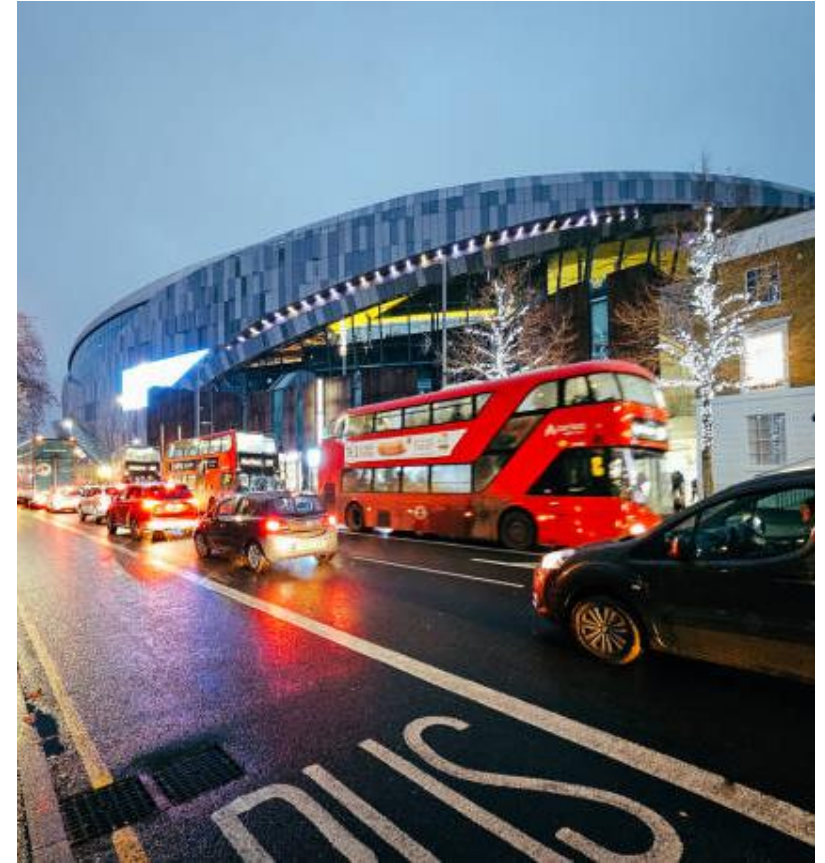


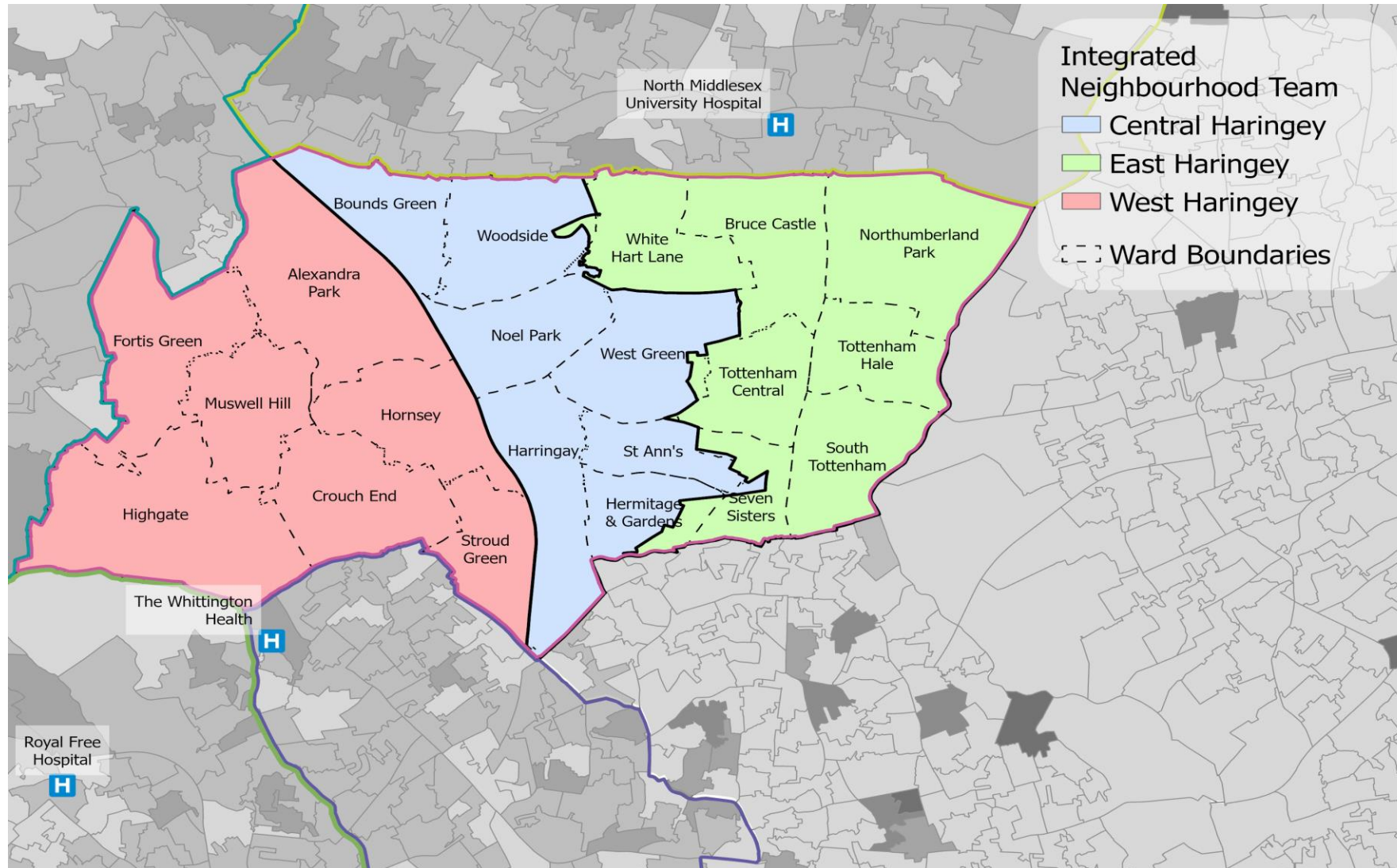


Haringey Neighbourhoods – Stronger community and resident voice in the governance

Haringey context: what residents told us about the opportunities in the NHS 10 year plan

- Communities and individuals want to take more ownership of their health and wellbeing, but they need access to good quality and trusted information to support this.
- Increasing health literacy and knowledge of how to access support and what support is available is of great importance to communities in Haringey.
- NHS funding is often short term so the 10 year plan needs to include more long-term funding, including ring-fenced funding for prevention.
- Investment is required in the voluntary sector to enable closer collaboration with the NHS and Councils.
- Use of technology has considerable potential benefits for residents and communities, but we need to ensure everyone is supported and people are not left behind.
