


Developing the North Northamptonshire Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy



The purpose of the NJHWS is to:

Provide a context, vision, and overall focus for improving the health and wellbeing of local people and reduce inequalities.



Identify agreed a short list of shared priorities and outcomes for improving local wellbeing and health inequalities.



Support effective partnership working that delivers improved health outcomes.



Provide a framework to support innovative approaches which facilitate necessary change, given the shifting needs of local communities in the wake of the pandemic & current economic climate

Context

- Previous JHWS covered the whole of Northamptonshire.
- Since developed, ICS has come into formation (in Northamptonshire – ICN).
- National guidance (Nov 2022): *HWBBs will need to consider the integrated care strategies when preparing their own strategy (JHWS) to ensure that they are complementary (and vice versa).*
- ICN 10-year strategy published in 2022, sets out the aims and 10 ambitions.
- Strategy priorities were based on a JSNA refresh undertaken in summer 2022
- JHWS could help deliver the ICN priorities at Place and be more community focused.
- JHWS has a shorter timescale, 3-5 years, so we need to identify what the more immediate priorities are for North.
- Ensuring delivery of the H&W strategy requires an action plan to accompany the strategy & mechanism for monitoring.

The development of the North Joint Health & Wellbeing Strategy





Approach to developing the North JH&WS

- Similar approach is being taken in the development of North and West strategies. Both strategies will take into consideration:
 - ICN Strategy
 - ICP priority metrics
 - Draft ICB 5 Year Forward Plan
 - Place specific priorities
 - JSNA summary update
 - CWFs / LAPs priorities
 - Engagement programme
 - Place Board
 - Wider stakeholders – interviews and workshops



Ambition

The best start in life



Women are healthy and well during and after pregnancy.
All children grow and develop well so they are ready and equipped to start school.

Access to the best available education and learning



Education settings are good and inclusive and children and young people, including those with special needs, perform well.
Adults have access to learning opportunities which support them with work and life skills.

Opportunity to be fit, well and independent



Children and adults are healthy and active and enjoy good mental health.
People experience less ill-health and disability due to lung and heart diseases.

Employment that keeps them and their families out of poverty



More adults are employed and receive a 'living wage'.
Adults and families take up benefits they are entitled to.

Good housing in places which are clean and green



Good access to affordable, safe, quality accommodation and security of tenure.
The local environment is clean and green with lower carbon emissions.

To feel safe in their homes and when out and about



People are safe in their homes, on public transport and in public places.
Children and young people are safe and protected from harm.

Connected to their families and friends



People feel well connected to family, friends and their community.
Connections are helped by public transport and technology.

The chance for a fresh start, when things go wrong



Ex-offenders and homeless people are helped back into society.
People have good access to support for addictive behaviour and take it up.

Access to health and social care when they need it



People can access NHS services and personal and social care when they need to.
People are supported to live at home for as long as possible and only spend time in hospital to meet medical needs.
Services to prevent illness (e.g. health checks, screening and vaccines) are good, easy to access and well used.

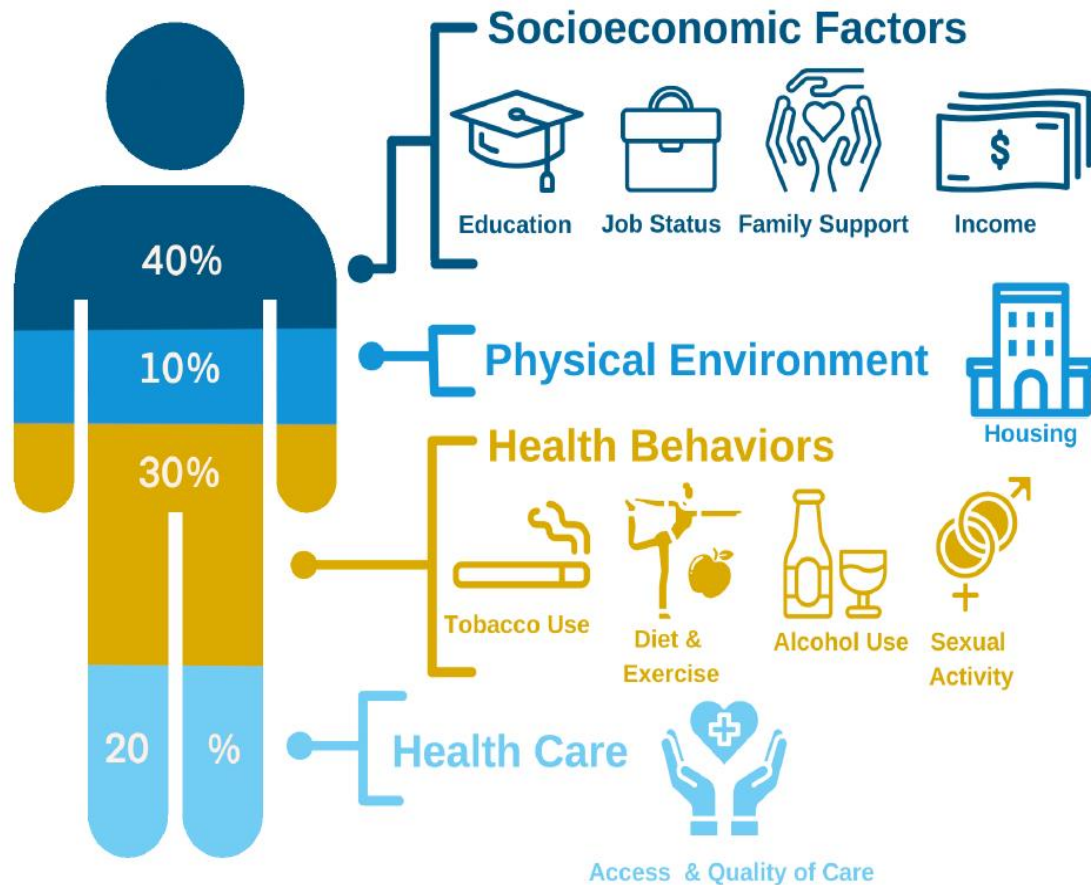
To be accepted and valued simply for who they are



People are treated with dignity and respect, especially at times of greatest need like at the end of their lives.
Diversity is celebrated.
People feel they are a valued part of their community and are not isolated or lonely.

