



WELLBEING SCRUTINY COMMITTEE REVIEW

REVIEW TITLE
Obesity in the District and actions taken to address it
SCOPE OF THE REVIEW / TERMS OF REFERENCE
<p>Members of the Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee wish to examine the following questions in the 2018/19 Municipal Year:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What is the scale of obesity in Cannock Chase? 2. What actions are partners taking in Cannock Chase to address this issue and how are they monitored and how effective are they? 3. Are there any issues that the District Council need to consider to support existing and future action on obesity in the District?
REASON FOR SCRUTINY
<p>Members of the Committee debated the issue at the meeting on 3 July 2018 and determined that this is an important issue for the District. The Committee requested that a scope be drafted for consideration at the November meeting. The Committee can ask questions, ask partner organisations for evidence and views and can make recommendations.</p>
MEMBERSHIP OF THE REVIEW GROUP
<p>The whole Committee will be involved but there may be a need to establish a smaller sub group of the Committee as necessary.</p>
KEY TASKS / REVIEW PLAN
<p>The initial key task is to understand the scale of the issue in Cannock Chase District and a presentation will be provided to the Committee on the levels of obesity in the District. At future meetings representatives from Public Health and other partners will be invited to present and to answer any questions on what actions or initiatives are being undertaken to address it. Once the scale of the issue is understood, the Committee will make further decisions about the Review Plan.</p>
SOURCES OF EVIDENCE
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Key literature on obesity will be identified and circulated to all Committee Members to read as background. - District Needs Analysis 2018 - National and local statistics - National and local Action Plans
TIMESCALE
<p>The 2018/19 municipal year – review to be completed by May 2019. The review will form the Annual Report of the Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee to Council.</p>