

Appendix A

Schedule 1

The purpose of the Slough Joint Wellbeing Strategy (JSWS) is to improve the health and wellbeing of our communities and it is vital to ensure that collective responsibility to improve this lies with the local authority, Public Health, Healthwatch Slough and the CCG.

Slough's Joint Wellbeing Strategy (<http://static.slough.gov.uk/downloads/slough-joint-wellbeing-strategy.pdf>) highlights the following priorities

- Health
- Economy and skills
- Housing
- Regeneration and Environment
- Safer Communities

There are also two cross cutting themes, civic responsibility and the promoting the image of the town.

The local authority, Slough CCG, Healthwatch Slough and the Director of Public Health (heretofore known as the Wellbeing Board) will work under an equal and explicit obligation to determine arrangements to secure the commissioning of quality, consistent and comprehensive Health and Local Government services for all. This will be done through the

- a. Preparation of a Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (H&SCA, 2012. S.912)
- b. Development of a Joint Wellbeing Strategy (H&SCA, 2012 S.193).
- c. Submission of the draft Healthwatch Slough Annual Plan (drafted in line with the relevant aims of Slough's Joint Wellbeing Strategy (2013-2016)) to the Wellbeing Board to ensure strategic alignment.

The Healthwatch Slough Annual Work Plan will demonstrate

- a. Balance between health and social care issues
- b. Balance between the concerns of the wider population and those who do not routinely access health and social care.
- c. Balance between local issues and national issues that could impact on the local population.
- d. Value for money in terms of the costs of particular projects and other areas of work.
- e. An awareness of work being done by other stakeholders, preventing not just replication of work but encouraging joined up working with stakeholders.
- f. Reserved capacity to be allow for investigation/analysis into trends gleaned from publically submitted information and data submitted by NHS CAS and PALS.
- g. Reserved capacity to enable requests for data from the Wellbeing Board are fulfilled .
- h. Alignment with the strategic aims of the Joint Wellbeing Strategy.