

LEICESTER CITY HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD 26 09 2024

Subject:	Leicester City Prevention and Health Inequalities Group Update
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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

In June 2024 the Director of Public Health for Leicester City Council established the Leicester City Prevention and Health Inequalities Steering Group. Composed of senior officers from Leicester City Council (Public Health and Social Care), the Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland Integrated Care Board (LLR ICB), the University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust (UHL), and Leicestershire Partnership NHS Trust (LPT), this is a strategic group established to provide direction and alignment on prevention priorities to address health inequalities in the City. It reports to both the Leicester Integrated Health and Care Group (JICB/ISOC merger) and Leicester City Health and Wellbeing Board.

During a stakeholder workshop organised by the Steering Group potential priorities were identified. Breast cancer screening was most supported with 3 workshop groups choosing it as a priority. 6 prevention items were then supported equally, with 2 groups choosing them as a priority. This includes a new priority not on the list presented, increasing uptake of childhood vaccines.

The Steering Group will meet on the 10th of September to agree clear priorities and process for this group. A verbal update of the outcome of this meeting will be provided at the Health and Wellbeing Board meeting on the 26th of September.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

• To acknowledge and share views around the prevention priorities agreed by the Prevention Group.