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Health Scrutiny Panel	26 October 2010	Unrestricted	No.		
Report of:		Title:			
NHS Tower Hamlets London Borough of Tower Hamlets		Update on Joint Strategic Needs Assessment			
Presenting Officer:		Ward(s) affected:			
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## 1. Summary

The briefing and presentation set out the borough profile, health headlines and needs assessment for Tower Hamlets in 2010.

The Joint Strategic Needs Assessment is the process that identifies the current and future health and wellbeing needs of a local population. It informs the priorities and targets set by local area agreements between the NHS and the Council and its partners which lead to agreed commissioning priorities that will improve outcomes and reduce health inequalities.

It takes in to account the wider determinants of income, unemployment, housing and homelessness, education, crime, road safety and unemployment. As well as the following health issues: maternity and early years, children and young people, staying healthy, long term conditions and disability, cancer, mental health, end of life care, planned care, unplanned care and cross cutting issues

## 2. Recommendations

The purpose of the presentation is to:

- a) Introduce HSP to JSNA and the joint approach of the Council and NHS
- b) Summarise 09/10 findings and recommendations.
- c) Summarise feedback from 09/10 and set out approach to 10/11

The Health Scrutiny Panel is asked to:

- a) Comment on the content and approach for 10/11
- b) Consider how the Health Scrutiny Panel can be involved in the process.