- Bringing care out into communities is welcomed, and would be supported by people having a clear point of contact for support and a clear joined up care and support plan.

Haringey's 3 Neighbourhoods



Why do we need stronger resident and community voice in the Neighbourhoods Governance in Haringey



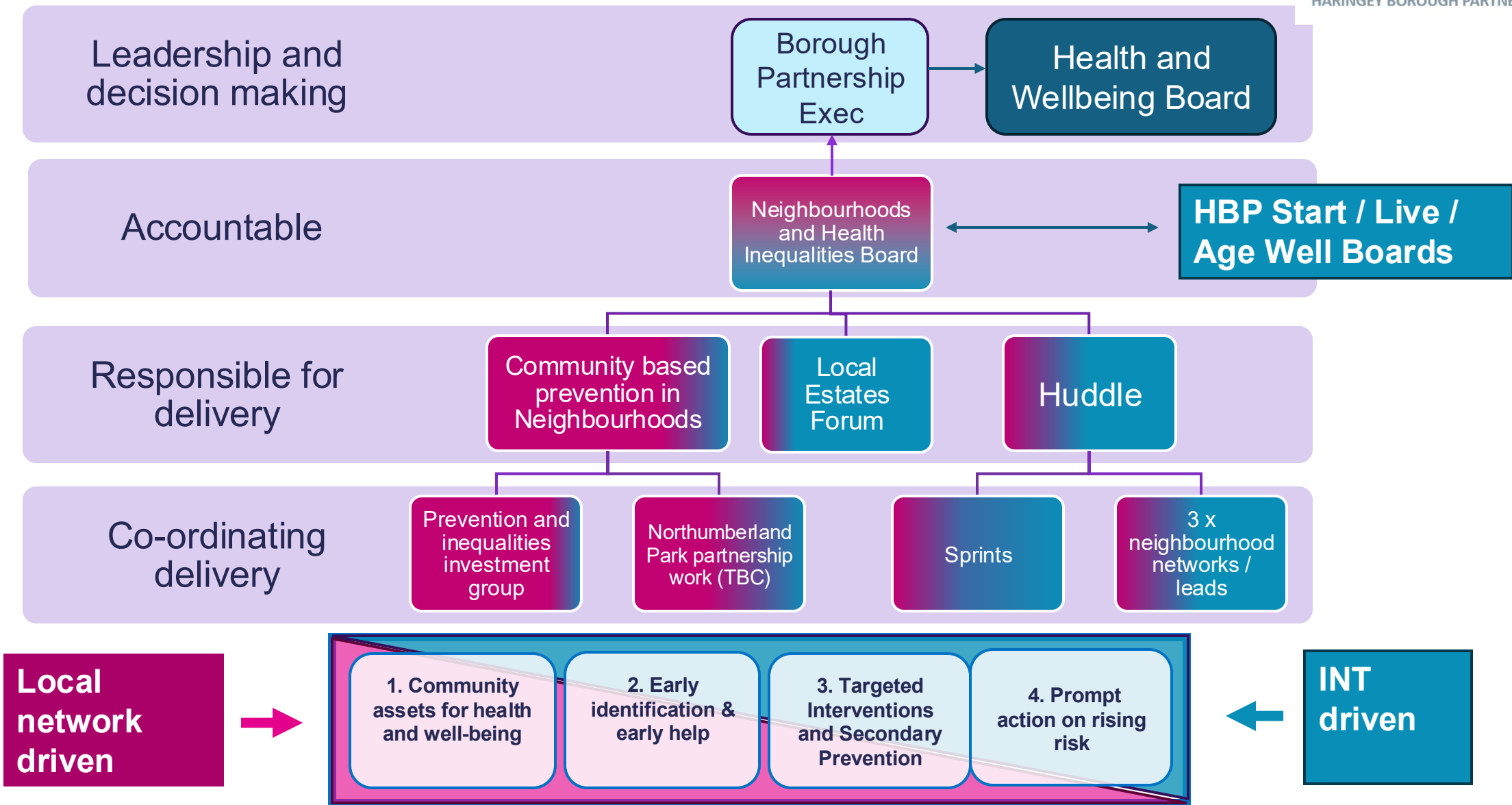
- The neighbourhood health and care agenda is about:
 - Improving the way people in Haringey experience health and care in their local area, regardless of where they live in their borough, ethnicity, gender, sexuality or if they are disabled
 - Enabling people to stay as healthy and well as possible and linked into their local communities
- This means we have to work in different and new ways as health and care organisations
- We need to involve local people in any changes we make, so that
 - The changes we make are effective and meaningful for residents
 - Residents know about the changes that are being made, what it means for them and how they can take a role in keeping themselves and their communities health and well.

