

CHESTERFIELD HEALTH AND WELLBEING PARTNERSHIP

NETWORKS - TERMS OF REFERENCE

1. Purpose

- 1.1 The Networks exists to provide a platform to support local partners and community members in working together to improve health and wellbeing and reduce health inequalities in Chesterfield.

2. Objectives

- 2.1 To identify and prioritise key issues in the area contributing to health inequalities and oversee the co-development and implementation of projects and initiatives benefitting the local community.
- 2.2 To ensure that the Networks initiatives align with the Chesterfield Health and Wellbeing Partnership Board priorities and the Derbyshire Health and Wellbeing Strategy. The current priorities are attached as Appendix 1.
- 2.3 To consult with and involve the local community in the decision making process and to support the co-production and co-delivery of projects and initiatives that address key issues that contribute to health inequalities in each area.
- 2.4 To organise, support and guide sub-groups to take forward projects, initiatives and opportunities as appropriate.
- 2.5 To monitor and evaluate the delivery and effectiveness of projects and initiatives decided upon by the Group.
- 2.6 Receive and act upon regular updates and reports on projects, initiatives and opportunities that align with the Strategic priorities.
- 2.7 To identify, share and help secure resources to support the Network's work related to improving health and wellbeing and reducing health inequalities.
- 2.8 To report to the Chesterfield Health and Wellbeing Partnership Board.

3. Membership of Core Steering Group

- 3.1 The core membership of the Networks comprises of organisations, community groups and key members of the community who have a keen interest in reducing health inequalities in geographical or topic area.

4. Chair:

A Chair for each network shall be elected annually.

5. Frequency of meetings (suggested)

Meetings shall be held quarterly.

6. Responsibility of Members:

- Attend, contribute and participate in a positive manner to fulfil the groups' vision and to a shared action plan
- Members to share resources, skills, knowledge and experience to create a multi-agency partnership approach that is effective, efficient and will produce the best outcomes

7. Network Funding

Each Network will be allocated funding each financial year and community groups can applying for funding to the value of £2,000 as long as it is aligned with the priorities of the Partnership.

Appendix 1

Chesterfield Health and Wellbeing Partnership Board Priorities 2024 – 2027

The priorities, which align with the Derbyshire Health and Wellbeing Board priorities and other local partner priorities, have been outlined as:

Tackle the four main risk factors that lead to poor health:

Smoking

Inactivity

Poor diet

Alcohol Consumption

Support good mental health

Support communities to be resilient and independent

Tackle child poverty and enable children and young people in Derbyshire to Start Well