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PUBLIC HEALTH OUTCOMES FRAMEWORK

R E C O M M E N D A T I O N S	
FROM : Director of Public Health	Deadline date : N/A
<p>The Board is recommended to note the details of the Public Health Outcomes Framework (PHOF) Data Tool, to inform future strategic planning.</p>	

1. ORIGIN OF REPORT

1.1 This report is submitted to Board following a request from the Director of Public Health.

2. PURPOSE AND REASON FOR REPORT

2.1 The purpose of this report is to advise Board Members of the details of the published PHOF in order to inform future strategic planning.

2.2 This report is for Board to consider in relation to its Terms of Reference No. 3.1, to develop a Health and Wellbeing Strategy for the city which informs and influences the commissioning plans of partner agencies.

3. PUBLIC HEALTH OUTCOMES FRAMEWORK DATA TOOL

3.1 On 20 November 2012 the PHOF Data Tool was released and can be found at <http://www.phoutcomes.info/>.

3.2 The Public Health Outcomes Framework [*Healthy lives, healthy people: Improving outcomes and supporting transparency*](#) sets out a vision for public health, desired outcomes and the indicators that will help us understand how well public health is being improved and protected.

3.3 The framework concentrates on two high-level outcomes to be achieved across the public health system, and groups further indicators into four 'domains' that cover the full spectrum of public health. The outcomes reflect a focus not only on how long people live, but on how well they live at all stages of life.

3.4 The tool currently presents data for the first set of indicators at England and upper tier local authority levels, collated by the [Public Health Observatories in England](#).

3.5 Please note: The data currently published in the tool are the baselines for the Public Health Outcomes Framework. The baseline period is 2010 or equivalent, unless these data are unavailable or not deemed to be of sufficient quality. For some indicators, data for periods following the baseline may already be published elsewhere - please refer to the indicator definition. Updates to the data in this tool will be published in due course.

3.6 The tool allows you to:

- Compare your local authority against other authorities in the region; and
- Benchmark your local authority against the England average.

3.7 Public Health Outcomes Framework baseline data will be revised and corrected in accordance with the general Department of Health statistical policy on [revisions and corrections](#).

4. CONSULTATION

4.1 Not applicable, information only.

5. ANTICIPATED OUTCOMES

5.1 The Board notes the information for future planning activities.

6. REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS

6.1 To ensure the Board is aware of the Data Tool and its use.

7. ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED

7.1 Not advise the Board of the Data Tool. This would mean that the Board was not aware of this in order to assist with future planning activities.

8. IMPLICATIONS

8.1 There are no implications for other departments or partners following this report.

9. BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

Used to prepare this report, in accordance with the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985)

9.1 None.