We have foundations we can build on to increase resident involvement in our Neighbourhood Health and Care Programme



- We have some strong mechanisms of engagement and involvement in place already for health and care in Haringey such as:
 - The groups that make up the Haringey Joint Partnership Board including the Dementia Reference Group, Carers Reference Group etc
 - We have engagement mechanisms for children and young people and their carers such as SEND Power
- We have experience of genuine co-design of strategies with residents to improve Health and Wellbeing in the Borough, such as the Haringey Carer's Strategy, Haringey Toilet Strategy
- Our voluntary and community sector is skilled at involving local people in helping design services
- We have examples of people with lived experience delivering services in the borough such as Bringing Unity Back into the Community, which supports the recovery of people with substance misuse issues

Haringey Neighbourhoods: Current Governance



What next – strengthening the resident voice in shaping our Neighbourhood Health and Care work



The following initial actions are proposed:

1. Establishing a Haringey (place level) Neighbourhoods Health and Care Community Advisory Forum
 - This would meet 2 to 3 times a year to
 - Provide feedback from the community on key issues relating to health and care in the borough including recommending topics for Health and Wellbeing Board discussion
 - Be consulted on and provide input into the main developments in the Haringey Neighbourhoods work
 - Ensure messages are reaching residents about significant changes to health and care delivery and how to make the most of them
 - To ensure a wide range of communities can link into the Neighbourhoods Health and Care programme
 - Provide representation and a voice at the Haringey Health and Wellbeing Board
 - Input into the development of neighbourhood level community and voluntary sector infrastructure and feedback issues from the 3 neighbourhoods
2. Ensure that there is a feedback mechanism from Neighbourhoods Health and Care Advisory Forum into the Health and Wellbeing Board

Establishing a Haringey Neighbourhood Health and Care Community Advisory Forum – Potential Role and membership

Purpose of group

- Provide feedback from the community on key priorities relating to health and care in the borough
- Be consulted on and provide input into the main developments in the Haringey Neighbourhoods work
- Ensure messages are reaching residents about significant changes to health and care delivery and how to make the most of them
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Meeting frequency

