

**Health and Adult Social Care Policy and  
Scrutiny Meeting**

**11<sup>th</sup> November 2019**

Report of the *Assistant Director of Public Health*

**Health Protection Assurance Report**

**Summary**

1. This report provides Scrutiny members with an overview of Health Protection system nationally and the priorities for the City of York.

**Background**

2. Previously this report has been presented to the Health and Wellbeing Board. However it is felt that it should sit within Policy and Scrutiny as it provides members with an opportunity to ask questions about the health protection system and whether it is meeting the needs of our residents, and to have an opportunity to influence the priorities for the City.

**Consultation**

3. No consultation was necessary for the production of this report. The work around health protection across the city is done in partnership with a number of organisations as detailed in the attached report.

**Options**

4. There are no options presented in the report.

**Analysis**

5. There is no analysis in this report.

**Council Plan**

6. The Council is currently reviewing and consulting upon its new Council Plan for 2019-23. It is scheduled to be considered by the Executive at its

meeting on 24 October. The Plan will, no doubt, contain suitable priorities for health and wellbeing.

### **Implications**

7. There are no known Financial, Human Resources, Equalities, Legal, ICT or other implications associated with the recommendations in this report.

### **Risk Management**

8. In compliance with the Council's risk management strategy, there are no known risks associated with this report. Risks associated with health protection are included in the attached report.

### **Recommendations**

9. Members are asked to note the content of the attached report and to consider whether they would like to;
  - i) assist officers or share ideas about how to promote uptake of Maternal vaccines with respect to Pertussis in York
  - ii) request further information about the Rubella Elimination Strategy
  - iii) assist in the promotion of the Winter Flu Vaccinations by sharing details with constituents
  - iv) assist officers to share ideas about how to promote CYC information and guidance on emergency planning related to flooding.

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**Wards Affected:** *List wards or tick box to indicate all*

**All**

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### **Annexes**

**Annex 1 – Health Protection Report**