

# Local Outbreak Engagement Board

Monday, 29th March, 2021  
at 5.30 pm

## **PLEASE NOTE TIME OF MEETING**

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This meeting is open to the public

### **Members**

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Councillor Fielker (Vice-Chair)  
Councillor Dr Paffey  
Councillor Shields

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# PUBLIC INFORMATION

## SOUTHAMPTON COVID-19 LOCAL OUTBREAK ENGAGEMENT BOARD

The Southampton Covid-19 Local Outbreak Engagement Board is responsible for strategic oversight of health protection regarding Covid-19 in Southampton, including prevention, surveillance, planning and response to ensure they meet the needs of the population.

The Board will support the local delivery of the primary objectives of the Government's strategy to control the Covid-19 reproduction number (R), reduce the spread of infection and save lives, in doing so help to return life to as normal as possible, for as many people as possible, in a way that is safe, protects our health and care systems and releases our economy.

The response will be delivered at various levels and by various partner organisations, but these will need to be brought together at local authority level through the Executive Director of Wellbeing (Health & Adults), supported by the Director of Public Health as lead officer, to ensure a community focus and appropriately tailored response. In addition to the place-based approach overseen by the Board the levels will include:

- National - a National Outbreak Control Plans Advisory Board will be established to draw on expertise from across local government and ensure the NHS Test and Trace programme builds on local capability, and to share best practice and inform future programme development;
- Regional - Co-ordination required on a regional level will be provided through the HIOW Local Resilience Forum and Integrated Care System arrangements;
- Local – Southampton COVID-19 Health Protection Board, working through Local Engagement Boards to define measures to contain outbreaks and protect health.

### CONDUCT OF MEETING

#### **TERMS OF REFERENCE**

The terms of reference of the Cabinet, and its Executive Members, are set out in Part 3 of the Council's Constitution.

#### **RULES OF PROCEDURE**

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Southampton: Corporate Plan 2020-2025 sets out the four key outcomes:

- Communities, culture & homes - Celebrating the diversity of cultures within Southampton; enhancing our cultural and historical offer and using these to help transform our communities.
- Green City - Providing a sustainable, clean, healthy and safe environment for everyone. Nurturing green spaces and embracing our waterfront.
- Place shaping - Delivering a city for future generations. Using data, insight and vision to meet the current and future needs of the city.
- Wellbeing - Start well, live well, age well, die well; working with other partners and other services to make sure that customers get the right help at the right time.

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#### **Personal Interests**

A Member must regard himself or herself as having a personal interest in any matter

- (i) if the matter relates to an interest in the Member's register of interests; or
- (ii) if a decision upon a matter might reasonably be regarded as affecting to a greater extent than other Council Tax payers, ratepayers and inhabitants of the District, the wellbeing or financial position of himself or herself, a relative or a friend or:-
  - (a) any employment or business carried on by such person;
  - (b) any person who employs or has appointed such a person, any firm in which such a person is a partner, or any company of which such a person is a director;
  - (c) any corporate body in which such a person has a beneficial interest in a class of securities exceeding the nominal value of £5,000; or
  - (d) any body listed in Article 14(a) to (e) in which such a person holds a position of general control or management.

A Member must disclose a personal interest.

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## **Prejudicial Interests**

Having identified a personal interest, a Member must consider whether a member of the public with knowledge of the relevant facts would reasonably think that the interest was so significant and particular that it could prejudice that Member's judgement of the public interest. If that is the case, the interest must be regarded as "prejudicial" and the Member must disclose the interest and withdraw from the meeting room during discussion on the item.

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- due consultation and the taking of professional advice from officers;
- respect for human rights;
- a presumption in favour of openness, accountability and transparency;
- setting out what options have been considered;
- setting out reasons for the decision; and
- clarity of aims and desired outcomes.

In exercising discretion, the decision maker must:

- understand the law that regulates the decision making power and gives effect to it. The decision-maker must direct itself properly in law;
- take into account all relevant matters (those matters which the law requires the authority as a matter of legal obligation to take into account);
- leave out of account irrelevant considerations;
- act for a proper purpose, exercising its powers for the public good;
- not reach a decision which no authority acting reasonably could reach, (also known as the "rationality" or "taking leave of your senses" principle);
- comply with the rule that local government finance is to be conducted on an annual basis. Save to the extent authorised by Parliament, 'live now, pay later' and forward funding are unlawful; and
- act with procedural propriety in accordance with the rules of fairness.

