

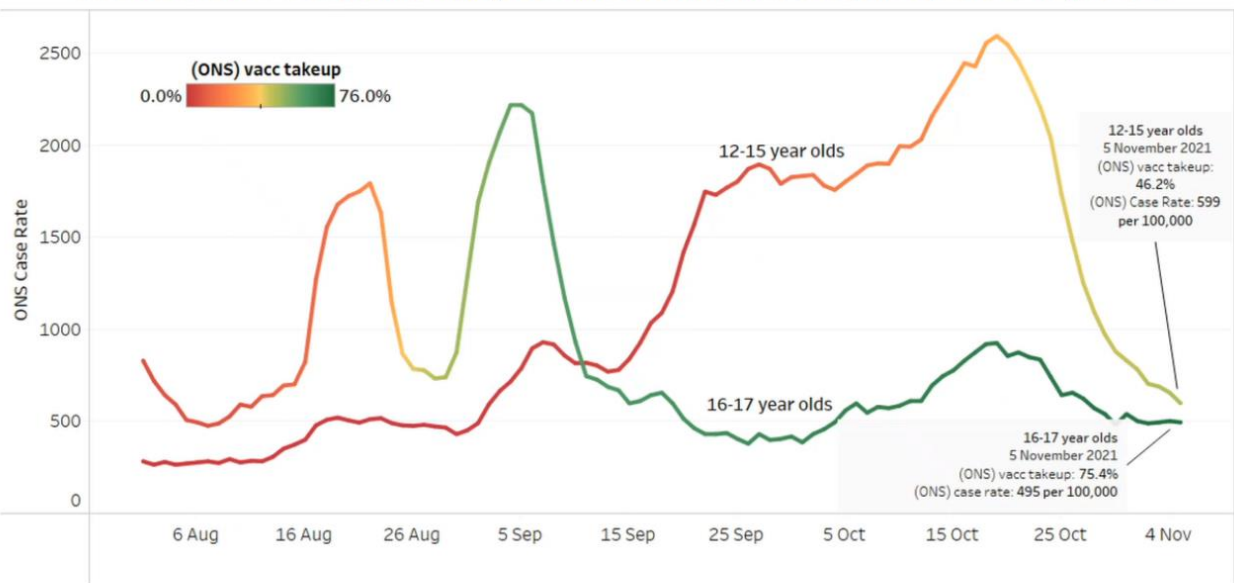
HEALTH IMPROVEMENT PARTNERSHIP BOARD

OUTCOMES of the meeting held on commencing at 18th November 2021 at 14:00

- Present:**
Board members
- Cllr Louise Upton, Oxford City Council (Chair)
Cllr Andrew McHugh, Cherwell District Council
Cllr Mark Lygo, Oxfordshire County Council
Ansaf Azhar, Director of Public Health, Oxfordshire County Council
Dr David Chapman, Clinical Chair, Oxfordshire Clinical Commissioning Group
Cllr Helen Pighills, Vale of White Horse District Council
Daniella Granito, District Partnership Liaison, Oxford City Council
Amier Al Agab, Oxfordshire Healthwatch Ambassador
David Munday, Consultant in Public Health, Oxfordshire County Council (Lead Officer)
- In attendance**
- Rosie Rowe, Head of Healthy Place Shaping, Public Health, Oxfordshire County Council
Donna Husband, Health of Public Health Programmes, Oxfordshire County Council
Josh Lenthall, Active Oxfordshire
Jack Gooding, Senior Public Health Principal, Oxfordshire County Council.
Sarah Payne-Riche, Public Health Registrar, Oxfordshire County Council.
- Officer:**
- Julieta Estremadoyro, Oxfordshire County Council
- Apologies:**
- Cllr Maggie Filipova-River, South Oxfordshire District Council (Vice - Chair)
Diane Hedges, Chief Operating Officer, Oxfordshire Clinical Commissioning Group
- Absent:**
- Jonathan Capps, Detective Chief Inspector, Thames Valley Police
Cllr Marilyn Davies, West Oxfordshire District Council

