

Evaluation of Options for the Director of Public Health Post in York

Option (ii) Director of Public Health & Wellbeing for the City of York Council

Advantages:

- York focus secured
- York focus for Public Health team
- Opportunity to manage wider services
- Research option still an attraction

Disadvantages:

- No potential funding contribution from a partner
- May have some duplication across VYCCG

Option (iii) Appoint Director of Public Health & Wellbeing jointly with the Vale of York Consultative Commissioning Group

Advantages

- York focus secured
- York focus for Public Health Team
- Potential funding contribution from a partner
- Opportunity to manage wider services across City Council and CCG e.g. take public health into GPs surgeries.
- Research options supported by University of York

Disadvantages

- None identified

Points to Note

- The boundary of the CCG is wider than the City of York boundary, so protocols will need developing for working with the North Yorkshire Director of Public Health.