

**HEALTH AND WELL BEING BOARD
14 DECEMBER 2023**

HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD – TERMS OF REFERENCE

SUMMARY REPORT

Purpose of the Report

1. To consider a further amendment to the membership of the Health and Wellbeing Board.

Summary

2. A number of changes were made at Annual Council in May 2023 to Darlington Borough Council's membership on this Board. These changes were reported and noted at the last meeting of the Board in September 2023.
3. Some consequential changes to the agreed Terms of Reference have also been made by Health Watch Darlington and the revised Terms of Reference, including those changes are attached at **Appendix 1**,
4. A further request has now been made by the Chair of this Board that consideration be given to the inclusion of a representative from St Teresa's Hospice in the membership as it plays a unique role in health and well-being in the Town and gives a voice to those at the end of life.

Recommendations

5. It is recommended :-
 - (a) that the attached revised Terms of Reference for this Board be considered and approved; and
 - (b) that the membership of the Health and Well Being Board be amended to include representation from St Teresa's Hospice.

Reasons

6. The recommendation is supported by the following reasons:
 - (a) To enable the Terms of Reference for this Board to be updated
 - (b) To enable the membership of the Board to be amended.

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Background Papers

No background papers were used in the compilation of this report.

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S17 Crime and Disorder	There are no implications arising from this report.
Health and Wellbeing	This proposed collaborative project will provide improvements for health and wellbeing of residents with Long Term Conditions.
Carbon Impact and Climate Change	There are no implications arising from this report.
Diversity	There are no implications arising from this report.
Wards Affected	All
Groups Affected	All
Budget and Policy Framework	N/A
Key Decision	N/A
Urgent Decision	N/A
Council Plan	N/A
Efficiency	N/A
Impact on Looked After Children and Care Leavers	There are no direct implications for Looked After Children or Care Leavers contained within the report.