## AGENDA

### 1 **APOLOGIES**

To receive any apologies.

### 2 **DISCLOSURE OF PERSONAL AND PECUNIARY INTERESTS**

In accordance with the Localism Act 2011, and the Council's Code of Conduct, Members to disclose any personal or pecuniary interests in any matter included on the agenda for this meeting.

NOTE: Members are reminded that, where applicable, they must complete the appropriate form recording details of any such interests and hand it to the Democratic Support Officer.

### 3 **STATEMENT FROM THE CHAIR**

### 4 **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (INCLUDING MATTERS ARISING)** (Pages 1 - 2)

To approve and sign as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting held on 8<sup>th</sup> February 2021 and to deal with any matters arising, attached.

### 5 **COVID-19 SITUATION UPDATE** (Pages 3 - 6)

Report of the Director of Public Health detailing the current Covid-19 situation in Southampton.

### 6 **UPDATE FROM THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH** (Pages 7 - 10)

Report of the Director of Public Health outlining work undertaken across the City to help prevent and reduce the spread of Covid-19.

### 7 **LIVE EVENT QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION**

Live Event Question and Answer Session to Members of the Local Outbreak Engagement Board.

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LOCAL OUTBREAK ENGAGEMENT BOARD  
MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 8 FEBRUARY 2021

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Present: Councillors Hammond (Chair) and Shields

In Attendance: Debbie Chase, Interim Director Public Health  
Robert Henderson, Interim Executive Director Children Social Care  
Dr Mark Kelsey, Chair, CCG Governing Body  
Rob Kurn, Healthwatch and SVS Deputy Chief Executive  
Chief Inspector Dhanda, Hampshire Police  
Supt Kelly Whiting, Hampshire Police  
Jenny Erwin, COVID19 Deputy Incident Commander, NHS Hampshire and Isle of Wight  
Paul Grundy, University Hospitals Southampton  
Phil Aubrey Harris, Southampton CCG

13. **APOLOGIES**

Apologies were received from Cllr Fielker, Cllr Paffey, Grainne Siggins, Executive Director Adult Social Care, Gary Whittle, Chamber of Commerce and Carol Cunio, Council of Faiths.

14. **STATEMENT FROM THE CHAIR**

15. **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (INCLUDING MATTERS ARISING)**

**RESOLVED:** that the minutes for the Committee meeting on 8<sup>th</sup> December 2020 be approved and signed as a correct record.

16. **COVID-19 SITUATION UPDATE**

The Board received and noted the report of the Interim Director of Public Health detailing the Covid-19 Situation update.

The Board particularly noted that the latest version of Southampton's Covid Plan had been updated and published on the City Councils website today, the test and trace service had launched and there were over 300 Covid-19 Champions across the City with the scheme working very well and had also been recognised regionally.

Early warning data indicated that there had been a slight increase in movement across most areas with a slight decrease in parks which would be weather related however on the whole there was re-assurance that in and around Southampton movement was low and residents were abiding by lockdown.

In relation to NHS Pathways it was noted that there had been a slight increase in 999 and 111 calls which had peaked in January but were now reducing, there had been over 2000 infections reported in total in this period to date but in the last 3 weeks there had been a significant reduction in cases. In relation to other areas as of 2<sup>nd</sup> February the South East region was 198 opposed to the England national figure of 233.

In relation to hospitals and discharges it was noted that Southampton University Hospital Trust had peaked in mid-January albeit figures were still high and there was significant pressure, however the last 7 days had seen a reduction of 184 (9%) cases and in relation to discharge to social care there had been a reduction of 18% than the previous week but figures were still high. Mortality rates for the City were 275, 179 in hospital, 96 in the community and 78 in care homes.

17. **HAMPSHIRE AND ISLE OF WIGHT COVID-19 VACCINATION PROGRAMME**

The Board received and noted the report of the Interim Director of Public Health detailing the Hampshire and Isle of Wight Covid-19 Vaccination Programme.

Jenny Erwin, COVID19 Deputy Incident Commander, NHS Hampshire and Isle of Wight was in attendance and with the consent of the Chair addressed the meeting.

