



# Health and Wellbeing Board Agenda

3.00 pm

Thursday, 4 December 2025

Council Chamber, Town Hall, Darlington. DL1 5QT

**Members of the Public are welcome to attend this Meeting.**

1. Introductions/Attendance at Meeting.
2. Declarations of Interest.
3. To hear relevant representation (from Members and the General Public) on items on this Health and Well Being Board Agenda.
4. To approve the Minutes of the Meeting of this Board held on 18 September 2025 (Pages 5 - 10)
5. Mental Health and Wellbeing - Deep Dive –  
Report of the Director of Public Health  
(Pages 11 - 44)
6. Health and Wellbeing Board Forward Plan –  
Report of the Assistant Director Law and Governance  
(Pages 45 - 48)

## **FOR INFORMATION**

7. Membership and Terms of Reference –  
Verbal update by the Chair of the Health and Wellbeing Board

8. Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment - Any significant changes to report since the last review –  
Verbal update by the Director of Public Health
9. SUPPLEMENTARY ITEM(S) (if any) which in the opinion of the Chair of this Board are of an urgent nature and can be discussed at the meeting.
10. Questions.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading 'A. Wennington', with a horizontal line underneath.

**Amy Wennington**  
**Assistant Director Law and Governance**

**Wednesday, 26 November 2025**

**Town Hall**  
**Darlington.**

**Membership**

Councillor Harker, Leader of the Council  
Councillor Mammolotti  
Councillor Roche, Cabinet Member for Health and Housing  
Councillor Mrs Scott  
Councillor Tostevin  
James Stroyan, Executive Director People  
Lorraine Hughes, Director of Public Health  
Andrea Goldie, Mental Health and Community Networks Manager, Healthwatch  
Martin Short, Director of Place - North East and North Cumbria Integrated Care Board  
Steve Russell, Chief Executive, County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust  
Alison Smith, Chief Executive, Tees, Esk and Wear Valley NHS Foundation Trust  
Jackie Andrews, Medical Director, Harrogate and District NHS Foundation Trust  
Joanne Dobson, NHSE/I Locality Director for North East and North Cumbria, NHS England, Area Team  
Alison MacNaughton-Jones, Joint Clinical Director, Darlington Primary Care Network  
Andrea Petty, Chief of Staff, Durham Police and Crime Commissioner's Office  
Ptolemy Neoptolemos, Head of Department (Nursing and Midwifery), Teesside University  
Sam Hirst, Primary Schools Representative  
Vacancy, Secondary School Representative

Carole Todd, Darlington Post Sixteen Representative  
Deborah Robinson, St Teresa's Hospice

**Since the last meeting of the Board, the following items have been sent to the Chair/Members of the Board:-**

- Email, 30 October 2025 - Proposal to introduce a National Licensing Policy Framework - call for evidence

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