

Minutes

Royton, Shaw & Crompton; Health and Wellbeing Sub Group

02 October 2018
Royton Town Hall
4.30pm – 5.20pm

ATTENDEES	
Liz Fryman	R,S & C District Team
Councillor M Bashforth	Royton South Councillor
Lynn Callaghan	GM H.SC – Tooth-brushing programme
Linda Dunbar	Healthwatch Oldham
Jenny Dyer	Macmillan 1-1 support
Teresa Griffiths	Age UK Oldham
Jackie Hanley	OCLL
Anees Mank	Oldham Council – Housing
Debbie Tyszcowski	Guinness Partnership
Peter Hatton	Oak Gables PPG
Amanda Cawdron	Welfare Rights Service, Oldham Council.
Clive Hill	First Choice
Pamela Walls-Hester	North Cluster (Healthy Oldham Ltd)
Linda Cain	Business Support Officer
APOLOGIES	
Councillor Clint Phythian	Royton North ward
Councillor Chris Gloster	Shaw ward
Eve Edwards	Community Development Worker
Andrea Tait	Public Health Services
Councillor Julia Turner	Crompton ward
Heidi Sutton	Royton Children's Centre

1. Welcome, introductions and apologies

LF opened the meeting, thanked those in attendance and apologies were noted.

2. Minutes from previous meeting:

Agreed and any actions completed

3. Period Poverty

Discussion regarding period poverty and its impact on women and girls.

We can link this work to the Community fridge project by having red boxes for sanitary wear. The idea is that with fridge will also be a food cupboard.

LF has contacted the schools to find out what is already in place to establish if we need to factor them into this work stream or we can focus on women.

Need to be creative in our approach as maybe that there is a need for taboo breaking as well as supplies.

Ideas discussed included :

- Support reducing of discussion as a taboo subject for donators and users
- Suggest a food cupboard with sanitary wear on the top shelf
- Food cupboard would require monitoring/managing – Eve Edwards has volunteers in mind.
- To speak with Libraries as a possible venue to hold boxes – action that Eve is already picking up.

- Consider Deodorants, soap, wash powder as well as sanitary goods
- Workplace collection boxes – Partners were keen to engage. District team to look at sourcing boxes.
- Possible donations from people using the boxes – Maybe swapping items – ‘Swap Shop Food Shed’

Actions: Feedback to Eve so ideas can be picked up and supported.

4. Food bank and Community Fridge/Food shed

Community Fridges have been applied for through the fast action grant from IFOldham who will support with the initial running e.g. stock and restock – It is planned that they will initially be based at the libraries, due to central nature of their locations.

If any partners know of areas that period poverty or community fridge would help support please do let me know.

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Liz also mentioned a possible set up of a supper club partnering with Lifelong Learning, where parents could set up a meal using a slow cooker and collect with their children at the end of the day. Much more work needs to be done around this potential project regarding equipment, venues etc.

5. Supervised toothbrushing scheme GM Health & Social Care Partnership

Lynne gave a presentation: *Right Start and School Nursing Oral Health Improvement*

- In Oldham, children living in lower income and socially disadvantaged groups experienced disproportionately higher levels of oral disease. 51% of Oldham's 5 year olds had experienced tooth decay.
- In 2016/17, 360 children in Oldham were admitted to hospital for dental extractions at a cost of £1,000 per episode.
- Oldham Early Years Supervised Tooth brushing Programme. Getting Primary Schools and Nurseries involved in early years oral health programme.
- ‘Baby Teeth do Matter’ project – Dentist information that will see children 0-5 yrs

Action: LC to Attach Baby Teeth do Matter information to minutes

- Not a big take up in Royton schools. Will target business managers, PTA's and governors
- Action: LF asked for Royton statistics at a school level if possible so that these schools can be targeted**
- Big Brush month – November 2018

The programme provides:

- Learning Events, Storage racks, toothbrushes & family fluoride toothpaste, Information folder, Additional resources include Mouth Models & timers, plus a take home pack (info leaflet, brush & paste)

Contact details: Email: lynn.callaghan1@nhs.net

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It was advised that the next survey will show how this programme has improved oral health

6. Rough Sleepers

- Count night this year is 22 November 2018, but will be done as an estimate based on information collected on an ongoing basis.
- Currently we are unaware of rough sleepers in the district.
- LF requested partner inform her if they know of any rough sleepers so we can make contact and ensure that where wanted, support is accessed.

- New referral system now in place, through joint working with housing and other partners to help and support rough sleepers
- More details the better and consent for their data would be ideal

7. Thriving Communities

7.1 Nebula Workshops

- Nebula tool for assessing an area
- We're at the beginning of this journey in Royton, Shaw and Crompton and have only done Royton North so far. Shaw scheduled for this month.
- Next generation of ward profiles
- Thanks to all partners who have taken part so far.

7.2 Community Connector

Discussion about social prescribing and the role of the Community Connector – Each GP cluster will have a Community Connector, employed by the GP but shared across the cluster.

- GP Can refer to social prescriber
- Social Prescriber can support more isolated residents to develop their support network and engage with activities and services in the local area.

7.3 Welfare Rights Advice

AC updated on the Welfare Rights piloted in Royton at the health centre.

- Project works on the basis that not every condition is medical and financial problems could make health issues worse via stress and anxiety.
- Project has been working well in Royton since June 2017
- Would like to expand to other practices across the cluster – AC, P WH and LF are meeting later this week to discuss.

8. Any Other Business

CCG Pilot projects map

- RSC is in the North cluster and as discussed previously, the member GP's have set up Healthy Oldham Ltd as a delivery vehicle.
- The map shows what projects are happening within our footprint and in other cluster areas.
- Our priorities based on population profile – Generally elderly
- Advanced Nurse Practitioner – A nurse doing home care visits, reporting to GP's with a view of reducing hospital admissions, A & E admissions. Some issues can be dealt with differently and quickly with 1 to 1 care and time spent with patients.

9. Date of Next Meeting

10th January 2019, Shaw Lifelong Learning Centre, 4.30pm