24atad9948/pbi_sourceslink
_	2	Life Expectancy at birth (males & females) * Healthy Life Expectancy at birth (males & females)	LH	Update to 2016-18 Update to 2016-18	ktips:tapp.powerbi.com/linkstp/Vov/Go23:?olid=5ddc79c7.7e69-4287-ba30-84b24a1ad9948.pbi_source=link https:tapp.powerbi.com/linkstp/Vov/Go23:?olid=5ddc79c7.7e69-4287-ba30-84b24a1ad9948.pbi_source=link
	4	Health Inequalities *	ET	PHE definition uses 11 indicators (collate these as well into a specific section for ease)	https://app.powerbi.com/linka/pVxxxGo23-?ctid=5ddc?9c7-7e69-428f-ba30-84b24afad934&pbi_source=link
	8	So What?		Healthy Start	
	0	Introduction General fertility rate	DH	New section. Update to 2019	https://app.powerbi.com/linkat/gb57aht9ed?cticl=5ddc79c7-7e59-428f-ba30-84b24a1ad9948.pbi_asurce=link5
		Low birth weight Mothers median age at childbirth	DH	New section. Update to 2019 New section. Update to 2019	bttps://app.powarbi.com/links/tgb57sH3ed?otid=5ddc79c7.7659.4286.ba30.84b24a1ad9348.pbi_cource=link3 https://app.powarbi.com/links/tgb57sH3ed?otid=5ddc79c7-7e69-428f-ba30-84b24a1ad9948.pbi_cource=link3
_	2	Poverty in Childhood * Infant and Perinatal Mortality *	LC CH / DH	Use domain within IMD as a proxy	
-	4	Mental Health of CYP Educational Attainment - ALL	CH / DH SD	Ongoing - been prepared - draft dash set up - just tweaking	Awaiting sign off
_	6	Parenting Capacity Healthy Weight (reception) *	SD CH	revisiting - want some advice on data to include (LAIT tool use maybe)	Awaiting sign off
_	8	Oral Health	VT / LH	Meeting with PHE dental consultant - Fri 20 Aug	
		Educational Attainment - GCSE School attainment Healthy Weight (year 6) *	SD CH	Ongoing - been prepared - draft dash set up - just tweaking	Awaiting sign off
_		Sexual Health Teenage Pregnancy	DW / CH DW / CH		DH may be able to help using births data if reqd
	13	Vulnerable CYP Childhood vaccinations / immunisations	LA/DT CH	revisiting - want some advice on data to include (LAIT tool use maybe) captured from the HP data	Awaiting sign off
		So What?		Adult Wellbeing	
		Introduction			https://app.powerbi.com/links/DDfzDW/28IH?ctid=5ddc73c7-7e63-428f-ba30-84b24a1ad934&pbi_source=lin
	1	Overweight and obese adults Adult physical activity	DH	PHE Fingertips data (2015/16 to 2019/20) PHE Fingertips data (to 2019/20). Outdoor gyms - no data but could map	https://app.powerbi.com/links/COfzCV/28IH?ctid=5ddc79c7-7e69-428F-ba30-84b24a1ad9948.pbi_source=lin
	3 4	Smoking Cessation and tobacco control Substance Misuse (drugs & alcohol)	DH	Use PHE Fingertips data (prevalence, satod & quits); provide brief local service inf Use PHOF indicators (2010-19); include brief local service info	e https://app.powerbi.com/links/COC/FZOW281H?ctid=5ddc79c7-7a63-428f-ba30-84b24a1ad9948.pbi_source=lin https://app.powerbi.com/links/COC/FZOW281H?ctid=5ddc79c7-7a63-428f-ba30-84b24a1ad9948.pbi_source=lin
-	5	Emotional health and wellbeing * Making connections Walsall	DH / CH DH	Approved by Sarah Oakley	https://app.powerbi.com/links/COD/zCW/281H?ctid=5ddc79c7-7e69-426f-ba30-84b24a1ad934&pbi_source=lin
		So What?		Ageing Well	
	0	Introduction			
_		NHS Health Checks Diabetes	DH	Just one PHOF indicator (we'd otherwise have to explain the data anomaly which v Use PHE Fingertips data.	The photo and logo used are all official items and legal to use. https://app.powerbi.com/links/L50H4b47H1?ctid=5ddc79c7-7e69-428f-ba30-84b24a1ad994&pbi_source=link5
