

# HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

## Executive Decision Record

<b>Decision Maker:</b>	Cabinet
<b>Date:</b>	16 April 2024
<b>Title:</b>	Annual Report of the Director of Public Health 2023/24: Let's not wait – Enabling Hampshire's Children to be a Healthy Weight
<b>Report From:</b>	Director of Public Health

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### 1. The decision:

#### 1.1. That Cabinet:

- Notes the Annual Report of the Director of Public Health, 2023/24.
- Endorses the ambition within the Annual Report which acknowledges the significant challenge we face in respect to rising levels of childhood overweight and obesity, the multi-faceted causes, the impacts and system wide collaboration required to halt the worsening trend.
- Agrees the report recommendation: That we develop an approach for Healthy Weight in Hampshire which all partners can agree and sign up to, including plans to reduce child obesity.

### 2. Reasons for the decision:

2.1. The 2012 Health and Care Act placed a statutory duty on upper tier Local Authorities to improve and protect the health of their residents. Directors of Public Health have a statutory duty to write an Annual Public Health Report to demonstrate the state of health within their communities. The focus of this year's report is childhood overweight and obesity.

2.2. This report is a call to action to focus the one key priority which is the significant challenge we face in respect of rising levels of childhood overweight and obesity. The includes the multi-faceted causes and system-wide collaboration required to halt the worsening trend.

### 3. Other options considered and rejected:

3.1. No other options were considered and rejected.

**4. Conflicts of interest:**

4.1. Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: None.

4.2. Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: None.

**5. Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: N/A**

**6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: N/A**

**7. Statement from the decision maker:**

**Approved by:**

**Date:**

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**Vice Chairman of Cabinet  
Councillor Roz Chadd**

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