It was noted that there were six sites across Hampshire and the Isle of Wight rolling out the vaccine programme together with GP surgeries, hospital hubs and pharmacies. The vaccination programme was on track to deliver the target of 15<sup>th</sup> February to those identified in phase 1 of the roll out. Phase 2 would then commence on the next identified cohort. It was noted that there was clear rationale for the cohort approach, National take-up was at 75% with Hampshire and Isle of Wight at 85%. Significant engagement work had taken place and it was important that no cohort was missed.

18. **SOUTHAMPTON TEST AND TRACE**

The Board received and noted the report of the Interim Director of Public Health detailing the Southampton Test and Trace which went live as a pilot in December 2020 targeting those areas in the City with the highest prevalence of Covid-19. The service had been very successful and given this the service was scaled up to ensure coverage for the whole City which went live on 13<sup>th</sup> January 2021. Members of staff from the Test and Trace Service were in attendance and with the consent of the Chair addressed the meeting. It was particularly noted that there had been successful contact with over 80% of cases in accordance with the SAGE guidance.

19. **EXPLAIN, ENGAGE, ENCOURAGE, ENFORCE**

The Board received and noted the report of the Interim Director of Public Health detailing the system of the Four E's, Engage, Explain, Encourage and Enforce which has been followed by Police nationally.

Covid-19 Marshals had also been introduced by the Council to help encourage residents to follow the guidance and legislation which had received excellent feedback to the initiative.

Chief Inspector Dhanda was in attendance and with the consent of the Chair addressed the meeting. It was noted that policing data had indicated that Southampton had been one of the busiest areas in Hampshire for Covid related incidents.

20. **LIVE EVENT QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION**

The Board held a live event question and answer session from members of the public. This can be viewed via the link to the meeting on the City Councils webpage:-  
<http://www.southampton.gov.uk/modernGov/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=748&MId=6529&Ver=4>

# Agenda Item 5

<b>DECISION-MAKER:</b>	Local Outbreak Engagement Board		
<b>SUBJECT:</b>	COVID-19 Situation Report		
<b>DATE OF DECISION:</b>	29 <sup>th</sup> March 2021		
<b>REPORT OF:</b>	Director of Public Health		
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<b>STATEMENT OF CONFIDENTIALITY</b>	
N/A	
<b>BRIEF SUMMARY</b>	
<p>A COVID-19 report is published by Southampton City Council on a weekly basis. The report summarises some of the key information published by the government, Public Health England and other agencies which can be used to monitor the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic both nationally and locally in Southampton.</p>	
<p>Elements of the Covid-19 report along with other key intelligence will be presented to the Local Outbreak Engagement Board, providing an update on the latest situation in Southampton.</p>	
<p>Members of the Board will be invited to provide verbal feedback on the COVID-19 situation in their sectors to support the Local Outbreak Engagement Boards understanding of the COVID-19 risks and impacts in Southampton.</p>	
<b>RECOMMENDATIONS:</b>	
(i)	To note the latest situation report and weekly COVID-19 update.
(ii)	To receive verbal feedback from partner members of the Board on the COVID-19 situation in key sectors.
<b>REASONS FOR REPORT RECOMMENDATIONS</b>	
1.	To ensure that the Local Outbreak Engagement Board is informed about the latest local intelligence relating to the coronavirus (COVID-19).
<b>ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND REJECTED</b>	
2.	No alternative options considered.
<b>DETAIL (Including consultation carried out)</b>	
3.	<p><b><u>Update on the national situation</u></b></p> <p>The government announced its four step roadmap to ease lockdown restrictions in England on 22<sup>nd</sup> February. In the first step, from 8<sup>th</sup> March, all children and students will return to face to face education in schools and colleges, and from 29<sup>th</sup> March outdoor gatherings of either 6 people or 2 households will be allowed. In the second step, no earlier than 12<sup>th</sup> April, non-essential retail, outdoor attractions, gyms and outdoor hospitality will be allowed. In the third step, no earlier than 17<sup>th</sup> May, most social contact rules</p>