IMPACTS OF THE WIDER DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH

Robert Wood Johnson model

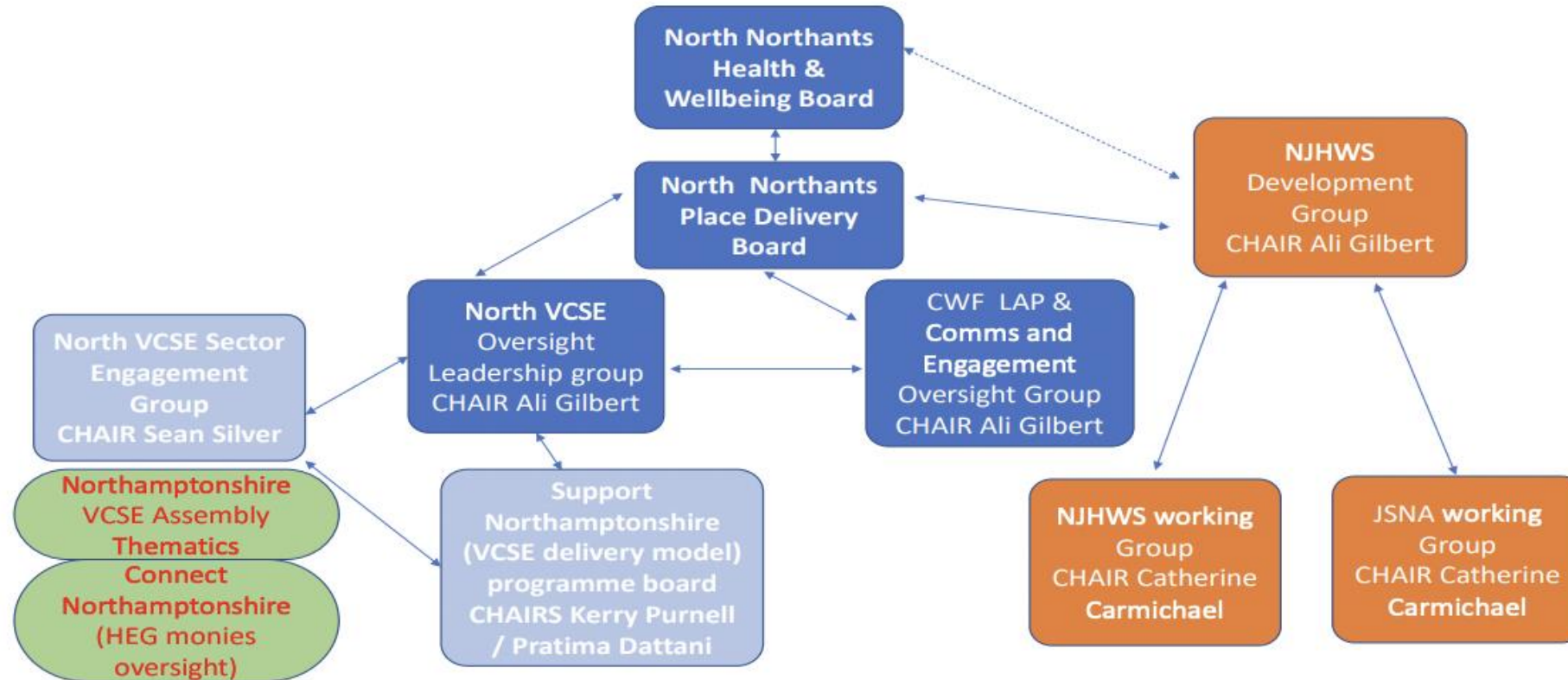


A focus solely on healthcare provision will not solve all health problems

This requires a system, not an organisational approach.

We need a greater focus on important wider determinants because health starts - long before illness - in our homes, schools and jobs.

North Joint Health & Wellbeing Board - Governance



High level Timeline for NJHWS

- Development set-up phase (May-June 2023)
- Agreement of overall process at JHWS Development group meeting (June 2023)
- Proposals to go to North Place Delivery Board and HWBB in June 2023
- Coproduction and strategy development
 - Engagement /consultation/ communication phase on potential priorities, cross cutting themes, areas where collaboration is necessary to success—interviews and sessions held with key partners and groups. (July - August 2023)
 - Report produced capturing stakeholder and insight work to go to JHWS Development Group (September 2023).
 - Stakeholder workshop with HWBB members held to explore and sense-check the findings from partner sessions (October 2023) and finalise draft priorities and cross-cutting themes.
 - Priorities and cross-cutting themes proposed, and report produced (September 2023) to go to North Place Delivery Board and HWBB.
- Strategy writing period (October-November 2023)
- Draft Strategy to go to HWBB (November 2023)
- Final strategy signed off by HWBB (January 2024)
- Final strategy published (End of January - February 2024)