



Title of Paper:	Joint Strategic Needs Assessment Annual Report 2022/23
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Purpose:	Information and discussion

1. Executive Summary

This paper is a summary of the health and wellbeing needs of the residents of Bristol, drawn from the JSNA data profile sections updated during 2022/23 and aligned to the Health and Wellbeing Board priorities.

2. Purpose of the Paper

Local authorities and Integrated Care Board's (ICB's) have equal and joint duties to prepare a Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA), through the Health and Wellbeing Board (HWB) in order that the health and social care needs of the population are understood and proper plans and services may be put in place.

The HWB delegates this function to the Director of Public Health for Bristol. Public Health chair the JSNA Steering Group.

This report provides a summary of the findings from all the JSNA work carried out throughout the past year

3. Background, evidence base, and what needs to happen

The Joint Strategic Needs Assessment is used to:

- provide a comprehensive picture of the health and wellbeing needs of Bristol (now and in the future)
- inform decisions about how we design, commission and deliver services, and also about how the urban environment is planned and managed
- improve and protect health and wellbeing outcomes across the city while reducing health inequalities
- provide partner organisations with information on the changing health and wellbeing needs of Bristol, at a local level, to support better service delivery
- be the evidence base for the [Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy](#), identifying important health and wellbeing issues for Bristol, and supporting the development of action plans for the 10 priorities named in the strategy

The profile is broken down into 10 themes and currently reports on 85 different subject areas. These sections are kept up-to-date and published as soon after the release of new data as possible.

4. Community/stakeholder engagement

JSNA sections are updated using national and local data (including Quality of Life Survey data) in conjunction with specialist knowledge both internally to Bristol City Council and externally.

5. Recommendations

The Board is asked to:

- Approve the JSNA Health and Wellbeing Summary 2022/23

6. City Benefits

As stated in section 3 above the JSNA is used to improve and protect health and wellbeing outcomes across the city while reducing health inequalities. The intelligence captured from the JSNA informs commissioning in order to address issues and meet future needs.

7. Financial and Legal Implications

n/a.

8. Appendices

Appendix A: JSNA Health and Wellbeing Annual Summary 2022/23

Detailed JSNA sections are updated and published on our [JSNA webpages](#)