	will be lifted outdoors - although gatherings of over 30 people will remain illegal, and rule of 6 or up to two households will apply. In the final step, no earlier than 21 <sup>st</sup> June, all legal limits on social contact will be removed.
4.	Each step will be assessed against four tests before deciding if restrictions can be eased: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The vaccine deployment programme continues successfully.</li> <li>• Evidence shows vaccines are sufficiently effective in reducing hospitalisations and deaths in those vaccinated.</li> <li>• Infection rates do not risk a surge in hospitalisations which would put unsustainable pressure on the NHS.</li> <li>• Our assessment of the risks is not fundamentally changed by new Variants of Concern.</li> </ul>
5.	Currently, England is in step one, with children having returned to school on 8 <sup>th</sup> March 2021.
7.	<b><u>Update on latest data and intelligence</u></b> The primary functions of the Southampton Local Outbreak Engagement Board are to ensure political oversight of responses to outbreaks, provide direction and leadership for community engagement, provide assurance on resource use, and be the public face of local responses in the event of an outbreak.
8.	In order to fulfil these tasks, it is important that the Board has access to timely and accurate data and information on the coronavirus outbreak. An online coronavirus dashboard is published daily to help inform members of the public of the current coronavirus situation in Southampton. This dashboard can be found at: <a href="https://data.southampton.gov.uk/health/disease-disability/covid-19/covid-19-updates/">https://data.southampton.gov.uk/health/disease-disability/covid-19/covid-19-updates/</a>
9.	The report contains information on the number of coronavirus cases, the rate of cases among the resident population, coronavirus related deaths, including where people have died and the number of people reporting coronavirus symptoms through NHS Pathways (for example, 999 calls, 111 calls and 111 online).
10.	Comparisons in the report are made between the last 7 days of complete data and the previous 7 days of data. Weekly variations in data, in the number of cases for example, is to be expected. Therefore, any changes should be interpreted alongside the overall trend, with sustained increases or decreases being more important than daily fluctuations. It is also important to highlight that the data in these reports, especially the most recent figures, are subject to revision. Data presented in these reports are correct at the time of publishing, but may subsequently be revised as more up to date data is made available.
11.	At the time of writing (data up to 11 <sup>th</sup> March) there have been 13,902 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Southampton. There were 206 confirmed cases in the last 7 days, which is an increase of 52 cases compared to the previous 7 days. This equates to 29 new cases per day. Therefore, although infections have fallen considerably and consistently since the peak in January, there are signs that they may now be starting slightly as restrictions are eased.

12.	At the time of writing, Southampton had a weekly infection rate of 81.6 per 100,000 population, which is higher than the South East average of 37.1 per 100,000 population and below the England average of 58.4 per 100,000 population. Rates in Southampton have been falling in line with the South East and England trend, but have increased slightly in the last week as restrictions have been eased. The Southampton weekly infection rate is higher than the rates in Portsmouth (60.0 per 100,000 population), Hampshire (35.4 per 100,000 population) and the Isle of Wight (16.2 per 100,000 population).
13.	Up to 5 <sup>th</sup> March there have been a total of 370 COVID-19 deaths in Southampton. Of those, 241 died in hospital and 129 in the community (102 of which were in care homes). Resident deaths increased once more as a result of the sharp increase in infections during December and January, but have now started to fall to much lower levels. In the last 4 weeks, there have been 27 Covid-19 related deaths, compared to 120 deaths in the previous 4-week period. Although, overall deaths (from all causes) in the city were higher than expected (for the time of year) in January, they are now at levels lower than would be expected for this time of year, based on historic trends over the last five years.
14.	COVID-19 data is received and updated daily, so the local picture can change quickly. Although this paper outlines the latest available information at the time of writing, the picture may have changed by the time of the Outbreak Engagement Board meeting on 29 <sup>th</sup> March. Therefore, the latest available information will be presented at the meeting.
15.	It is now over a year since the first COVID-19 recorded infection in Southampton, so now is an appropriate time to reflect on the city's experience of the pandemic over the last 12 months. Work is currently underway to analyse local COVID-19 data over time and compare what has happened in Southampton compared to some of our statistical neighbours including Portsmouth. This work will be presented and reflected on during the Outbreak Engagement Board meeting on 29 <sup>th</sup> March.

## RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS

### Capital/Revenue

16. None. This report is for information only.

### Property/Other

17. None. This report is for information only.

## LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

### Statutory power to undertake proposals in the report:

18. N/A. This report is for information only.

### Other Legal Implications:

19. The COVID-19 framework sets out responsibilities for a Local Outbreak Engagement Board to provide public engagement and community leadership.

