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DUDLEY HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

Agenda Item no. 7 (b)

DATE	14 December 2023
TITLE OF REPORT	Black Country Integrated Care Partnership – Update
Organisation and Author	Mr. N. Bucktin – Dudley Managing Director, Black Country ICB
Purpose	To note the current position in relation to the development of the Black Country Integrated Care Partnership ICP and its Integrated Care Strategy
Background	 The Black Country ICP is a statutory and joint committee of the ICB and the four Black Country Councils with responsibility for producing an Integrated Care Strategy. The ICP has requested that the attached report be made available to the Black Country Health and Wellbeing Boards to note progress with the ICP's development.
Key Points	 The ICP's initial Integrated Care Strategy has 4 priority areas: - Black Country people, great and skilled – workforce recruitment, education, and training Growing up in the Black Country – children and families Black Country Cares – social care system Feeling well in the Black Country – mental health and emotional wellbeing
	 2. The ICP has now agreed some specific actions: - To present an initial update on the data that is currently available from all partners across the Black Country to make it more visible and to identify and understand what problems we share and how these relate back to our priority areas. To finalise the Terms of Reference. To undertake a scoping exercise on each of the four Integrated Care Strategy priorities to identify what work is already going on and how best to take these forwards. To discuss what support the ICP will require in order to carry out its responsibilities and to propose how best to provide such support.



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	 To report on the work undertaken by the five current Networks across Health Inequalities, Prevention and Personalisation, Migrants and Refugees, Health and Housing and Black Country Anchor Network. The reports will cover membership, frequency of meetings, funding provided, decisions taken and achievements to date.
Emerging issues for	None
discussion	
Key asks of the	To note the current position in relation to the development of the
Board/wider system	ICP and its Integrated Care Strategy.
 Contribution to H&WBB key goals: Improving school readiness Reducing circulatory disease deaths More women screened for breast cancer 	Contributes to the goal of improving school readiness.
Contribution to Dudley Vision 2030	A place of healthy, resilient, safe communities with high aspirations and the ability to shape their own future.

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