

Life Course Priority - Staying Healthy, Safe & Well

STRATEGIC SUB-PRIORITY - Building Strong Foundations		
Original Commitments in Leicestershire 2022 Strategy	Keep, Change, Transfer or Remove	Suggested Wording (Steering Group agreed to review & refine wording of commitments during phase 2 & develop action plans/success measures)
1 We will work with partners to deliver the Leicestershire wider determinants action plan, this will include a Health and Equity in all Policies approach to all we do	CHANGE & NEW	We will prioritise a health & equity in all policies approach to all we do We will work together to shape healthy places and create strong, connected and resilient communities where everyone can thrive
2 We will further grow Leicestershire's economy and support recovery from the Covid pandemic including work with the Leicester and Leicestershire Enterprise Partnership, Levelling Up and having economic growth for all. We will support those in poverty to access the support to gain employment and eligible benefits and hardship.	CHANGE	We will work with partners & employers to create healthier, fairer and inclusive workplaces that enable more people to access, stay-in and thrive in work
3 We will work to ensure everyone has 'good work' for them. Supporting people to enter and maintain good employment/skills and support those with health and care needs to keep their jobs, with particular attention to sickness absence (due to musculoskeletal and mental health conditions) and an aging workforce. We will also consider the role of workplaces in supporting health and wellbeing	CHANGE	As Above
4 We want everyone to have access to a good home. We will work with partners to ensure high quality new and current housing that has access to green space and supports good health and wellbeing. We will also work to collaboratively prevent homelessness whenever possible.	CHANGE	We will work together to improve the quality of and access to homes which are safe, warm and support good health
5 We will work with system partners to support adults with mental health challenges to live independently.	TRANSFER	N/A
6 We will effectively and equitably plan for our growing and older population to ensure everyone has access to the services, transport and infrastructure they need.	REMOVE	N/A
7 We will work with Community Safety Partnerships to maintain low levels of crime and support community cohesion including work to reduce domestic violence and implement the Domestic Abuse Act 2021.	CHANGE	We will work together to create healthy, safe, inclusive and resilient communities
8 We will implement the Air Quality and Health Action Plan.	REMOVE	N/A

9	We will collaborate with the Leicestershire planning system and developers to explore a new approach to the design of our residential, employment and town centre environments to increases active travel, green infrastructure and reduction in motorised transport	REMOVE	N/A
10	We will support families out of fuel poverty and into affordable warmth	REMOVE	N/A
11	We will review the health impacts of climate change to support wider environmental workstreams to embed a health lens into their approach	REMOVE	N/A

STRATEGIC SUB-PRIORITY - Enabling Healthy Choices & Environments		
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1	We will increase knowledge and access to prevention services through embedding Making Every Contact Count training and a social prescribing approach across our collective workforce.	CHANGE We will Create an environment to support & empower healthy choices and reduce unhealthy and risk taking behaviours
2	We will deliver targeted, effective and consistent health and wellbeing communications to empower Leicestershire to make healthy choices, including how to access services.	REMOVE N/A
3	We will work with partners to deliver the Leicestershire Healthy Weight strategy, Food Plan and Active Together Partnership Physical Activity Framework	CHANGE We will take a whole systems approach to creating healthier food environments, promoting good nutrition and supporting active lifestyles
4	Through the Leicestershire Sexual Health Strategy, we will improve sexual health outcomes including chlamydia detection, HIV testing and combatting the increasing levels of abortion.	REMOVE N/A
5	We will further develop the ABCD, strengths-based approach to build social capital and strong, connected and resilient communities.	REMOVE N/A
6	We will work with businesses to support enabling healthy choices through their shop/supermarket.	REMOVE N/A
7	We will work to further develop active travel across Leicestershire including a review of connected and walkable neighbourhoods and rural connectivity to understand how these impacts on healthy behaviour and environments.	REMOVE N/A

8	We will work with planners and licensing officers to further build a healthy environment across Leicestershire reviewing fast food outlet and alcohol premise density.	REMOVE	N/A
9	We will invest in improving vaccination and screening rates (including cancer and health check coverage). This will include understanding the reasons for the decline in cancer screening rates and a targeted approach for those populations most at risk of premature mortality from cancers.	REMOVE	N/A

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