

Enfield Health and Wellbeing Board Information Bulletin December 2017

Sexual Health Clinic at Silverpoint

The new Enfield Sexual Health clinic opened on Monday 27th November. Once the service is fully established, LBE and the provider, North Middlesex University Hospital will have a grand opening to ensure that as many people as possible know about the clinic. At present the clinic is offering Level 2 services e.g. non-symptomatic and booked appointments. Once fully functional in the new year, the clinic will offer a full range of services for booked and walk in patients as well as those with symptoms.

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Smoking

The London Smoking Portal is now open across London. This is a telephone / internet support service for any smoker who would like support to stop smoking. Enfield has signed up to the service which follows the New York experience in which telephone support was part of a package of measures which saw smoking prevalence fall by some 6%.

For further information contact Glenn.Stewart@enfield.gov.uk

Or visit the website at https://london.stopsmokingportal.com

Thrive LDN

Thrive LDN came to Enfield as part of a consultation event in November. This was to gain residents' perspectives into what perceptions are about mental health issues are in the borough. The event itself was reported to go well with analysis from the event available later in December.

Flu

It is flu season again all organisations are urged to help to encourage those who are eligible to get their flu jabs. This is not just for themselves but to help stop the spread of the virus. Much of the intelligence of what might happen is taken from Australia where they have just had their worst flu season in 10 years underlining how important it is for people to have their jab. This includes children aged 2 and 3 who are being offered the jab at least partly because they have the potential to be 'super-spreaders'.

London Mayor consultations

The London Mayor is consulting on a number of strategies that will have a major impact on health. These include transport, the environment, inequalities, air quality and Solar Energy. A consultation of The London Plan which sets overall planning policy is expected in the next few weeks.

For further information www.london.gov.uk



Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment

Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment (PNA) is an evidence base for NHS England to consider how they wish to commission community Pharmacy services. Draft PNA report is available for consultation at www.enfield.gov.uk/pna to all partners and pharmacy users.

The closing date for the consultation is the 7th January 2018.

For further information please contact Miho. Yoshizaki@enfield.gov.uk

Enfield White Ribbon Day Event

The Metropolitan Police, Enfield Clinical Commissioning Group, Public Health and Enfield Council joined forces on Thursday (23 November) to raise awareness about domestic violence ahead of White Ribbon Day and Enfield's new Violence against Women & Girls strategy.

Enfield Council re-affirmed its commitment to the White Ribbon Pledge which promotes a zero-tolerance approach to domestic abuse. At a special conference held at the Dugdale Centre the Council was officially recognised for its work with an award, presented by White Ribbon UK to Enfield Council's Cabinet Member for Community Safety & Public Health, Cllr Krystle Fonyonga. The Director of Public Health, Tessa Lindfield, and Dr Mo Abedi, Chair of the Enfield Clinical Commissioning Group and Vice-Chair of the Health and Wellbeing Board gave a presentation to delegates on the link between domestic abuse and health and outlined the work being done to improve outcomes in Enfield. In April this year the HWB reviewed its priorities and identified Domestic Abuse as one of its top 4 priorities. The presentation highlighted how health partners provide a critical role in our multi-agency response to domestic abuse and contribute to operational and strategic work. Case examples were provided by Dr Abedi which showed how interventions had helped improve the lives of victims and their children and relayed how significant and important this work is.

Enfield Council was the first London borough to achieve White Ribbon status in 2010. At the conference the Council and its partners discussed a two-year plan to address a range of areas affected by domestic violence and how we plan to offer united support. Cllr Fonyonga said: "Enfield Council is proud to have signed up to the White Ribbon pledge to never excuse, commit or remain silent about male violence against women. There is no place in a civilised society for a cowardly and abhorrent crime such as this. We will continue to work with our partner organisations to bring those responsible for committing violence to justice and to help protect domestic violence survivors."

At the conference, pupils from Heron Hall Academy presented a dramatic piece based around a workshop on relationships delivered by the charity Tender Education & Arts*. Students who took part in the project were asked to discuss some of the pressures of being in relationships with particular emphasis on social media. The group of students from year 11 also explored early warning-signs of unhealthy behaviours and different types of relationship abuse. These themes have also been brought to light via Enfield Council's



awareness campaign 'Boyfriend Material', aimed at helping women to realise when their relationships have become unhealthy or abusive. This is the second phase of Enfield Council's award-winning domestic violence campaign.

For more information on White Ribbon Day, go to www.whiteribbon.org.uk

*Tender is an arts charity that works with young people to prevent domestic abuse and sexual violence by promoting healthy relationships based on equality and respect. To find out more go to www.tender.org.uk

The Violence against Women & Girls strategy will be available from www.Enfield.gov.uk.

For further information, please contact Shan.Kilby@enfield.gov.uk

Supporting the Third Sector in Enfield

The Council is seeking the views of Third Sector Organisations (TSOs), residents and other stakeholders on our proposals to support the Third Sector.

Following initial discussions within the Council and with our key strategic partners from the Third Sector, we have developed a set of proposals setting out how we would like to support and work with the Third Sector. These proposals focus on four areas:

- Supporting the sector to increase its independence and sustainability (for example, proposals on improving the bidding capacity of local Third sector organisations in Enfield)
- 2 Identifying wider opportunities to 'champion' our Third Sector. For example, working across the organisation to champion our local Third Sector organisations in all appropriate contexts
- Increasing volunteering capacity in the borough (for example, developing a volunteering policy and action plan that will increase the number of sustainable volunteering opportunities)
- 4 Clarity on how we sponsor ring-fenced work with the Third Sector (for example, we will continue to employ a transparent competitive grants approach to any ring-fenced funding opportunities that may become available)

We would like to hear your views on these.

You can find out more about the consultation by clicking here. You can complete the online questionnaire, which can be accessed by this link, or you can email consultation@enfield.gov.uk with your response.

The closing date for responses 8 February 2018.