

Feedback from Thematic Partnerships: June 2009

Thematic Partnership		
Health and Well-being Partnership		
Main Aims of the Partnership		
To provide:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a partnership for the Area Director of Public Health for Hampshire Primary Care Trust to be equally accountable to the district councils within the area (namely, Fareham, Gosport and Havant boroughs); more local and visible leadership for health and well-being; opportunities for dialogue between member agencies (PCT and Local Authorities) across a range of health planning, general and practice-based commissioning and delivery issues. 		
Emerging Priorities		
How can you make a difference?	1	To increase physical activity across all age groups
	2	To effect a reduction in levels of obesity in children and adults
	3	To promote independence and quality of life/well-being amongst older adult population groups.
Links to Hampshire Local Area Agreement Priority Outcomes		
LAA Priority:	F	<p>Promote the health and well-being of people in Hampshire.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Manage the risk of emergency hospital admission and length of stay, especially for vulnerable people Provide information and support to older people to enable them to live independently Improve health and well-being of people in Hampshire and reduce inequalities between areas of Hampshire with high and low deprivation scores Promote independent living for vulnerable people Tackle alcohol abuse
Progress since March 2009		

Fareham work streams within Health & Well Being (SE Public Health Liaison Board) Action Plan are up to date to December 2008.

At the last Officer's meeting (7th April 2009) it was agreed that the SE Public Health Liaison Board Action Plan would be updated with Fareham's targets/ plans for 2009/10, to refresh the plan and help drive actions. Unfortunately, at present this has not been completed due to changes within the council's Leisure & Community division.

Key headlines since March 2009 include:

- Links have been made with the Fareham & Gosport Sports Partnership Activity Alliance (SPAA) and how reporting and updates are to be received.
- Fareham Walking to Health initiative has seen 2526 participants take part in 118 walk over the last 12 months. A new 30-minute short walk aimed at residents with low self-esteem, low confidence, mobility issues and health conditions is now being led from Fareham Leisure Centre on a weekly basis.
- A new programme of volunteer walk leader training has been scheduled for June 2009, with an emphasis on staff at Children Centres getting trained up to lead on 'buggy walks'.
- A working group has been established between community development officers from Fareham, Havant and Gosport to identify and deliver work aimed at older people to increase physical activity opportunities and reduce the risk of slips, trips and falls.
- The Public Health Workforce Development programme has now been agreed and will be delivered to Members and Officers, 1st July 3.30-5.30 pm.
- Fareham Exercise Referral Scheme received 267 referrals in 2008/09. Hampshire Primary Care Trust are currently drawing up a contract to agree funding for £7,000 to enable the continuation of this programme and its further development over 2009/10
- An alcohol intervention service is established out of the Spotlight service in Fareham and are

being supported by police and other partners. The service has a stakeholder group involving community safety managers, police, Hampshire PCT, Probation Service and courts service and sees alcohol referrals from Fareham and Gosport police custody suites. Referral routes are being expanded to include local GPs and the local courts.

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Gosport Borough Council		Councillor Peter Edgar	
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Meetings Held and Arranged			
Date:	7 th April 2009 - held	Date:	16 th September 2009
Date:	9 th June 2009	Date:	10 th December 2009