

Summary of the work of the Health Improvement Partnership Board in 2018/19

<p><b>Agreed Priorities for 2019-20</b></p>	<p><b>1. Keeping Yourself Healthy (Prevent)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reduce Physical Inactivity / Promote Physical Activity</li> <li>• Enable people to eat healthily</li> <li>• Reduce smoking prevalence</li> <li>• Promote Mental Wellbeing</li> <li>• Tackle wider determinants of health - Housing and homelessness</li> <li>• Immunisation</li> </ul> <p><b>2. Reducing the impact of ill health (Reduce)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prevent chronic disease though tackling obesity</li> <li>• Screening for early awareness of risk</li> <li>• Alcohol advice and treatment</li> <li>• Community Safety impact on health outcomes</li> </ul> <p><b>3. Shaping Healthy Places and Communities</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Healthy Environment and Housing Development</li> <li>• Learn from the Healthy New Towns and influence policy</li> <li>• Social Prescribing</li> <li>• Making Every Contact Count</li> <li>• Campaigns and initiatives to inform the public</li> </ul>
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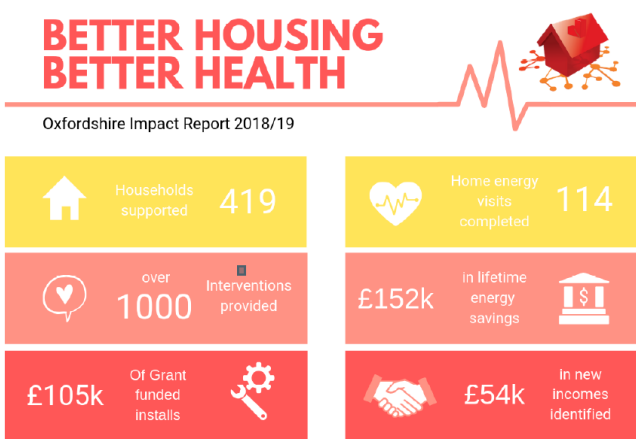
**Progress reports on priority work (priority, aim, deliverable, progress report)**

**a. Housing Support Advisory Group**

<p><b>Priority</b></p>	<p>To prevent and reduce the impact of homelessness and rough sleeping</p>
<p><b>Aim or Focus</b></p>	<p>The Housing Support Advisory Group report covered 3 topics</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Performance update on preventing homelessness</li> <li>2. Process for an independent review of deaths of homeless or recently housed people in 2018-19</li> <li>3. Transformation of housing support services</li> </ol>
<p><b>Deliverable</b></p>	<p>Partnership work and joint reporting across all local authorities to reduce and prevent homelessness</p>
<p><b>Progress report</b></p>	<p>The full report can be seen here:  <a href="https://mycouncil.oxfordshire.gov.uk/documents/s48339/Item%209%20-%20HSAG%20Health%20Improvement%20Report%20030919.pdf">https://mycouncil.oxfordshire.gov.uk/documents/s48339/Item%209%20-%20HSAG%20Health%20Improvement%20Report%20030919.pdf</a></p> <p>The performance report highlighted the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Between Q1 and Q4 there has been a reduction in the number of households in temporary accommodation from 195 to 141</li> <li>• In total there were 1,246 prevention duties undertaken across the County in 2018-19. This would involve activities to enable an applicant to stay in their current home or find alternative accommodation in order to prevent them becoming homeless.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In total there have been 630 relief duties provided across Oxfordshire in 2018-19. This is almost exactly half the number of households benefitting from a prevention duty.</li> <li>• Rough sleeping numbers reported are higher than last year and therefore the indicator is rated RED. See below</li> </ul> <p>In addition it was noted that the independent review of deaths of people in the homeless pathway is scheduled to report in February 2020.</p>
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**b. Affordable Warmth Network annual report**

<b>Priority</b>	To tackle the wider determinants of health by reducing fuel poverty, especially for those for whom cold homes will exacerbate existing health conditions.						
<b>Aim or Focus</b>	<p>The Health Improvement Board agreed the following recommendations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Continue to champion the role housing plays in protecting and maintaining the health of both young, old and vulnerable and ensures housing has a place in the Health and Wellbeing Strategy.</li> <li>• Request the AWN to report next year on the progress on tackling inequalities, particularly around young families.</li> <li>• Challenge clinical and health and social care partners to explore opportunities to work more closely with the AWN, with success being demonstrated by an increase in referrals from health and social care practitioners to the BHBH service.</li> </ul>						
<b>Deliverable</b>	To deliver the Better Housing Better Health freephone advice line, helping residents to access services to tackle fuel poverty. Also to raise awareness and embed referral pathways with key health and social care partners						
<b>Progress report</b>	 <p><b>BETTER HOUSING BETTER HEALTH</b> Oxfordshire Impact Report 2018/19</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Households supported: 419</td> <td>Home energy visits completed: 114</td> </tr> <tr> <td>over 1000 interventions provided</td> <td>£152k in lifetime energy savings</td> </tr> <tr> <td>£105k Of Grant funded installs</td> <td>£54k in new incomes identified</td> </tr> </table> <p>The full report can be seen here:  <a href="https://mycouncil.oxfordshire.gov.uk/documents/s48263/Item%2010%20-%20HIB%20Report%20on%20Fuel%20Poverty%20and%20poor%20Housing%20Conditions.pdf">https://mycouncil.oxfordshire.gov.uk/documents/s48263/Item%2010%20-%20HIB%20Report%20on%20Fuel%20Poverty%20and%20poor%20Housing%20Conditions.pdf</a></p>	Households supported: 419	Home energy visits completed: 114	over 1000 interventions provided	£152k in lifetime energy savings	£105k Of Grant funded installs	£54k in new incomes identified
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**c. Whole System Approach to Healthy Weight**

