

Wirral Joint Strategic Needs Assessment Bulletin

October 2013

Autumn is now here – August and summer seem far in the past, though it does feel as if we did have some decent weather to enjoy this year....

In this latest edition of the JSNA Bulletin we have a round-up of new and recently published information and content ... including the recent updated Compendium of Health Statistics, the latest Health Needs Assessment for Learning Disabilities, the refreshed Housing & Homelessness Chapter and our first Cost Effectiveness Evidence Review for Smoking....

Many thanks for completing the JSNA 2013 key issues survey...I am working on collating the results to share with you...almost 1400 responses which is over a 130% increase on 2012....watch out for the results in a future bulletin and the JSNA website.

We are currently working on some short videos, starring a range of local people, explaining how they use JSNA and how it might help everyone to use the JSNA in their area of interest, their work or generally increasing understanding of local issues. I will let you know soon where you can access these unique links..

As always If you have any JSNA queries or questions please do not hesitate to contact me and I'll do my best to help...

Best wishes,
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Latest Versions

JSNA Chapters just published:

[Housing and Homelessness](#)

Others previously published:

[Carers](#)

[Alcohol](#)

[Drugs Misuse](#)

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JSNA Updates

Wirral's 2013 Compendium of Health Statistics is now available

Public Health Intelligence Team for Wirral Council is pleased to present the sixth edition of the Compendium of Statistics. It provides a quick and easy reference guide to the most recent information on the population and health status of the people living in Wirral.

It complements the Public Health Annual Report and supports the information in our Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA).

The compendium can be accessed [here](#)

Smoking Cost Effectiveness

Did you know that tobacco causes 1 in 5 deaths in Wirral, and that the effects of smoking are estimated to cost the Wirral economy £95million a year? In the first of a series of reports looking at the economic consequences of lifestyle behaviours, and the cost effectiveness of programmes to improve the health of the Wirral population, we looked at the impact of Wirral's stop smoking services in 2011/12 on long term health and economic outcomes. We found that the service provided, based on 3,381 four week smoking quitters in 2011/12, the equivalent of 160 years of perfect health (QALYs) gained across the population, with a cost of £11,590 per year of perfect health gained. The social return on investment (SROI) ratio was between £1.71 and £2.43 per pound spent. The executive summary of the review of cost effectiveness can be accessed [here](#).

For more info about this project, contact brendan.collins@nhs.net

Cheshire & Merseyside Intelligence Group – Area wide Learning Disabilities Health Needs Assessment

Recently published is the health needs assessment for people with learning disabilities that covers the Merseyside Local Authorities (Wirral, Sefton, Knowsley, St. Helens and Liverpool) as well as the boroughs of Halton and Warrington. This provides the latest data, content and knowledge of need and adds to other local information that informs service providers, commissioners, local partners and residents. Access the assessment [here](#).

Wirral JSNA – Housing & Homelessness Chapter updated

The content and detail in the JSNA Housing and Homelessness chapter has recently been completed and is available for you to read [here](#).

Wirral's 2013 Local Health Profile now available

Health Profiles give an overview of health for each local authority in England, to help improve local people's health, reduce inequality and help local government and health services understand health in their areas and discuss how to tackle issues.

Each [Health Profile](#) includes a range of content and is produced annually by Public Health England. They are part of a range of tools which include [information on each electoral ward in England](#) and on particular health issues, such as the [Child Health Profiles](#). Access the Health Profiles at www.healthprofiles.info

Access to Wirral's Local Health profile is on the JSNA website [here](#)

Wirral Economic Profile (June 2013)

The latest local economic profile provides information on people, places and business with headlines on Wirral people on employment, economic inactivity, young people, skills disparities and apprenticeships. Wirral's latest economic profile (June 2013) can be accessed [here](#).

Recent news stories

[Learning Disability Profiles](#)

Health profiles, provided by Learning Disability Observatory through their 'Improving health and lives' project, are numbers which help people who plan health services and they come as reports for local areas. The health profiles are for the areas of Local Authorities that run Adult Social Services. They are used by planners in health services and social services. They are also interesting for self-advocates and family carers. Wirral's profile can be accessed [here](#).

[New vaccine offers babies protection against rotavirus](#)

From 1st July around 675,000 babies a year in England will be offered a new vaccination to protect them against rotavirus. Rotavirus infection is the most common cause of gastroenteritis (vomiting and diarrhoea) in children under 5. Nearly every child will develop rotavirus gastroenteritis by 5 years of age. Rotavirus gastroenteritis is responsible for 130,000 visits to the GP and 13,000 hospitalisations for dehydration every year.

The details of this development can be accessed [here](#).

