

## **Community Wellbeing Board – Portfolio Holders**

### **Background**

1. Over the last few months the Community Wellbeing Board Lead members have agreed in principle to introduce a system of portfolio holders. Given the diversity and breadth of policy and improvement work that the board covers, we believe that this approach will allow members to further develop their experience and knowledge in specific areas. It will also allow the Board to better meet a growing number of commitments with a variety of Departmental and third sector working groups, and to better reply to other event invitations.
2. The chart overleaf contains the names of those board members who have expressed an interest in certain policy areas so far.

### **Role of portfolio holder**

3. The portfolio holders will:
  - Develop or share expertise in a specific area(s) of the Board's work
  - Represent the Community Well Being Board
  - Engage at a national level with key stakeholders
  - Provide feedback to the Board and officers on engagement activity
  - Represent agreed Board lines rather than personal or party opinions
  - Develop awareness of practice in other authorities

### **The Board Lead members**

4. The Board Lead members will retain responsibility for:
  - Adult social care funding and reform
  - Public health
  - Sector led improvement in adult social care
  - Sector led improvement in Health and community well being

**Proposed Areas for Portfolio Holders\*:**

<b>Area</b>	<b>Current lead**</b>
<b><u>Health promotion</u></b>	
Obesity and physical activity	Cllr Linda Thomas, Cllr Steve Bedser
Alcohol and drugs	Cllr Linda Arkley, Zoe Patrick
Mental health and wellbeing (with adult social care)	Cllr Ken Taylor, Cllr Doreen Huddart, Cllr Lynn Travis
Sexual Health	Cllr Jonathan McShane, Cllr Steve Bedser, Cllr Francine Haeberling,
Smoking	Cllr Steve Bedser
Health at work	Cllr Alan Farnell
Seasonal mortality (to be held jointly with the E&H board)	Cllr David Rogers
Health Screening	Cllr Lynn Travis
Children and Young People's health (to be held jointly by CYP Board)	
<b><u>Adult social care and well being</u></b>	
Learning Disabilities	Cllr Bill Bentley (sub)
Safeguarding	Cllr Lynn Travis
Workforce (with health)	Cllr Elaine Atkinson Cllr Gareth Barnard (as Skills for Care representative)
Dementia	Cllr Francine Haeberling, Cllr Lynn Travis
Later Life	Cllr Steve Bedser, Cllr Louise Goldsmith, Cllr David Rogers (Dignity Commission), Cllr Bill Bentley (substitute)
Personalisation	Cllr Bill Bentley (substitute)
<b><u>Other areas</u></b>	
Asylum and migration (to be held jointly by C&YP Board)	Cllr David Simmonds (Children and Young People's board) to chair LGA Task Group
Equalities and diversity	
Adult learning	Cllr David Rogers

\*Board members can hold more than one portfolio

\*\* Board members can move to different areas