

Lancashire Health and Wellbeing Board
Meeting to be held on Tuesday, 7 May 2024

Corporate Priorities:
Caring for the vulnerable
Delivering better services

Proposal for the 2024/25 Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) Work Plan

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Brief Summary

This report seeks approval from the Lancashire Health and Wellbeing Board (HWB) to carry out two thematic joint strategic needs assessment (JSNA) projects during 2024/25. These are: an adults' and older people's care needs Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA); and a children and young people's Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA).

Recommendation

The Health and Wellbeing Board is asked to approve the two proposed Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) thematic projects for 2024/25:

- (i) Adults and Older People's Care Needs Joint Strategic Needs Assessment
- (ii) Children and Young People's Joint Strategic Needs Assessment

Background

The Lancashire Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA), delivered by Lancashire County Council's Business Intelligence team, provides a data and intelligence resource through the [Lancashire Insight](#) section of the county council's website. This is regularly updated as new data and information become available. Outputs include narratives and interpretation, charts, tables, graphs, maps and interactive Power BI reports. Analysis is provided at various geographic levels in Lancashire to understand and highlight difference by local areas and neighbourhoods, with comparisons and difference made to wider geographies. These provide intelligence on Lancashire's health and wellbeing, alongside analysis and interpretation of the wider determinants and casual factors that can impact on our residents' health outcomes. This is a predominantly self-serve offer, with email contact available for additional support.

Secondly, the Lancashire Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) provides a reactive service to data and intelligence requests to support various needs



assessments, commissioning activities and service delivery across the county council and to partners. Again, this is through a range of outputs. The outputs support commissioning, planning, and strategy and policy development in the county council, Lancashire partners and at an Integrated Care Board (ICB) level.

Finally, the Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) can carry out two to three thematic or strategic projects agreed by the Health and Wellbeing Board. These are deeper-dive analytical reports, pulling together multiple strands into a single, thematic, strategic reports. The proposal for 2024/25 for these thematic projects is to complete an adults and older people's care needs Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA), and a children and young people's Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA). The delivery of these thematic projects includes data and analytics from partners, and subject matter expertise from partners who can shape the scope, interpretation, priorities and recommendations. The outputs from these thematic analyses will be brought back to the Health and Wellbeing Board for its oversight and approval.

The two proposed Joint Strategic Needs Assessments (JSNAs) for 2024/25 will influence the shared prevention plans, underpin priority setting and can be used during any regulatory inspections. They complement and link to the intelligence already held on Lancashire Insight.

Adults' and Older People's Care Needs Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA)

This Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) will centre on those adults and older people who need and/or receive some form of additional care and support to help them with independent living. This work will also support the development of future commissioning and joint working to prevent, reduce or delay care needs of our adults and older people.

Children and Young People's Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA)

This Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) was last completed in 2020. Therefore, there is a need to refresh our strategic intelligence and understanding to support partners in their priorities and service delivery for our county's children and young people.

List of background papers

A list of previous Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) projects can be found on the publications page of Lancashire Insight:

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/lancashire-insight/jsna/jsna-publications/>.