20. The framework notes "Local DPH teams and PHE will have good situational awareness and are best placed to monitor and identify potential issues in their

	area.” <a href="https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/containing-and-managing-local-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreaks/covid-19-contain-framework-a-guide-for-local-decision-makers#data">https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/containing-and-managing-local-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreaks/covid-19-contain-framework-a-guide-for-local-decision-makers#data</a>
<b>RISK MANAGEMENT IMPLICATIONS</b>	
21.	COVID-19 risks are being managed in line with the council’s risk management framework.
<b>POLICY FRAMEWORK IMPLICATIONS</b>	
22.	None.

<b>KEY DECISION?</b>	No
<b>WARDS/COMMUNITIES AFFECTED:</b>	All
<u>SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION</u>	
<b>Appendices</b>	
1.	Weekly COVID-19 updates: <a href="https://data.southampton.gov.uk/health/disease-disability/covid-19/covid-19-updates/">https://data.southampton.gov.uk/health/disease-disability/covid-19/covid-19-updates/</a>

**Documents In Members’ Rooms**

1.	None
<b>Equality Impact Assessment</b>	
<b>Do the implications/subject of the report require an Equality and Safety Impact Assessment (ESIA) to be carried out.</b>	No
<b>Data Protection Impact Assessment</b>	
<b>Do the implications/subject of the report require a Data Protection Impact Assessment (DPIA) to be carried out.</b>	No
<b>Other Background Documents</b>	
<b>Other Background documents available for inspection at:</b>	
<b>Title of Background Paper(s)</b>	<b>Relevant Paragraph of the Access to Information Procedure Rules / Schedule 12A allowing document to be Exempt/Confidential (if applicable)</b>
1.	None

# Agenda Item 6

<b>DECISION-MAKER:</b>		Local Outbreak Engagement Board	
<b>SUBJECT:</b>		Update from the Director of Public Health	
<b>DATE OF DECISION:</b>		29 <sup>th</sup> March 2021	
<b>REPORT OF:</b>		Director of Public Health	
<b><u>CONTACT DETAILS</u></b>			
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<b>Director</b>	<b>Name:</b>	<b>Director of Public Health</b>	Tel: 023 80833694
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<b>STATEMENT OF CONFIDENTIALITY</b>			
N/A			
<b>BRIEF SUMMARY</b>			
Partners are invited to provide updates on work undertaken across the city to help prevent and reduce the spread of Covid-19. The updates will take into account what we have learnt, what has gone well and challenges over the past year in dealing with the Covid-19 pandemic, and the mental health impact of Covid-19 and recovery approach.			
Partner updates will cover symptom-free testing, Covid-19 Marshalls, Covid-19 Champions, Covid Innovation Projects, the roll out of vaccinations in the city, and the impacts of the pandemic and mental health and wellbeing.			
<b>RECOMMENDATIONS:</b>			
	(i)	To note the work undertaken by partners across the city.	
	(ii)	To receive verbal feedback from partner members of the Board on the COVID-19 situation.	
<b>REASONS FOR REPORT RECOMMENDATIONS</b>			
1.	To ensure that the Local Outbreak Engagement Board is aware of the scope of work being undertaken by Southampton City Council and partners relating to the coronavirus (COVID-19) over the past year.		
<b>ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND REJECTED</b>			
2.	N/A		
<b>DETAIL (Including consultation carried out)</b>			
3.	<p><b><u>Symptom free testing</u></b></p> <p>On 6th March Southampton City Council launched a symptom-free community testing programme targeted at workers that need to leave home to attend work, and people that have sustained contact with early years and schools children, such as members of households, childcare or support bubbles of early years and school pupils and staff. The key objectives of the targeted community testing programme are to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Reduce community transmission of COVID-19</b> by identifying asymptomatic carriage within the Southampton population, and</li> </ol>		