-		Mental Health and Suicide * Health Protection *	CH		Data preparation in progress Utilise what use for Health Protection Forum
_		Maintaining mobility and preventing falls Adult Oral Health	DH VT/CH	Use PHE Fingertips data. Meeting with PHE dental consultant - Fri 20 Aug	https://app.powerbi.com/links/L50H4b47Hi?ctid=5ddc79c7-7e69-428f-ba30-84b24a1ad994&pbi_source=link3
		Dementia	CH / AA	concern on increase in dementia due to covid (CW) - forward thinking	
		Excess seasonal deaths and fuel poverty Independant Living and quality of life	ET KS [JM]	2 pbi dashboards - preventative & ASC	Matt has set up on ishare - link to? See email from David Lockwood Signed off but due to go to ASC P&F Committee once collated
		Carers End of Life care	KS [JM] DH/AA/JM		Signed off but due to go to ASC P&F Committee once collated Signed off but due to go to ASC P&F Committee once collated
_		Premature mortality - summary * Premature mortality - detail	DH	PHE data from 2009-11 to 2017-19 NHS Digital local data, aggregated 2017-19	https://app.powerbi.com/inks/L50H4b47Hi?ctid=5ddc78c7-7e63-428F-ba30-84b24afad594&pbi_source=link/ https://app.powerbi.com/inks/L50H4b47Hi?ctid=5ddc78c7-7e63-428F-ba30-84b24afad594&pbi_source=link/
		Cancer	DH	Covered in premature mortality	https://app.powerbi.com/links/U50H4b47Hi?ctid=5ddc79c7-7e69-428f-ba30-84b24a1ad994&pbi_source=links/
		Heart Disease Stroke	DH	Covered in premature mortality Covered in premature mortality	bitps://app.powerbi.com/links/J50H4b47Hi?ctid=5ddc?9c7-7e69-428F-ba30-94b24a1ad9948.pbi_source=link3 https://app.powerbi.com/links/L50H4b47Hi?ctid=5ddc?9c7-7e69-428F-ba30-94b24a1ad9948.pbi_source=link3
		COPD So What?	DH/CH	Fingertips has COPD hospital admissions but only one data point, no trend. Would Can use the section to mention current services or recommendations Place	d PHE screenshot suffice showing comparators? Met with David & Jan to agree the 'flow' of the chapter - Tue 20 July 2021
	0	Introduction Getting About		Place	
	2.1	Sport and Leisure	н	Struggling to obtain data	
		Green spaces Play	LH	People counter data. http://cms.valsall.gov.uk/green_space_strategy_finalx6_opt.pdf	https://app.powerbi.com/inks/w/g7/zbj3l.?old=5ddc79s7-7e69-428f-bs30-84b24a1ad9948.pbi_source=linkSi https://app.powerbi.com/inks/w/g7/zbj3l.?old=5ddc79s7-7e69-428f-bs30-84b24a1ad9948.pbi_source=linkSi
_	2.4	Allotments and community gardens Playing fields	LH		https://app.powerbi.com/links/w/g7/zbj3L?ctid=5ddc73s7-7e69-428f-ba30-84b24a1ad9348.pbi_source=linkS https://app.powerbi.com/links/w/g7/zbj3L?ctid=5ddc73s7-7e69-428f-ba30-84b24a1ad9348.pbi_source=linkS
_	2.7	Libraries, heritage and arts Planning Policy	LC	link to ishare - celebrate heritage i.e art gallery, leather museum link to ishare	
	4	Stronger Communities	SA [ET]	Look to utilise the recent Strategic Assessment.	https://app.powerbi.com/links/w/g7/zbj3L7cbid=5ddc79s7-7e69-428f-ba30-84b24a1ad994&.pbi_source=link5
	6	Community Safety plan Wider Determinants	SA [ET] ET	Look to utilise the recent Strategic Assessment. Ascertain what to include - or link to profiles?	bttps://app.powerbi.com/link.stwlg?r2bj3L?ctid=5ddc?9c7-7e69-428f-ba30-84b24a1ad994&pbi_source=linkS
