

## LEICESTER CITY HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD DATE

Subject:	Changing Futures Programme
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## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

The Changing Futures programme is a £77 million joint initiative by the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government (MHCLG) and The National Lottery Community Fund, the largest community funder in the UK.

The National Lottery Community Fund has invested over £21 million, adding to the £55million of Government funding, extending the length of the programme to help local partnerships develop longer term and more effective support for those in need. The funding for this programme ends on 31st March 2025.

The Changing Futures Programme in Leicester has been running operationally since September 2022 and we closed to new referrals at the end of September 2024. In two years of operational delivery, support has been provided to 162 people facing multiple disadvantage.

The Presentation will demonstrate the outcomes of this support with a specific lens on Health Outcomes.

## **RECOMMENDATIONS:**

The Health and Wellbeing Board is requested to: Consider further funding arrangements post April 2025 for the Changing Future Programme so that we can continue to provide support to the most disadvantaged residents of the city and continue to identify changes within the system to improve outcomes as well as streamlining processes and embedding partnership models of support.