

Summary of Planned Activity

Sustainable Community Strategy Theme: Healthy Darlington

CYPP Priority: Promote positive health and well being

We will:	Our top Actions are:	Source Strategy/ Action plan	Timescale/ By	NIS	Lead Officer/ Agency
Promote healthy Schools	Implement Healthy Schools Standards	Healthy Schools Business Plan 2010	2010		Wendy Bagnell/Karen Robinson
Tackle obesity in children and young people	To review and implement the childhood obesity strategy	Obesity strategy	ongoing	55 56 57	Sue Hoar-Leather
Tackle health inequalities, targeting binge drinking and drug and alcohol misuse	To appoint a YP Alcohol Support Worker	Community Safety Delivery Plans/Alcohol Strategy	Sept 08	38 39 40	Kate Martin
	To devise & implement alcohol strategy based on Safe, Sensible & Social	Alcohol Strategy (LSP)	March 09	41 42	
	To deliver Alcohol Awareness Campaigns including: specific schools events; road shows; posters; leaflets & advertising aimed at young people	Community Safety Delivery Plans	12month programme to March 09	92 115	
	To deliver FRANK & Community events – drug specific	Young People's Treatment Plan	Rolling programme to March 09		

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Tackle health inequalities, targeting binge drinking and drug and alcohol misuse	The appointment of Young People & Community Development post to DAAT Strategy Unit to embed children and young people's agenda and deliver Young People's Treatment Plan	DAAT Unit Development	March 2009		Kate Martin
	To employ a YOS Substance Misuse Worker for triage/intervention & through care	DAAT Unit	April 08		Kate Martin
	To carry out a Social Norms Survey. Electronic Questionnaire used in schools to track young people's perception of trends/levels of substance misuse	Young People's Substance Misuse Treatment Plan	Ongoing		
	To increase availability of Tier 1 and 2 intervention and raise awareness of this provision. Develop provision within existing universal services and ensure appropriate training is provided. Ensure screening through CAF and develop referral pathways for all services		March 2009		
To quantify groups with unmet tier 3 and 4 need and target resources towards them		March 2009			
Improve oral health	Implement the oral health strategy	Oral health strategy	Ongoing		Ken Ross

We will:	Our top Actions are:	Source Strategy/ Action plan	Timescale/ By	NIS	Lead Officer/ Agency
Reduce teenage pregnancy and promote positive sexual health	To continue to develop and support targeted outreach and mainstream young person focused contraception and sexual health service	Teenage pregnancy Action Plan 2008-10	2010	112 113	Donna Thorne
Reduce teenage pregnancy and promote positive sexual health	To strengthen Sex & relationship education: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Educational & non-educational settings for all children, young people and young parents • Target 'at risk' groups • Parents /carers Workforce development and induction To thread Delay and Raising Aspirations throughout all actions	Teenage Pregnancy Action Plan 2008-10	2010	112 113	Donna Thorne
Promote positive mental health and emotional well being	Continue to develop CAMHS at tiers 1 and 2 in line with NSF targets Ensure all schools work within the CAMHS referral pathway for schools Continue to roll out foundation training Ensure that specialist CAMHS are able to meet all proxy indicators and deliver a comprehensive CAMH service, as defined in the NSF Develop emotional well being strategy	Multi-agency CAMHS Strategy Multi-agency CAMHS Strategy CYP NSF	2010 2008 Ongoing 2009 2009	50 51 58	Lucy Wheatley Lucy Wheatley Jo Dawson Jenni Cooke

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Improve uptake of ante natal and post natal service	To continue and develop Health Visiting ante natal contact through: Contact being made by the health visitor in clinic or at home during the Antenatal period. This is an opportunity to reinforce the message given by the midwife to promote health and wellbeing of pregnant women and their families in relation to tackling the inequalities in health in County Durham and Darlington.	Health visiting/ School Nursing pathway for the promotion of Child and Family Health in County Durham and Darlington	Ongoing service Provision	53 120 126	Angela Davidson/ Debbie Bunford
Improve uptake of ante natal and post natal service	The aim is to establish a health partnership between parents and the health visiting team and to commence the assessment of child and family needs for completion by the child's first birthday. To continue to develop the Health Visiting Post natal service through: Home visits by the health visitor to assess the child and family health needs, including identification of mental health needs. The postnatal visit will be agreed within 4 weeks of the baby's birth. This will preferably take place between 10-15 days except in exceptional circumstances.	Health visiting/ School Nursing pathway for the promotion of Child and Family Health in County Durham and Darlington	Ongoing service Provision	53 120 126	Angela Davidson/ Debbie Bunford

