

**A WHOLE SYSTEM PARTNERSHIP APPROACH TO HEALTH AND LIVING WELL  
ACROSS CAMBRIDGESHIRE AND PETERBOROUGH**

*To:* **Health and Wellbeing Board**

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*Recommendations:* **The Health and Wellbeing Board is asked to:**

- a) Agree the draft Living Well Concordat (Appendix 1)**
- b) Seek formal agreement from their respective Partners to signing up to this Living Well Concordat.**

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## **1. PURPOSE**

- 1.1 To seek the Health and Wellbeing Board's agreement to the "Living Well Concordat" to support a whole system approach to health and wellbeing across Cambridgeshire and Peterborough.

## **2 BACKGROUND**

- 2.1 In January 2018, Health & Wellbeing Board considered a draft "Living Well Concordat" and asked for the wording to be reviewed to remove jargon and ensure it was understandable to residents. At the South Cambridgeshire / Cambridge City Living Well Area Partnership in February 2018, the Patient Representative volunteered to review the wording. The Living Well Concordat presented at Appendix 1 includes those changes and suggestions.

## **3. MAIN ISSUES**

- 3.1 The Living Well Concordat will streamline governance by providing a single, shared commitment by all local health system organisations to working in partnership for the benefit of local residents by bringing together the multiple current partnering commitments variously in existence.
- 3.3 For clarity, formal decision-making and scrutiny of Partners' individual health and wellbeing work will remain with individual partners and their legal responsibilities. The Cambridgeshire and the Peterborough Health & Wellbeing Boards will continue to provide Councillor-led partnership leadership.

## **4 RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS**

- 4.1 Improved partnership approaches are intended to make best use of all partners' limited resources. Streamlining of local partnership meetings supporting delivery of this Concordat means there will be fewer meetings, so reducing duplication and Member and officer time demands, ensuring more effective and efficient use of officer time.

## **5 ALIGNMENT WITH THE CAMBRIDGESHIRE HEALTH AND WELLBEING STRATEGY**

- 5.1 The recommendations support all six of the Health and Wellbeing Strategy priorities, but on particular Priority 6: Work together effectively.
  - Priority 1: Ensure a positive start to life for children, young people and their families.
  - Priority 2: Support older people to be independent, safe and well.
  - Priority 3: Encourage healthy lifestyles and behaviours in all actions and activities while respecting people's personal choices.
  - Priority 4: Create a safe environment and help to build strong communities, wellbeing and mental health.
  - Priority 5: Create a sustainable environment in which communities can flourish.
  - Priority 6: Work together effectively.

## 6 SOURCES

Source Documents	Location
Cambridgeshire Health & Wellbeing Board 1 February 2018, Agenda item 8, Appendix 2	<a href="https://cmis.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/ccclive/Meetings/tabid/70/ctl/ViewMeetingPublic/mid/397/Meeting/640/Committee/12/SelectedTab/Documents/Default.aspx">https://cmis.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/ccclive/Meetings/tabid/70/ctl/ViewMeetingPublic/mid/397/Meeting/640/Committee/12/SelectedTab/Documents/Default.aspx</a>