[Local Tobacco Control Profiles for England](#)

The Local Tobacco Control Profiles for England are an accessible web based tool. They bring together a set of indicators at both local authority and primary care trust level that are specific to tobacco, and relevant to the major modern challenges of tobacco control in England. The tool can be accessed [here](#) and the accompanying leaflet to explain more about the tobacco tool can be accessed [here](#)

[Public Health England Bulletin \(July 2013\)](#)

The PHE Bulletin, Public Health England's regular update, provides news and information on PHE and the public health landscape for all those concerned with public health. This PHE bulletin can be accessed [here](#).

For more information see our website: www.gov.uk/phe or June 2013 Bulletin is [here](#).

[National GP-registered patient counts](#)

This release by Health 7 Social Care Information Centre (HSCIC) sees the publication of the underlying national GP registered patient counts, as well as aggregated CCG figures, that are used in the calculations of a number of indicators in the CCG Outcomes Indicator Set. The published data captures over 55 million registered patients presented with breakdowns for GP practice, age and gender. The release can be accessed [here](#)

Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group details can be accessed [here](#) as can information about its three divisions [Wirral GPCC](#), [Wirral Health Commissioning Consortium](#) and [Wirral Alliance CCG](#)

[Report highlights growing need to improve end of life care for minority ethnic groups](#)

A Public Health England (PHE) commissioned report highlights the growing need to make end of life care more accessible and appropriate for minority ethnic groups.

The report can be accessed [here](#)

[Public Health England 'Longer Lives' project](#)

[Longer Lives project](#) highlights premature mortality across every local authority in England, giving people better access to important information to help them improve their community's health. It quantifies premature deaths from the four most common causes of mortality in England – heart disease and stroke, lung disease, liver disease, and cancer, goes on to highlight inequalities in premature mortality across the country and provides examples of effective local interventions.

The content that relates to Wirral can be accessed [here](#), Dear Barbara,

[Developing your local housing offer for health and care: Targeting outcomes](#)

The Housing Learning and Improvement Network has teamed up with the Chartered Institute of Housing to help those working within housing better understand the NHS, public health and social care outcomes frameworks. This at-a-glance guide helps identify specific measures across all three frameworks and the key documents that provide the evidence of the benefit of range of different housing interventions. [The guide can be accessed via this link](#)

[Report on the key risk factors indicating harm or poorer developmental outcomes in children](#)

It is generally suggested that adverse factors relating to a young child's family and environment cause poorer outcomes for the child, both to their safety, and to their development and behaviour. Parental mental health issues, substance misuse, domestic violence, financial stress and teenage motherhood are themes which are frequently identified as indicating poorer outcomes for children. Factors rarely occur in isolation, with certain combinations being more common than others. The children within these households are at a higher risk of poorer development and physical harm. This new report provides you with an indication of the magnitude of the factors in your area which indicate higher risk to children in order to inform planning and commissioning, and also suggests next steps in the process of identifying those children who are at risk. The report can be accessed [here](#).

In short...

[Wirral JSNA Easy Read content is updated...](#)

Following changes in recent months to the JSNA chapters we have updated the Easy Read versions accordingly. To help you navigate between new and previous content, look out for the version number and date on the particular document you read. Latest updates will be named version 2 in June 2013. The page can be accessed [here](#). More updates soon.

Autism in Wirral JSNA...

Additional information is being collated to develop the current content in the JSNA (expected October 2013)

Black & Minority Ethnic JSNA chapter

Refresh and update of the information is being collated to update the current content in the JSNA (expected October 2013)

Integrated care: making it happen

Care could be considered by some as being fragmented with services reflecting professional and institutional boundaries when it would be better to be coordinated around the needs of patients. Delivering integrated, or joined-up, care for people with complex needs is becoming the priority for the NHS and core business for everyone working in health and social care. Go to the Kings Fund website to consider a range of information on how, who and what is being achieved across the UK.

<http://www.kingsfund.org.uk/projects/integrated-care-making-it-happen>

Highlights from recent Bulletins:

- [Health needs assessment of offenders in the community Cheshire East, Cheshire West & Chester, Warrington and Wirral](#)
- [Child and Maternal Health Observatory \(ChiMat\) – Wirral Profile 2013](#)
- [Wirral's first Joint Health & Wellbeing Strategy available...](#)
- [Wirral JSNA - Children and Young People chapter update](#)



[If you have any ideas for the bulletin or JSNA then please get in touch.](#)

If you have, or know of, data or information that would benefit others (and the JSNA of course!) then send it through and we'll put it on the website and/or circulate links to colleagues.

Pass the bulletin on to colleagues for their benefit and for the opportunity for others to contribute.

**Coming
Soon**

JSNA Chapters in review

- Black & Minority Ethnicity
- Autism
- Population

Other JSNA reviews will be reported in future bulletins

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