

Report to	Chippenham Area Board
Date of meeting	13 th March 2017
Title of report	Health and Wellbeing Funding
Purpose of the Report: To consider the funding recommendation from Chippenham Health and Wellbeing Group.	

Project	Amount requested	Health and Wellbeing Group recommendation
Living Well - Chippenham	£6,000	That Chippenham Area Board award £6,000 to the Living Well project

1. Background

The recommendation from the Health and Wellbeing Group has been made in accordance with the following guidelines:

- **Health and Wellbeing Groups Spending Guidelines**

Members of the Health and Wellbeing Group have considered this application and identified it as a priority for Area Board funding.

2. Main Considerations

- 2.1. Councillors will need to be satisfied that Health and Wellbeing Groups awarded in the 2016/2017 year are made to projects that can realistically proceed within a year of it being awarded.
- 2.2. Councillors will need to be assured that carers, older and/ or vulnerable people will benefit from the funding being awarded. The money must be used to invest in projects that will support adults living within a community area. While not exclusively restricted to older people, the investment should be made in such a way as to make the maximum impact on health and wellbeing within a given community area.
- 2.3. Councillors will need to ensure measures have been taken in relation to safeguarding older and vulnerable people.

3. Environmental & Community Implications

Health and Wellbeing Funding will contribute to the continuance and/or improvement of cultural, social and community activity and wellbeing in the community area, the extent of which will be dependent upon the individual project.

4. Financial Implications

Financial provision had been made to cover this expenditure

4.1. Chippenham Area Board was allocated £6700 in 2016/17.

4.2. The Chippenham Area Board Health and Wellbeing Funding balance for 2016/17 is £6,250

4.3. All decisions must fall within the Health and Wellbeing Funding allocated to Chippenham Area Board.

4.4 If funding is awarded in line with the Health and Wellbeing recommendation outlined in this report the balance of funding will be £250.

4.5 The balance of £250 will be carried over to the 2017/18 financial year.

5. Legal Implications

There are no specific legal implications related to this report.

6. Human Resource Implications

There are no specific human resources implications related to this report.

7. Equality and Inclusion Implications

Ensuring that Community Area Boards and Health and Wellbeing Groups fully consider the equality impacts of their decisions in designing local positive activities for young people is essential to meeting the Council's Public Sector Equality Duty.

8. Safeguarding Implications

The Area Board has ensured that the necessary policies and procedures are in place to safeguard children, young people and vulnerable adults.

9. Project details

Project Proposal	Requested
Living Well Project	£6,000
<p>Project description</p> <p>The Living Well programme aims to move people away from unscheduled use of health and social care. This is typically characterised by unplanned acute admissions and Emergency Department attendances, frequent crisis management in both health and social care and inappropriate use of health services often as a social crutch.</p> <p>It targets service users who are currently or at risk of becoming high consumers of health and social care. It seeks to reduce this as well as flattening out what otherwise may be future peaks in the use of health and social care services for example around crisis points.</p> <p>The fundamental elements to the theory of change of the Living Well approach are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Proactive case finding using risk stratification and local knowledge, targeted towards people with specific long term conditions and/or a social care package	

- Guided conversation – a goal-oriented conversation between the individual and a voluntary sector worker trained in motivational interviewing techniques, which initiates and/or contributes to an anticipatory care plan
- Primary care forms an integral part of the change through liaison to embed the approach within locality planning and thus release GP capacity
- Care co-ordination by an integrated care team based around a GP practice, facilitated by and including the voluntary sector coordinator
- Volunteer support on a 1:1 and group basis to help people become more physically and socially active within their community
- Community mapping to identify and link local assets and key ‘community makers’ – this is the foundation for low level support and rehabilitation
- Facilitated workforce development through local practitioner workshops.

The desired outcomes of this project are to:

- Improve the resilience of primary care
- Improve the “well-being” of the patient population
- Reduce the number of times identified patients access primary and secondary care

The service will be delivered primarily through an Age UK trained and supported Integrated Care Manager (ICM) embedded into and working from Hathaway Surgery. Referrals will be passed to the ICM who will visit the patient and, through the process of a guided conversation, identify the patient’s needs. The ICM will develop a plan to meet the patient needs through the use of Age UK volunteers, other voluntary services, health, public health or social services

This project will deliver additional support to the Care Coordinator and the integrated team at the GP surgery, helping to join up work with the social care team at the Council and engaging volunteers from the community in this work.

This project addresses:

- Priorities selected at the Chippenham Our Community Matters event 6-Feb-17:
 - Dementia
 - Social Isolation and Loneliness
 - Mental Health
 - Healthy Lifestyles
- Priorities identified in the Joint Strategic Assessment for Chippenham Community Area:
 - Independent Living
 - Safeguarding the vulnerable
 - Positive activities for older people
 - Avoiding emergency admissions

This project also supports the priorities within the NHS Locality Plan, the Chippenham Older Peoples Forum, Chippenham Health & Social Care Group.

Appendix 1 – Hathaway Medical Partnership Transforming Care for Older People

Appendix 2 Age UK Integrated Care

Recommendation of the Health and Wellbeing Group

That the application meets the grant criteria and is approved for the amount of £6,000

No unpublished documents have been relied upon in the preparation of this report

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