<p><b>Priority</b></p>	<p>To develop a whole systems approach to healthy weight which incorporates environmental factors, food, physical activity and weight management programmes.</p> <p><b>Overarching principles to guide this work</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• There is no single solution to tackle obesity</li> <li>• We need to work collaboratively across traditional sectors and boundaries</li> <li>• Collective and coordinated action is greater and more effective than its parts</li> <li>• We need to gain further insight and co-design solutions with our communities</li> <li>• Universal and targeted action is needed to address health inequalities</li> <li>• We all need to be confident talking about weight</li> </ul>
<p><b>Aim or Focus</b></p>	<p><b>Where do we want to be?</b> We will develop, test and implement a whole systems approach to healthy weight across the lifecourse that will focus on 3 key delivery themes, detailed below.</p> <pre> graph TD     A[Healthy weight environment] --&gt; B[Population approaches to improve the food and physical activity environment]     C[Support for residents to achieve a healthy weight] --&gt; D[Provision of joined up healthy weight services across the life course]     E[Working with partners to promote a healthy weight] --&gt; F[Development of a healthy weight systems network and action plan]     </pre>

<p><b>Deliverable</b></p>	<p>In 2019-2021 we will continue with the above and work with partners to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop a healthy weight system story map for Oxfordshire to identify the scale of the issue, develop a clear rationale for targeted action, and engage stakeholders</li> <li>• Map the current healthy weight initiatives in Oxfordshire to better understand the existing system</li> <li>• Map the drivers of obesity locally and explore opportunities for further action</li> <li>• Review the levers and barriers to implementing restriction zones for new hot food takeaway premises around schools and colleges</li> <li>• Review the levers and barriers to restrict advertising of high fat high sugar foods on bus stops, bill boards and other advertising spaces</li> <li>• Review the levers and barriers to incentivise healthy catering in Oxfordshire</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conduct a range of face to face interviews and surveys to gain insight from a range of stakeholders, including businesses, the voluntary sector, and children and families to understand their needs and priorities</li> <li>• Work with communities to co-produce and pilot potential solutions</li> <li>• Work with partners to develop a seamless pathway of care across the healthy weight pathway</li> <li>• Procure a public health tier 1 and tier 2 weight management service</li> <li>• Review approaches to reduce weight stigma and develop a workforce that is confident talking about healthy weight</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete an audit of the local policy and strategy related to healthy weight</li> <li>• Test a range of participatory approaches and activities to inspire and engage stakeholders and identify priorities</li> <li>• Conduct a gap analysis detailing the opportunities and actions that will have the greatest leverage of change in the system</li> <li>• Develop a 3-year WSA action plan for Oxfordshire</li> <li>• Test a WSA in 1 or 2 identified areas</li> </ul>
<p><b>Progress report</b></p>	<p>Work already completed includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Engaged with relevant partners to initiate the development of a healthy weight system story map for Oxfordshire for stakeholder engagement and to inform targeted action</li> <li>• Rolled out the Sugar Smart initiative across Oxfordshire</li> <li>• Supported 20 schools to sign up to WOW – the year round walk to school challenge</li> <li>• Extended our adult weight management service contract to August 2020</li> <li>• Completed primary care and client consultations to inform the procurement of future adult and family weight management services</li> <li>• Worked in partnership with Active Oxfordshire to raise awareness of the role of physical activity and healthy weight and ensure joined up working</li> <li>• Held the first childhood obesity whole systems workshop with a range of partners to map the current system and gain feedback our proposed approach</li> </ul> <p>The full report can be seen here:  <a href="https://mycouncil.oxfordshire.gov.uk/documents/s48264/Item%2011%20-%20HIB%20Report_Sep%2019_Healthy%20Weight.pdf">https://mycouncil.oxfordshire.gov.uk/documents/s48264/Item%2011%20-%20HIB%20Report_Sep%2019_Healthy%20Weight.pdf</a></p>