

Scrutiny Review – Stroke Prevention Services
Panel Meeting
19th November 2008

Councillors present: Cllr Winskill (Chair), Cllr Rice, Cllr Waters, Cllr Hare

Others attending: Sally Brearley (Centre for Public Scrutiny), Fiona Wright (Public Health), Maria Abraham (Tottenham Foundation), Craig Ferguson (Business Intelligence), Jodie Szwedzinski (Corporate Policy)

Agenda Item	Subject/decision
1.	
2.	Apologies for absence
3.	Declarations of Interest
4.	Urgent Business
5.	Local Data Mapping Craig Ferguson, GIS Analyst, Business Intelligence Please see attached presentation. MOSAIC shows the likelihood of certain characteristics being present in certain groups of the population. Individual and area based surveys also show a stark difference between the East and West of the borough. Male life expectancy varies greatly across the borough varying from 81.52 years in Fortis Green in the West of Haringey and 72.46 years in Tottenham Green in the East of Haringey. The picture for female life expectancy is different with life expectancy across the borough more randomly spread. There is a link between the likelihood of someone smoking and living in more deprived areas. Discussion about fast food outlets in the East of the Borough and the cheap meal offers e.g. £1.99 for fried chicken and chips. Discussion about migrant effect and transience and the effect on messages being tailored for an every changing population and the potential impact of this. This needs to be considered when

	<p>the review panel discusses recommendations.</p>
6.	<p>Tottenham Foundation</p> <p>Maria Abraham, Health and Wellbeing Manager</p> <p>The Tottenham Foundation is a charity connected to Tottenham Hotspurs which works with the local community and partners to provide health, training and education programmes.</p> <p>There are a number of projects which are directly related to men's health for example 'Guys and Goals'.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ This project incorporates 5 a side football with health and lifestyle workshops over a ten week period. ▪ Projects works with a number of local organisations e.g. Haringey Advisory Group on Alcohol (HAGA), Bringing Unity Back into the Community (BUBIC) and Improving Access to Psychological Therapies (IAPT). ▪ The project has one year of funding left and it planned for the project to focus on the Broadwater Farm area next. ▪ Project has run 6 cohorts in Tottenham so far. ▪ It is difficult to monitor participants after they complete the programme. <p>Other projects include Bowel Cancer awareness and men 50+ (7 week computing course):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Men will often look at issues online which they wouldn't necessarily speak to someone about. ▪ Men are more likely to print something off the internet which they have found relating to their health and take it to their doctor. <p>The Foundation has a number of pending bids e.g.:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Health Guides ▪ Whipps Cross Cardiac Rehab ▪ Community Health Checks (bringing health checks into the Community). <p>The foundation often has difficulties in getting GPs to refer patients to the programmes that it runs. However, men don't necessarily go to the GP and so this is not always the most likely referral path.</p> <p>Discussion about how participants are recruited onto programmes. This is often done by Maria getting out and about leafleting, going into Barbers and Pool clubs, going to Tottenham Community Sports Centre on a Thursday morning where men</p>

	<p>congregate etc. Other routes include referrals from Health Trainers, the Drug and Alcohol Action Team (DAAT, BUBIC, IAPT etc.</p> <p>Misconception that you can find the target group by heading to Spurs on match days. Need to remember that these are unlikely to be Haringey residents or from more deprived areas as match tickets are expensive.</p> <p>Men's Health Foundation are having Cardio Vascular Disease for their theme next year.</p>
7.	<p>Public Health</p> <p>Dr Fiona Wright, AD Public Health</p> <p>Please see Appendix B from Scoping report.</p> <p>28% of the difference in life expectancy gap between Haringey and England is due to Cardio Vascular disease.</p> <p>73% of the difference in life expectancy gap between Haringey and England is due to men over 40 years of age.</p> <p>Discussion as to why the review is focusing on only those over 40 years of age. The biggest inequalities in deaths are in those over 40 years of age – this is where we can make the biggest difference.</p> <p>Health Check programme is for those over 40 years of age.</p> <p>By changing certain risk factors in those over 40 years of age you can make a quick difference as to whether or not the person suffers from Cardio Vascular Disease.</p> <p>The current GP referral scheme (where those at risk of CVD are referred to a free exercise and management programme) currently involves GPs from the East of the borough. This scheme is at risk due to funding pressures.</p> <p>There is a need to ensure that all programmes and services are joined up between all aspects of each programme as well as between all agencies delivering.</p> <p>There is a limited range of services currently available to support people who have a weight problem in managing their weight.</p>

	<p>There is a need to consider what can be done in relation to planning and licensing and fast food outlets.</p> <p>This review should consider the recommendations made in the Life Expectancy Paper and consider where we can add to these.</p> <p>There is a need to consider how we can get messages and support out to the target group.</p>
8.	<p>Draft Scope</p> <p>Agreed</p>
9.	<p>Centre for Public Scrutiny Pilot</p> <p>Discussion around Impact Statements. Support from the Centre for Public Scrutiny will be looked at in order to complete these.</p>
10.	<p>Dates of future meetings</p> <p>17th October, 6.30-8.30 17th November, 6.30-8.30 8th December, 5.30-7.30</p>
11.	<p>New items of urgent business</p> <p>None</p>