

## **Implementing the Health Wellbeing Strategy – Shared Outcomes Framework Priority**

### **Tower Hamlets Together Outcomes Framework**

#### **Background**

The foundation of the Tower Hamlets Health and Wellbeing Strategy is a shared outcomes framework that articulates the partnership aspiration for improvement of health and wellbeing in the borough. The Board has previously received presentations on how this is being developed as part of the Tower Hamlets Together Vanguard programme. This paper sets out the plans for 2017/18 to establish the Outcomes Framework as a foundation and central point of reference and logic modelling for the health and care system

The work commissioned by THT in 16/17 involved working with partners and the public on identifying a set of primary outcomes expressed as 'I statements' and primary and secondary indicators to track progress against primary outcomes. The 'I statements' are set out visually in appendix one.

#### **What will we have achieved by the end of March 2018?**

In the long term, we aim to:

- Have an established health and wellbeing outcomes framework that has been coproduced and validated with the public and that is the central point of reference for strategy, commissioning, provision and monitoring across the health and care
- Ensure that the framework is being integrated into commissioning across the health and wellbeing economy (eg into contracts)
- Ensure that provision across the health and care is aligned to the outcomes framework and that providers are aware of the framework
- Drive integrated partnership working across health and care around shared outcomes

How will we measure success?

- Evidence that that framework has emerged through a process of coproduction
- Contracts referencing the outcomes framework
- Case studies of how the framework has been applied to provision to drive better outcomes
- Progress against outcomes

What is the overall plan for the year?

The progress so far is that we have developed an outcomes framework that has been developed with providers and the public including a workshop with the Health and Wellbeing Board and engagement events as part of the Health and Wellbeing consultation.

The tasks for 17/18 are as follows:

- Undertake further engagement with the public to ensure the outcomes framework accurately represents what is most important to them, in particular with a focus on hard to reach and excluded groups, including people who are housebound, have a mental health problem or learning disability, and children and young people and their families  
(June – September)
- Undertake further engagement with professionals to ensure that where appropriate the outcomes framework is sufficiently evidence-based  
(June – October)
- Develop a plan for shadow-testing the outcomes framework, selecting relevant outcomes from the framework to monitor during the period and developing the infrastructure necessary to support regular reporting  
(July- September)
- Develop an approach to capturing, analyzing and reporting Patient Reported Outcome Measures (PROMs) and Patient Reported Experience Measures (PREMs) consistently across the health and care system. Beginning with those required in the CHS Outcomes Framework, but with the flexibility to be adapted to capture PROMs and PREMs in the THT Outcomes Framework more generally, and across THT commissioned and provided services, including the voluntary sector  
(From September)

What are we going to do in the next three months?

- In the next three months we are focussing on the engagement elements outlined above and we have commissioned an engagement partner to work with us (the New Economics Framework) and validating/modifying the framework in response to this.
- We are working with the Corporate Strategy Policy and Performance team in the council to explore how we can align the residents survey with the primary 'I statements' that have been identified in the framework
- We will be exploring the process for monitoring indicators in the context of developing a shared intelligence function for Tower Hamlets Together as part of the Population Health workstream

Are there any issues to share with the Board at this point?

- As the engagement programme is implemented, Board members may be asked for help identifying networks to support the work.
- For information, the programme is overseen by a small steering group with representation from the CCG, Council and Tower Hamlet Together reporting to the Systems Delivery Group that reports to the THT Steering Group (which in turns report to the THT Programme Board)