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Improve uptake of ante natal and post natal service	<p>The health visitor will agree and plan in partnership with the family the pathway of care, using an integrated approach and build on the health needs assessment begun in the antenatal period, reviewing the care plan and agreeing further targeted interventions</p> <p>Further contacts at 4-8 weeks, 12-18 weeks and 7-13 months, additional contacts to this programme negotiated with families to address identified needs</p>	Health visiting/ School Nursing pathway for the promotion of Child and Family Health in County Durham and Darlington	Ongoing service Provision	53 120 126	Angela Davidson/ Debbie Bunford

SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITY STRATEGY THEME: SAFER DARLINGTON

CYPP Priority: Ensure the safety of children and young people

We will:	Our top Actions are:	Source Strategy/ Action plan	Timescale/ By	NIS	Lead Officer/ Agency
<p>Promote awareness of accident prevention and road safety</p>	<p>To ensure that school pupils in Darlington have the opportunity to make a safe, healthy, affordable and enjoyable journey to school with the minimum practicable impact on the local environment.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All schools (45) to have a School Travel Plan by 2010. • % of journeys to school by car reduced to 23.5% by 2011 	<p>Local Transport Plan – School Travel Plan Strategy</p>	<p>2011</p>	<p>198</p>	<p>Nick Butler</p>
	<p>To implement a wide range of initiatives focussed on areas of most risk, which are identified through accident statistics and partnership working with local communities.</p> <p>To achieve the national targets for casualty reduction by 2010:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A 40% reduction in the number of people killed or seriously injured. • A 50% reduction in the number of children killed or seriously injured. • A 10% reduction in number of slight casualties. 	<p>Local Transport Plan - Travel Safety Strategy</p>	<p>2010</p>	<p>47 48</p>	<p>Dave Winstanley</p>

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Promote awareness of accident prevention and road safety	To achieve a local target for casualty reduction by 2010:- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A 10% reduction in number of slight child casualties. (child = under 16 years old) 	Local Transport Plan - Travel Safety Strategy	2010	47 48	Dave Winstanley
Ensure the stability and safety of Looked After Children	To audit placement moves of CLA and analyse the reasons and trends for such moves To develop recruitment /marketing strategy for foster carer recruitment To support families and carers in providing a stable safe secure environment	Children's Services Departmental Service Plan	March 2009	61 62 63 66	Jenni Cooke
Help children, young people and adults to develop positive relationships and not to bully	To develop a youth participation strategy, to gather direct feedback from children and young people, To develop current guidance in light of any feedback made during the 3 month consultation. To arrange training sessions for professionals to be incorporated into the Safeguarding Board's training programme for 2008-2009.	Tackling Bullying in Darlington	March 2009	69	Odette Sanderson

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Help children, young people and adults to develop positive relationships and not to bully	<p>To develop wider awareness raising programme with schools and agencies re; Sentinel programme.</p> <p>To develop alongside the Local Safeguarding Children Board, a local professionals' network, to share good practice on a range of safeguarding issues including bullying.</p> <p>To establish a task group to develop a communications strategy and to plan and maintain oversight of events during anti-bullying week, across agencies and settings.</p> <p>Identified need for coordinator post to drive forward the anti bullying action plan</p>	Tackling Bullying in Darlington	March 2009	69	Odette Sanderson
Reduce the prevalence of domestic abuse and repeat abuse	<p>Develop the Multi-Agency Risk Assessment conference (MARAC) Framework</p> <p>Develop the role of Tier 1 & 2 in delivering domestic abuse support/interventions</p> <p>Continue to rollout the Sanctuary Scheme and evaluate its effectiveness</p>	CDRP Plan	<p>June 2008</p> <p>July 2008</p>	34 70	Joy Easterby

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Reassure young people and improve perceptions of anti social behaviour	<p>Integrate Neighbourhood Policing Teams into local schools adopting the key principles of Safer Schools partnerships</p> <p>Maximise the use of enforcement interventions where appropriate, including ASBOs, Injunctions and Fixed Penalty Notices, parenting Orders to tackle ASB and Environmental Crime</p> <p>Improve engagement with diverse groups to ensure they have the opportunity to inform, influence and shape service delivery</p>	CDRP Plan	<p>Sept 2008</p> <p>Ongoing</p> <p>July2008</p>	41 42	Rob Jones

SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITY STRATEGY THEME: ASPIRING DARLINGTON

CYPP Priority- Enable children and young people to aspire, to have fun and maximise their full potential through learning