ITEM
<p>1. Welcome Cllr Upton welcomed to the meeting:</p> <p>Dr David Chapman, Clinical Chair, Oxfordshire Clinical Commissioning Group</p>
<p>2. Apologies for Absence and Temporary Appointments As noted above</p>
<p>3. Declarations of Interest</p> <p>Cllr McHugh is the Chairman of the Tobacco Control Alliance</p>
<p>4. Petitions and Public Address There were none</p>
<p>5. Notice of Any Other Business</p> <p>None</p>
<p>6. Note of Decisions of Last Meeting</p> <p>The notes of the meeting held on 9th September 2021 were signed off as a true and accurate record.</p>
<p>7. COVID - 19 update: impact analysis</p> <p>Ansaf Azhar, Director of Public Health went through the following presentation: (see appendix 1)</p> <p>Key message: A significant increase of cases followed by a notable reduction of them in Oxfordshire. Vaccination have played a huge role. This slide show clearly this:</p>

Case rate and Dose 1 vaccination take up over time in Oxfordshire: 12-15 year olds and 16-17 year olds



OFFICIAL SENSITIVE

Rate of new cases by specimen date

<https://coronavirus.data.gov.uk/details/interactive-map/cases>

Up to date figures at <https://www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/council/coronavirus-covid-19/controlling-local-coronavirus-outbreaks/latest-figures>

Both in Oxfordshire and the rest of UK a significant reduction of cases has been recorded. Vaccination of children has stopped vertical transmission within the same household. It breaks the main chain of transmission.

In the next meeting, a detailed piece looking at the impact of COVID 19 in Oxfordshire across the 18 months will be presented. The teams have started the process of gathering data. This finding will help to inform the recovery strategy.

Comments/Questions:

Members of the Board celebrate the success of the children vaccination programme and the positive results that are newsworthy.

8. Performance Report – Effect of COVID 19

David Munday referred to the document *Performance Report* (page 9 in the agenda pack)

He highlighted the changes to the presentation of the data in the report as show in page 11 onwards. A column pointing out which category is showing new data has been added, as well as another one showing the trend. This goes beyond explaining which measure is above or below target. The new column highlights if things are moving in the right direction or not.

Additionally, a deep dive will be presented in one of the focus areas of the Board. In the present report, a Mental Wellbeing detailed report is included on page 14

David highlighted the notes on:
1.13 and 1.14 on immunisations
2.19 and 2.20 on health checks
3.17 on bowel screening

Comments/questions:

Flu immunisation in Children

Rate of immunisation in children is lacking from these measures. How many children have been vaccinated either in GPs or at schools? Very important due to cross contamination at home and school. (David Chapman)

Resources were all concentrated in delivering the COVID 19 vaccination programme. In the following weeks flu immunisation in school will accelerated. Metrics will be included in the next meeting. (David Munday)

Action: David Munday to incorporate the data on children's flu immunisation in to the performance report

Loneliness data

What we can do to make people feel less isolated and gather them together (Cllr Upton)

To look at this data in more detail, a deep dive to understand it and how to make a difference in the next year. What more local authorities can do to tackle this (Ansaf Azhar)

The Healthy Place-shaping agenda is addressing loneliness across the county in partnership with the district councils. The role of libraries is considered as safe places where people feel comfortable attending. To reflect how this can be expanded. e.g. Books' delivery to people who are not able to get to the library. In general, they are looking at the assets within the community, to carry on social prescribing activities within a partnership approach (Rosie Rowe)

Library services have a good network of volunteers with a good interaction with people to be proud of (Cllr Lygo)

Loneliness and social isolation figures have gotten worse during the pandemic. Some people were not seeing anybody between medicine delivery and even now are very nervous to go out. Motivational interventions are needed (Cllr Pighills/Cllr McHugh)

Move Together programme

Move together programme intends to change this (Cllr Upton)

[Move together press release](#)

<https://www.getoxfordshireactive.org/move-together>

David Munday suggested to bring Healthy Weight and Physical activity as the deep dive data in the next Performance Report.

