

HEE Population Health Fellowship: A Fellow's Perspective

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Who am I?

- Clinical dentist
- SpR in Special Care Dentistry (ST3)
 South West: Bristol Dental Hospital & community clinics

HEE National Population Health Fellow
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Why did I apply?

Understand PH concepts

Project management

Challenge

Address health inequalities Meaningful intervention

Learn new skills in PH

Leadership

Add value to future work

Collaboration & networking



Fellowship so far...

- Meetings, connections (virtually!)
 - BNSSG host organisation
 - National Pop Health Fellows
 - PH registrars
- Fellowship workshops
 - Theoretical learning
 - Tasks, group work
- Project work



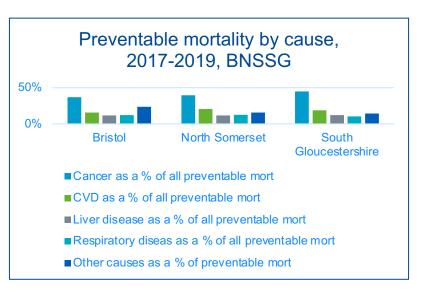


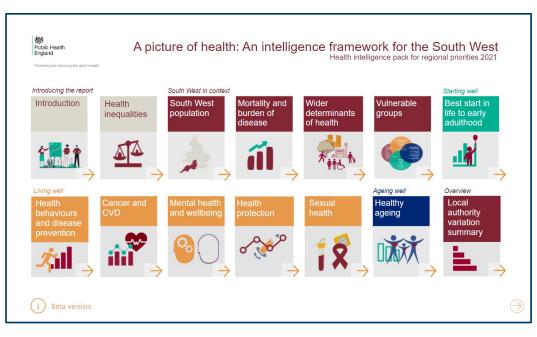
'ICS Outcomes Framework' Project

The health of our population will be improved through a focus on	Our Outcomes
The health of our RESIDENTS	 We will increase population healthy life expectancy across BNSSG and narrow the gap between different population groups We will reduce early deaths from preventable causes - cardiovascular and respiratory conditions, liver disease and cancers - in the communities which currently have the poorest outcomes We will lower the burden of infectious disease in all population groups We will reduce the proportion of people in BNSSG who smoke We will improve self-reported mental wellbeing We will increase the proportion of children who achieve a good level of education attainment
The health of our SERVICES	 We will increase the proportion of our residents who report that they are able to find information about health and care services easily We will increase the proportion of our residents who report that they are able to access the services they need, when they need them We will increase the proportion of our residents who report that their health and care is delivered through joined up services
The health of our STAFF	 We will increase the proportion of our health and care staff who report being able to deliver high value care We will reduce sickness absence rates across all our Healthier Together partner organisations We will improve self-reported health and wellbeing amongst our staff We will improve Equality and Diversity workforce measures in all Healthier Together Partner organisations
The health of our COMMUNITIES	 We will reduce the number and proportion of people living in fuel poverty We will reduce the number of people living in poor housing conditions We will reduce levels of domestic violence and abuse We will reduce levels of child poverty We will increase the number of our residents describing their community as a healthy, safe and positive place to live
The health and wellbeing of our ENVIRONMENT	 We will increase the proportion of energy used by the estates of our Healthier Together partner organisations from renewable sources We will reduce the total carbon footprint generated through travel of patients using our services We will increase use of active travel, public transport and other sustainable transport by our staff, service users and communities



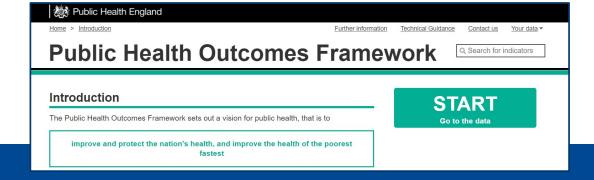
Data mapping





South Gloucestershire Public Health & Wellbeing EPI team, 2021







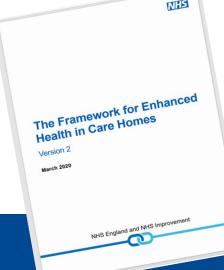
Oral health in care homes

"Care home residents experience worse oral health than the general adult population"

- Inconsistent oral care
- Variation in knowledge, training and support
- NHS Long Term Plan







My aims

- Stakeholder & context mapping
- Determine actions for improvement
- Bring together key partners
- Ensure sustainability





Learning

The wider determinants of health

An integrated health and care system

The places and communities we live in, and with

Local health inequalities

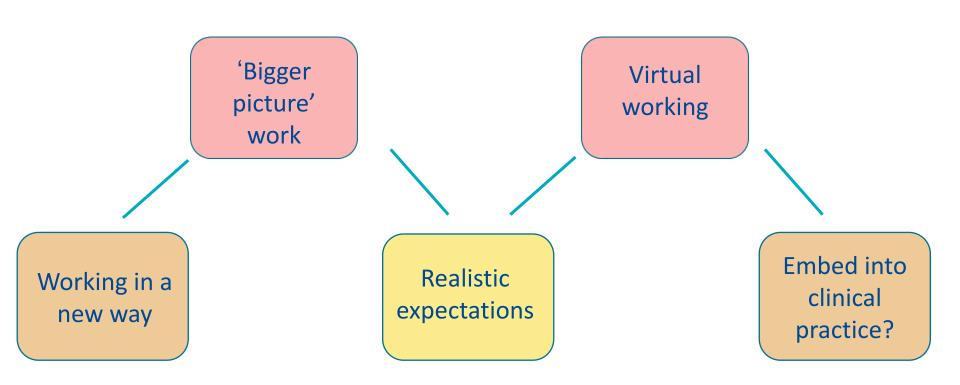
ICS Structures

Partnerships & collaboration

Use of data



Challenges





Future hopes

- Be an advocate for population health
- Maintain ICS connections
- Collaborate
- Plan inclusive, holistic patient services
- O Hybrid role?







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