We will:	Out top Actions are:	Source Strategy/ Action plan	Timescale /By	NIS	Lead Officer/ Agency
Ensure all children receive high quality teaching and learning, improving academic progress and reducing the disparity in performance between schools phases and vulnerable groups	To establish a Darlington school leadership college	Children’s Services Departmental service plan	June 2008	73	Andy Dunn
	For Governing bodies to carry out self review programme, so identifying CPD		Review	74	
			Sept 2008	75	
	To further develop SIP and Lead Officer intervention to ensure Darlington Schools Ofsted reports are largely good and outstanding		Review	76	
			Sept 2008	77	
	To develop the Foundation Stage strategy		Review	78	
			Sept 2008	83	
	To link the best performing schools with those in need of improvement to ensure that skills are transferred		Review	84	
Sept 2008		89			
Reduce absence	Reduce the number of persistent absentees through better targeting and bespoke action planning To work with parents and settings to improve the support for school attendance	Children’s services Departmental Service Plan	March 2009	69	Gill Walker
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			114		

We will:	Out top Actions are:	Source Strategy/ Action plan	Timescale /By	NIS	Lead Officer/ Agency
Reduce exclusion rates	<p>To ensure full compliance with 6 day rule</p> <p>To progress KS4 Engagement programme</p> <p>To further embed SEAL project in Primary schools and extend further to secondary schools</p> <p>To improve the rate of reintegration and support provided for permanently excluded pupils</p> <p>To establish Behaviour and Attendance network for primary schools and continue to support secondary school network</p>	Children's services Departmental Service Plan	March 2009	69 86 87 89 111 114	Andy Dunn
Improve transitions across all setting phases and services especially for vulnerable groups	<p>To implement the findings of the Director's Transition Commission.</p> <p>Data arrangements in place for schools by Sept 2008 to include establishing a transition model : -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establish a transition model for all schools, informed by existing good practice in Darlington (SCS) 	Children's services Departmental Service Plan	September 2008 March 2009	72 92 93 94 95 96 97 98	Andy Dunn

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Improve transitions across all setting phases and services especially for vulnerable groups	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure that children in year 6 spend at least a week in secondary school during the second half of the summer term (SCS) Work with Community: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Services and Health to improve the transition to Adult Services for young people with LDD • Ensuring smooth transitions through use of CAF 	Children's services Departmental Service Plan	March 2009	As above	Andy Dunn
Ensure the sufficiency of high quality child care	To increase number of sustainable good quality, inclusive school age childcare places (breakfast, after school & holiday) to achieve sufficiency To review location of vacancies/waiting lists in existing provision for school age children Improve inclusive practice in childcare settings	Early Years & Childcare Strategy & Action Plan 2008-11	March 2009 March 2008 on-going May 2009	109 88	Lynne Henderson/ Gill Walker
Provide high quality learning environments	To provide new or substantially refurbished secondary schools throughout the Borough To implement our Primary capital strategy to provide suitable learning spaces	Capital Strategy	2012 2009		George McQueen

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Provide high quality learning environments	To carefully manage, in partnership with Governors, Devolved formula Capital To pursue pathfinder capital to build/expand our experience in sustainable/carbon-neutral building developments	Capital Strategy	On-going 2009		
Improve opportunities for play and play provision	To develop closer links with leisure services to support delivery of play strategy To develop a comprehensive youth offer and ensure this is available within service directory – ensure details are refreshed as appropriate.	Children's services Partnerships Service Plan	July 2008 July 2008		Gill Walker
Extend opportunities and access to cultural, sports and formal/informal youth activities	To develop and deliver a wide range of initiatives across all YS areas. To ensure that there is a programme in place for key school holiday periods. To extend range and scope of programmes and activity at weekend periods. To deliver the play project 'Fun on Wheels'.	Youth Service Plan Play Strategy	From April 08 Easter 08 and on-going July 08 Oct 08	110 110 110 110	Mike Crawshaw Mervyn Bell

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Extend opportunities and access to cultural, sports and formal/informal youth activities	To make The Dosh funds widely available to groups of young people.	YS Plan	From Apr 08	110	Mike Crawshaw Mervyn Bell
	To submit an application to 'myplace' to extend youth facilities.	Aiming High Strategy	Sept 08	110	
	To continue with the Youth Offer Stakeholder sessions to extend provision across all sectors.	YS Plan	May 08	110	
	To respond to the needs/wants of young people as expressed through the Click website and on-going dialogue/consultation.	YS Plan	From June 08 and on-going	110	
	Develop and implement a children and young peoples disability strategy		March 2009		Jenni Cooke
Maximise leisure opportunities for children and young people with additional needs	To continue delivery of Inclusive Leisure Fund Opportunities	Disability Strategy	ongoing		Kevin Kelly

Sustainable Community Strategy Theme: Greener Darlington (aspects)

CYPP Priority – Enable children and young people to contribute to their community and environment

