

Health and Wellbeing Board



Date of meeting:	30 July 2020
Title of Report:	Plymouth's Local Outbreak Management Plan
Lead Member:	Councillor Kate Taylor (Cabinet Member for Health and Adult Social Care)
Lead Strategic Director:	Ruth Harrell (Director of Public Health)
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Your Reference:	RH
Key Decision:	No
Confidentiality:	Part I - Official

Purpose of Report

Plymouth needs to take a cautious, system-wide approach to loosening the mitigations around COVID-19, and this framework – the Local Outbreak Management Plan - describes the health protection steps towards this. The actions contained within will require people, communities, businesses and organisations to take actions which will have a short term negative impact; for example, self-isolation, enhanced infection control measures, measures to reduce footfall or throughput, possibly even temporary closures. This will produce some short term harm for longer term gains; the avoidance of a second wave.

The full plan can be accessed via the website, along with a public facing version. A brief overview of some of the key areas are provided below.

<https://www.plymouth.gov.uk/publichealth/plymouthcovid19localoutbreakmanagementplan>

Recommendations and Reasons

1. To note the Plymouth Local Outbreak Management Plan

Alternative options considered and rejected

Not applicable.

Relevance to the Corporate Plan and/or the Plymouth Plan

The prevention and limitation of COVID19 is essential for the Caring component of the Plymouth Plan. The successful management of COVID19 will enable the city to remain free from too many lockdown restrictions and therefore enables the corporate agenda and Plymouth Plan to be implemented.

Implications for the Medium Term Financial Plan and Resource Implications:

All associated costs will be contained within the additional Test & Trace Covid-19 Grant awarded to PCC.

Carbon Footprint (Environmental) Implications:

None.

Other Implications: e.g. Health and Safety, Risk Management, Child Poverty:

* When considering these proposals members have a responsibility to ensure they give due regard to the Council's duty to promote equality of opportunity, eliminate unlawful discrimination and promote good relations between people who share protected characteristics under the Equalities Act and those who do not.

None.

Appendices

*Add rows as required to box below

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A	Briefing report title							
B	Equalities Impact Assessment (if applicable)							

Background papers:

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Sign off:

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Originating Senior Leadership Team member: Ruth Harrell											
Please confirm the Strategic Director(s) has agreed the report? Yes											
Date agreed: 17/07/2020											
Cabinet Member approval: Cllr Kate Taylor approved by email											
Date approved: 20/07/2020											