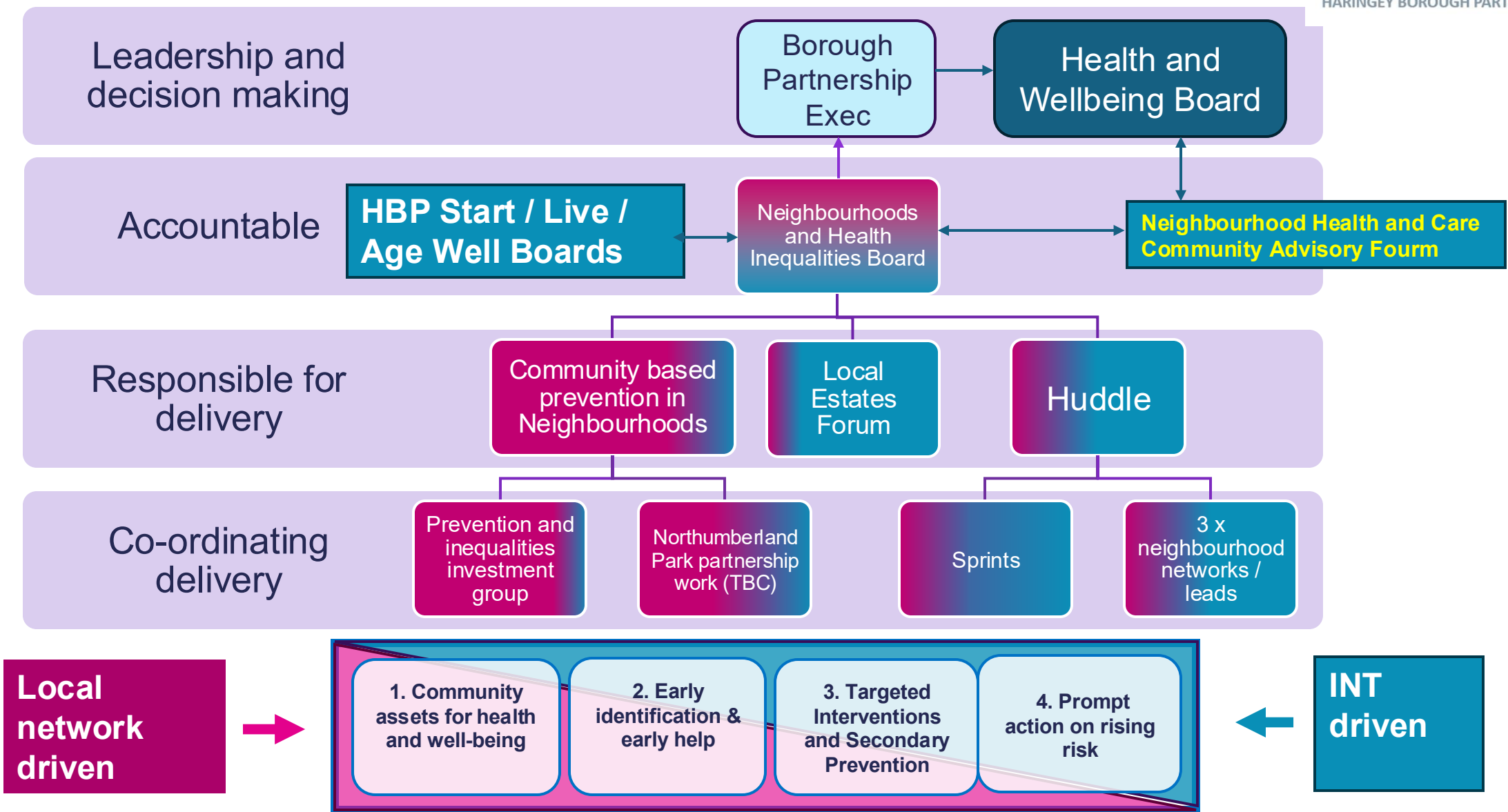
- 2 to 3 times a year
- At least 2 in person meetings a year
- Aim for informal, accessible style

Suggested membership could include

- Representatives from the 3 “integrator organisations”, Haringey Council, Whittington Health and Haringey GP Federation
- Representatives from North Mid and NLFT
- Haringey Community Collaborative
- VCS organisations from each each neighbourhood
- Community network reps (e.g Somali network, Turkish and Kurdish network)
- Chairs of reference groups as part of the Haringey Joint Partnership Board structure
- Chair of the JPB
- SEND Power reps
- PPG reps/Whittington voices/MNUH/NLFT patient forum reps
- Key pan Haringey community organisations (e.g. DAH, CAB)

Chairing and secretariat arrangements to be agreed by the group – but suggest joint chairing to begin between integrator and community/resident reps.

Haringey Neighbourhoods: Proposed Governance



Next steps

1. This proposal has support from the Borough Partnership Executive and we received constructive feedback on the proposal from some key Haringey VCS leads, so we are now seeking approval from the Health and Wellbeing Board to put the Advisory Forum in place
2. Preparation for first meeting of Community Advisory Forum (Autumn/Winter 2026) including setting up small steering group with VCS leads to plan agenda for first meeting. Director of Public Health will facilitate this.