We will:	Out top Actions are:	Source Strategy/ Action plan	Timescale/ By	NIS	Lead Officer/ Agency
Improve and promote opportunities for volunteering	To make links with Third sector organisations to source opportunities for volunteers	eVOLution Strategic Plan SCS	On going	6 7	Karen Grundy
	To develop the partnership with Darlington College and Young Enterprise Group		On going		
	To recruit and support and refer young volunteers drawn from the local community to Third Sector organisations		April 2009		
Increase engagement of children, young people their families and carers in the design and delivery of services	To review and revise the Consultation and Engagement Strategy, including systems for engaging and involving those with disabilities	Consultation & Engagement Strategy	Apr 08		Mervyn Bell
	To submit the revised strategy to Children's Trust.		May 08 (prov)		
	To develop and implement an agreed cross Department/sector action plan		May 08		
	To maintain 'What's Changed' logs to monitor impact of engagement on service design.		June 08 and on-going		

We will:	Out top Actions are:	Source Strategy/ Action plan	Timescale/ By	NIS	Lead Officer/ Agency
Reducing offending	To work with partners to increase protective factors for young offenders including access to education/training and employment, suitable accommodation and drug and alcohol services.	YOS Plan	Continuous	19 43 44 45 46 111	Rita Taylor/ Rob Jones
	To continue to develop Restorative Justice Services including reparation and victim awareness and mediation.				
	To deliver against multi agency agreed Premium Service Agreements for PYO and PPO to ensure a robust and co-ordinated approach in work with identified persistent offenders (PYO) and priority and prolific offenders (PPO).				
Reassure young people and improve perceptions of anti social behaviour	Integrate Neighbourhood Policing Teams into local schools adopting the key principles of Safer Schools partnerships	CDRP Plan	Sept 2008	41 42	Rob Jones
	Maximise the use of enforcement interventions where appropriate, including ASBOs, Injunctions and Fixed Penalty Notices, parenting Orders to tackle ASB and Environmental Crime	CDRP Plan	Ongoing	41 42	Rob Jones

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Sustainable Community Strategy Theme: Prosperous Darlington

CYPP Priority: Ensure children and young people are prepared for and prosper in adult life

We will:	Our top Actions are:	Source Strategy/ Action plan	Timescale/ By	NIS	Lead Officer/ Agency
Reduce the proportion of children living in poverty	To continue to participate in the Narrowing the Gap pilot project	Children' Services Departmental Service Plan	Pilot ends 2009	116 156	Gill Walker
Accelerate progress with all aspects of the implementation of the 14-19 strategy	Implement the revised 14-19 strategy agreed by 14-19 Trust Develop protocols around cross institution delivery of 14-19 offer Develop further and raise awareness of borough-wide 14-19 Prospectus Ensure consortium plans are in place for effective delivery of 2009 Diploma offer NEET strategy Action plan 2008-10 implemented Review KS4 Engagement strategy funding	Children' Services Departmental Service Plan	From April 2008 March 2009 December 2008 September 2009 2010 March 2009	75 78 79 80 81 82 84 85 90 91 97 98 101 102 105 106 108 111 117	Andy Dunn

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Accelerate progress with all aspects of the implementation of the 14-19 strategy	<p>Complete feasibility study around the development of a skills centre with a view to further development of alternative and vocational provision</p> <p>Access for all Y9 and T11 students to 1:1 IAG with careers qualified staff</p> <p>Engage with employers more effectively improve range and quality of work experience offer.</p>	Children' Services Departmental Service Plan	<p>July 2008</p> <p>September 2008</p> <p>March 2009</p>	As above	Andy Dunn
Enhance people's skills in relation to the job market, by tackling the disparities in employment prospects and economic opportunity across Darlington	<p>To develop an Engineering Skills Project, working with approx. 6 key engineering employers within the town offering subsidised work placements to young people and some form of cash incentive to the individuals upon completion</p> <p>To develop vocational diplomas in areas including Engineering and Hospitality;</p> <p>To continue DBC Self Development Grant scheme, aimed at removing barriers to employment or self-employment.</p>	ALL – Sustainable Community Strategy & 'Prosperous Darlington' themes	<p>Envisaged start date start of 2008/09 academic year</p> <p>TBA</p> <p>Ongoing – scheme already operational</p>	74	Nick Grewer

We will:	Our top Actions are:	Source Strategy/ Action plan	Timescale/ By	NIS	Lead Officer/ Agency
Support aspirations through life-long learning and opportunities for personal development	To increase engagement in the arts	Sustainable Community Strategy/ Children's Services Departmental Service Plan	March 2009	9 11	Ruth Bernstein
	To develop community provision		March 2009		
	To increase skills provision for adults		September 2008		