

READING HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

Date of Meeting	06 October 2023
Title	Buckinghamshire, Oxfordshire and Berkshire West Integrated Care Board Update
Purpose of the report	To note the report for information
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Organisation	Buckinghamshire, Oxfordshire and Berkshire West Integrated Care Board
Recommendations	1. That members note the report

1. Executive Summary

- 1.1. The Integrated Care Board's Update Briefing provides members with an update on the development of the Buckinghamshire, Oxfordshire and Berkshire West Integrated Care Board, its contribution to delivery of the Integrated Care Strategy and the progress of place-based partnership structures.
- 1.2. The briefing incorporates the following key sections:
 - NHS Joint Forward Plan
 - Update on recent ICB executive appointments
 - ICB Board Meeting
 - Industrial Action
 - Covid-19 and Flu Vaccination Campaign
 - Berkshire West focussed updates

2. Policy Context

- 2.1. The Health and Wellbeing Board has a statutory duty to consider whether the ICB is having due regard to the *Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy*.

3. The Proposal

- 3.1. Not applicable

4. Contribution to Reading's Health and Wellbeing Strategic Aims

- 4.1. The briefing describes work undertaken by the ICB which may contribute to Reading's Health and Wellbeing Strategic Aims including:
 1. Reduce the differences in health between different groups of people
 2. Support individuals at high risk of bad health outcomes to live healthy lives
 3. Help children and families in early years
 4. Promote good mental health and wellbeing for all children and young people

5. Promote good mental health and wellbeing for all adults

5. Environmental and Climate Implications

5.1. Not covered in this report.

6. Community Engagement

6.1 Not covered in this report.

7. Equality Implications

7.1. Under the Equality Act 2010, Section 149, a public authority must, in the exercise of its functions, have due regard to the need to—

- eliminate discrimination, harassment, victimisation and any other conduct that is prohibited by or under this Act;
- advance equality of opportunity between persons who share a relevant protected characteristic and persons who do not share it;
- foster good relations between persons who share a relevant protected characteristic and persons who do not share it.

7.2. Not applicable

8. Other Relevant Considerations

8.1. Not applicable

9. Legal Implications

9.1. Not applicable

10. Financial Implications

10.1. Not applicable

11. Timetable for Implementation

11.1. Not applicable.

12. Background Papers

12.1. None.

Appendices

- Appendix 1 – The Integrated Care Board's Update Briefing
- Appendix 2 - A summary of the ICB's winter communications approach.