	7	Assets So What?	ET[TL/MB]	Regeneration / planning development (used within ward profiles) - link to ishare?	
	0	Introduction		Economy	
	1	Deprivation Welfare Reform	LC/LH RH	homelessness, young people, housing first, domestic abuse, rough sleepers	https://www.waisalinteligence.org.uk/home/demographics/deprivation/
	2	Healthy Housing	RH	initiative (prison release), housing standards (DFG, private sector stock condition	ET met with RH on 10.06.21. LH met with RH on 13.09.21 & provided PBI input. LH colalted a simple re
	4	Economy and Employment * Adults and Parents	LC LC	Data is prepared, ready for PBI input Data is prepared, ready for PBI input	LH to provide PBI input on 16.09.21 (meeting cancelled). LH to provide PBI input on 16.09.21 (meeting cancelled).
-	6	Young People *	LC	Data is prepared, ready for PBI input Armed forces (Helen O got some slides to share)	LH to provide PBI input on 16.09.21 (meeting cancelled).
	7	Vulnerable groups So What?	LC	Data is prepared, ready for PBI input	LH to provide PBI input on 16.09.21 (meeting cancelled).
	0	Introduction		Covid-19	
	1	Positive cases	UH	Link to Walsall Covid-19 dash on Walsall Council website (weekly update)	https://app.powerbi.com/view?r=eys/djcf/zizNDB/ADD0YTdMS00NzUSLWFmNzEN/JFIN2Us/DGUI2WY1ividCBI/A/2GM30
	2	Deaths CEV Support	LH DH	Link to Walsall Covid-19 dash on Walsall Council website (weekly update) Approved by Sarah Oakley	https://app.powerbi.com/view?meyuk/joiYzlaNDIA/DD/YTaM500NzUSLVFmNzDNzFN2UyCGUT2V/1IwIdCBUV/2CM30 https://app.powerbi.com/view?meyuk/joiYzlaNDIA/Dd/YTaM500NzUSLVFmNzDNzFN2UyCGUT2V/1IwIdCBUV/2CM30 https://app.powerbi.com/view?meyuk/joiYzlaNDIA/Dd/YTaM500NzUSLVFmNzDNzFN2UyCGUT2V/1IwIdCBUV/2CM30
	4	Vaccinations Long Covid	CH/MS ET/MS	Link to Walsall Covid-19 dash on Walsall Council website (weekly update) Map of long covid manor patients? MS sourced 4 June report on ONS	https://app.powerbi.com/view?r=eyukjaYzk/DB/NDD/YTd/MS00NzUSU/vFmNzEN/zFNZUyOGU12/vY1kvidO6(//k2GM30
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	5 0 1 2	Introduction Resident survey (Nov 2020) Carers Survey	AK [ET] KS/JM	Carers survey commence in Autumn, can add in due course.	
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	5 0 1 2 3	Introduction Resident survey (Nov 2020) Carers Survey Any others? So Whet?	KS/JM ET to check	Carers survey commence in Autumn, can add in due course.	
	5 0 1 2	Introduction Resident survey (Nov 2020) Carers Survey Any others?	KS/JM	Carers survey commence in Autumn, can add in due course. IMPACT or walsall works / home learning (Bob Thomas - Df Survey). James C may	also have some useful additions. bites/fingerise.she.org.uk/atsic-racortshealth.corfile/2019E0800000.btm?arse-name=Walsail. bites-fingerise.she.org.uk/atsid=hatsic-secondshealth.corfile/2019E0800000.btm?arse-name=Walsail. bites-fingerise.she.org.uk/atsid=hatsic-secondshealth.corfile/2019E0800000.btm?arse-name=Walsail.