9. Mental Health & Wellbeing: Update from Suicide Prevention Multi Agency Group

Jack Gooding referred to the paper *Update from Suicide Prevention Multi Agency Group* (page 21 in the agenda pack)

Donna Husband shared the following presentation regarding Mind's Safe Haven on their behalf:
(see appendix 2)

Comments/questions:

Safe Haven is an important service offered to people experiencing problems with their mental health. GPs make the referral or people can refer themselves. Great alternative to people who would otherwise turn up in A&E which is the wrong place. It is a success story (David Chapman)

It is a positive story of how upstream intervention can reduce more downstream interventions. These kind of projects are good to learn from and replicate/expand into other areas, reducing the demands on our already stretched health and care systems (Ansaf Azhar)

Similar services for under 18? Mental Wealth Academy has been extended to 16 years old due to COVID-19. There are more challenges regarding protection issues and governance when considering offering these types of services to younger groups. There is a pathway offered to young people arriving at A&E (Dani Granito/David Chapman/Donna Husband)

More information on Mental Wealth Academy at:

<https://www.oxfordshiremind.org.uk/10413-2/>

Pandemic: Unpredictable results: For example suicide has remained steady during pandemic. Younger People services have received a huge number of referrals with young people suffering high levels of anxiety. (Cllr Upton/Cllr Pighills)

Emotional Wellbeing and Mental Health strategy - there is a strategy developing at the moment for young people. It involves mapping out of what activities are happening not just at clinical level but, more importantly, upstream at Teir 2 level which will contribute to reducing demand for specialist services like CAMHS (Ansaf Azhar)

Eating disorders - Practical planning on mental health is really difficult. Suicide rates may not have increased but eating disorders rates have increased during the pandemic, including within the autistic spectrum. Public Health is involved in programmes addressing these issues (David Chapman/Donna Husband)

Resilience – How to build resilience and how it works in a particular situation. Resilience involved having a sense of purpose, adaptability and connection to social networks (David Chapman/Cllr McHugh)

10. Report from Healthwatch Oxfordshire Ambassador

Amier Al Agab went through the paper *Healthwatch Oxfordshire Report to Health Improvement Partnership Board* (page 27 in the agenda pack)

Comments/questions:

People's experiences of travelling to and parking at Hospitals in Oxford and Banbury – There were plans to develop the Horton Hospital site and implement better traffic

management measures. A Master plan was considered but we have not heard the outcome of this (David Chapman/Ansaf Azhar)

Maternity services in Banbury – There are plans to expand these in Ruscote with antenatal care, but not further information is available (Cllr McHugh)

Primary Care – The data regarding primary care reveal that GP practices received 4 million patients in the last year. 52% of those appointments were face to face. Primary care is fully operational, very busy with greater number of patients (David Chapman)

11. Active Travel Programme

Sarah Riches Payne and Josh Lenthall referred to the document *Cycling and Walking Activation Programme- Interim Evaluation Report* and Presentation (page 31 onwards in the agenda pack)

Comments/questions

Climate Change agenda – It is supported by the actions taken in the report. It would be useful to know the positive impact active travel measures have on the air quality data around schools. (Cllr McHugh/Cllr Upton)

Street Tag – Looking at increasing the uptake in Oxford city. Rosie Rowe having regular meetings to look at the communication as they go along. They are monitoring the uptake and expect to see improvement in the city. There has been better uptake in schools in the most deprived areas of the city.

School engagement officers - Recruitment for these roles within the active planning team (Rosie Rowe)

Community Activation Programme promote families who have never cycled to do it, breaking down the many barriers they face (Cllr Upton)

12. Domestic Abuse Support-Safer Accommodation

Kate Holburn went through the document *Strategic Update for Domestic Abuse* (page 83 in the agenda pack)

Comments/Questions:

Cllr Upton urged members to respond to the consultation.

Link to the Countywide Homelessness Strategy – there is a bigger piece of work in considering all the priority groups within one strategy. How is the DA strategy going to be incorporated to that agenda? (Dani Granito)

The aim is to link all these strategies. They are working with Vicky Jessop in the council. She is participating in the Safe Accommodation Board to produce the delivery plan for the strategy. Within this is consideration of who are the best people to work at Tier 2 representation, including housing officers, community safety officers in each district. For the

Safe Accommodation Board, we consider that the housing officers would be the best to sit on it .

13.AOB

None was raised