

SUNDERLAND HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

20 November 2015

FEEDBACK FROM THE ADULTS PARTNERSHIP BOARD

Report of the Chair of the Adults Partnership Board

The Adults Partnership Board met on Tuesday 10th November, 2015.

5. Review of Terms of Reference – Adults Partnership Board

KG reported at the last meeting it had been agreed to look at the focus of the group and membership. KG noted the Adults Partnership sits alongside the Children's Trust, the Provider Forum and the Integration Board as formal advisory groups to the Health & Wellbeing Board (HWBB). KG highlighted the need for a more focused session to look at providing guidance to the HWBB to deliver on key priorities but also to define a role providing assistance to all the City's strategic partnerships. NR noted the need to ensure a richer mix of members and to establish where this board fits with other groups. GM agreed the audience should be broadened and suggested an invite should be circulated.

The HWBB is requested to:

- **Note the development meeting**
- **Provide views to be fed back to the APB on how it would like the Board to fulfil its advisory board function**

7. NASCIS Final Data – Carers Survey

The survey showed that 42.9% of the carers in Sunderland are overall satisfied with the service and are very well supported in Sunderland.

GM highlighted the need for a collated Sunderland document showing the Sunderland stats from the overall report including the views of carers and local satisfaction levels.

Action: The Carers Centre and People Services will pull this together

9. Age Friendly Event Update

The Board welcomed the news that Sunderland has been designated with World Health Organisation Age Friendly City status. It was noted that over 70 people had attended the Age Friendly launch event with Age UK on 19th October. The morning session had included presentations and the context for the day with workshops and feedback sessions on the afternoon. SC noted there would be a three year action plan produced when the baseline information has been finalised. SC reported there would be a high level strategy group developed to help make the links with the City's 3 Leadership Boards.

The HWBB is recommended to:

- **Note the new WHO Age Friendly designation**
- **Suggest members to be part of the high level strategy group**

10. Dementia Friendly Communities – Discussion

The Board discussed the Prime Minister's Dementia 2020 challenge, a multi-agency dementia event in March looking at national dementia strategy priorities and groups to take this forward and a regional exercise to map dementia friendly activity.

It was felt that there was a need for a collated Sunderland picture of activity plus a single action plan. This needs to be brought to a later Board.

Public Health highlighted the need for more early awareness of the condition, at the moment it is included in the Healthcheck programme but from 65+ but recommend this changes to increase awareness from 40+.

There is an opportunity to link dementia friendly communities with all age friendly communities.

Date and Time of Next Meeting

Tuesday 5th January, 2016 at 2.30pm in the Civic Centre.