	<p>ensuring positive cases and their close contacts self-isolate to avoid passing the virus onto others.</p> <p>2. <b>Inform surveillance</b> by contributing to a more accurate picture of incidence, prevalence and trends of COVID-19 in the Southampton population.</p> <p>A presentation will be given to update the Board on the roll out of symptom free testing across Southampton.</p>
4.	<p><b><u>Covid-19 Marshalls</u></b></p> <p>The Southampton Covid-19 marshalls were deployed from the beginning of December 2020 and have since patrolled the city centre and district centres and visited businesses to monitor and support Covid-19 safety measures.</p> <p>A presentation will be given to update the Board on the Covid-19 marshalls activity over the last four months.</p>
5.	<p><b><u>Covid-19 Champions</u></b></p> <p>There are over 400 champions in the programme. A presentation will be given to the Board on recent survey feedback, and what is being done to further build relationships with Champions.</p>
6.	<p><b><u>Covid-19 Innovation Projects</u></b></p> <p>The COVID-19 Innovation Fund has been supporting community initiatives with the aim of promoting awareness, engagement and compliance with key COVID-19 public health measures. The Fund has sought to support projects that target groups in which prevalence of COVID-19 is highest or may increase, and groups which otherwise might not be reached. There has been an emphasis on 'locally informed' communications, to complement national messaging. LifeLab at the University of Southampton, and colleagues at University Hospital Southampton, have worked with those of school and college age to develop communications intended for young people – such as videos promoting the 'hands face space' message for distribution via social media. Separately, videos about COVID-19 have also been produced with the aim of reaching residents whose first language is not English. A presentation will be given to the Board on these projects that the Innovation Fund has supported.</p>
7.	<p><b><u>Vaccinations</u></b></p> <p>The NHS in Hampshire and Isle of Wight is continuing to vaccinate patients against coronavirus during the biggest immunisation programme in history. Across the county NHS teams, supported by a network of volunteers, are engaged in the huge effort to vaccinate priority groups in line with the target dates outlined by the government's Joint Committee on Vaccination and Immunisation (JVCI). An update on the current status of the vaccination roll out across the City will be presented to the Board.</p>
8.	<p><b><u>Mental Health &amp; Wellbeing</u></b></p> <p>A presentation will be given to the Board on mental health and wellbeing campaigns during the pandemic. These include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ World Mental Health Day (led by Time to Change Hub)</li> <li>○ Time to Talk Day (led by Time to Change Hub)</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 5 ways of wellbeing campaign (SCC)</li> <li>○ Other social media work: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Ongoing Time to Change Hub work</li> <li>○ 'Lockdown' tips – a video and social media campaign</li> <li>○ Collaboration with No Limits</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>There will also be an update on the services supporting mental health and wellbeing.</p>
<b>RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS</b>	
<b><u>Capital/Revenue</u></b>	
9.	On 22 September 2020 the Prime Minister announced that £60 million will be made available across the police and local authorities for compliance and enforcement activities. Of this £30 million has been allocated to local authorities and the remainder has been allocated to police forces. This funding is ringfenced for Covid-secure compliance and enforcement. <a href="#">Southampton's funding allocation</a> is £153,929 and Hampshire Constabulary has been awarded £778,166. Funding has been provided for four months, with an assumption that the funding will be used before March 2021.
<b><u>Property/Other</u></b>	
10.	n/a
<b>LEGAL IMPLICATIONS</b>	
<b><u>Statutory power to undertake proposals in the report:</u></b>	
11.	All actions taken are in accordance with the Coronavirus Act 2020, subordinate legislation and/or existing public health law.
<b><u>Other Legal Implications:</u></b>	
12.	The COVID-19 framework sets out responsibilities for a Local Outbreak Engagement Board to provide public engagement and community leadership.
13.	The framework notes "Local DPH teams and PHE will have good situational awareness and are best placed to monitor and identify potential issues in their area." <a href="https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/containing-and-managing-local-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreaks/covid-19-contain-framework-a-guide-for-local-decision-makers#data">https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/containing-and-managing-local-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreaks/covid-19-contain-framework-a-guide-for-local-decision-makers#data</a>
<b>RISK MANAGEMENT IMPLICATIONS</b>	
14.	COVID-19 risks are being managed in line with the council's risk management framework.
<b>POLICY FRAMEWORK IMPLICATIONS</b>	
15.	N/A
<b>KEY DECISION?</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>WARDS/COMMUNITIES AFFECTED:</b>	All
<b><u>SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION</u></b>	
<b>Appendices</b>	
1.	None

**Documents In Members' Rooms**

1.	None	
<b>Equality Impact Assessment</b>		
<b>Do the implications/subject of the report require an Equality and Safety Impact Assessment (ESIA) to be carried out.</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>Data Protection Impact Assessment</b>		
<b>Do the implications/subject of the report require a Data Protection Impact Assessment (DPIA) to be carried out.</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>Other Background Documents</b>		
<b>Other Background documents available for inspection at:</b>		
<b>Title of Background Paper(s)</b>	<b>Relevant Paragraph of the Access to Information Procedure Rules / Schedule 12A allowing document to be Exempt/Confidential (if applicable)</b>	
1.	None	