

## READING HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

<b>Date of Meeting</b>	06 October 2023
<b>Title</b>	Buckinghamshire, Oxfordshire and Berkshire West Integrated Care Board Annual Report July 2022-March 2023
<b>Purpose of the report</b>	To note the report for information
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<b>Organisation</b>	Buckinghamshire, Oxfordshire and Berkshire West Integrated Care Board
<b>Recommendations</b>	1. That members note the report

### 1. Executive Summary

- 1.1. The Integrated Care Board (ICB)'s Annual Report covers the period July 2022 (when the ICB was formed) to March 2023 and is presented for members to note.
- 1.2. The Annual Report incorporates the following key sections:
  - Performance Report – this consists of a performance overview and a performance analysis and outlines the ICB's purpose and statutory duties, going on to describe how these duties have been executed. It looks at how the organisation has performed since its establishment in July 2022 and the key risks it faces.
  - Accountability Report – incorporating Corporate Governance Report, Statement of Accountable Officer's responsibilities and Annual Governance Statement.
  - Remuneration Report
  - Staff Report

A Parliamentary Accountability and Audit Report is not required however the ICB has opted to include disclosures on remote contingent liabilities, losses and special payments, gifts and feeds and charges (none recorded for this period). Appendix 1 includes the ICB's financial accounts for the period ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023.

### 2. Policy Context

- 2.1. The Health and Wellbeing Board has a statutory duty to consider whether ICB commissioning plans take proper regard of the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy. This opinion is not formally sought in this paper however members may note the current ICB priorities highlighted.

### 3. The Proposal

- 3.1. Not applicable

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

- 4.1. The Annual Report 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. The Council declared a Climate Emergency at its meeting on 26 February 2019 (Minute 48 refers).
- 5.2. The ICB's Annual Report sets out work undertaken on environmental sustainability.

## **6. Community Engagement**

- 6.1. The ICB's Annual Report sets out the organisation's approach to community engagement.

## **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. There are none.