

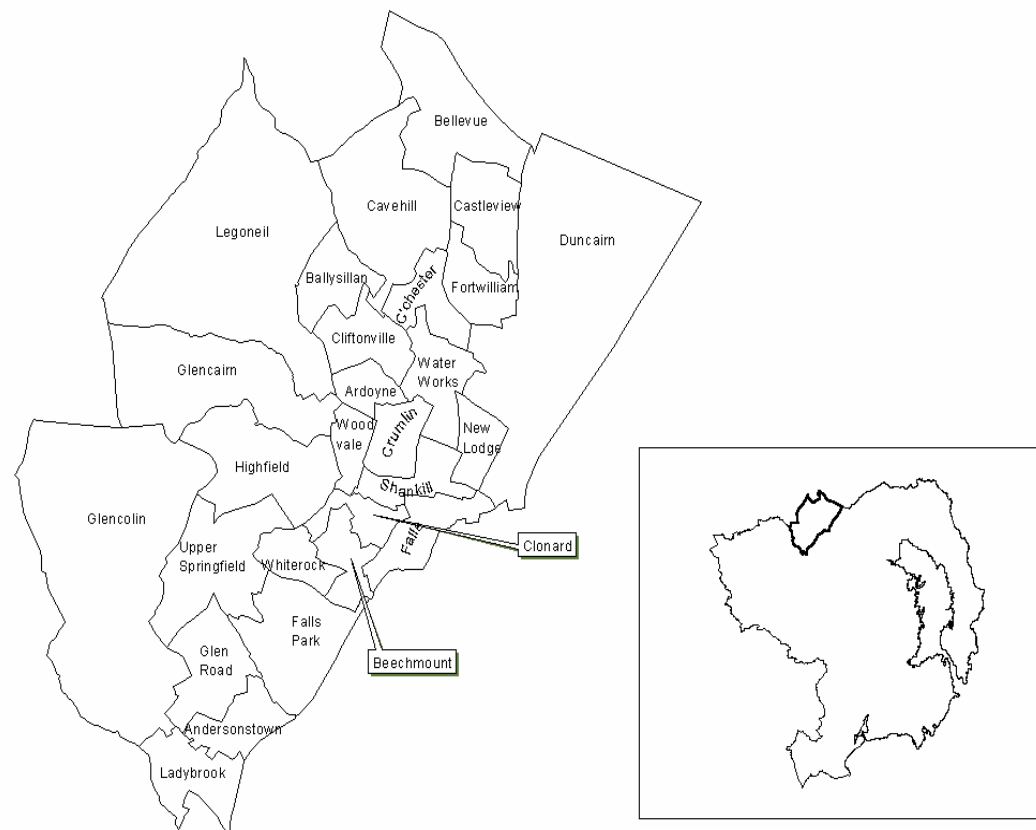


North & West Belfast

Review of Health Improvement Plan

Investing for Health

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Introduction

The Investing for Health Strategy for Northern Ireland was launched in March 2002. The purpose of the strategy is to initiate a dynamic, long-term process of improvement to bring our health standards up to those of the best regions in Europe. The success of the Investing for Health (IfH) process will depend on effective partnership working between Departments, the voluntary and community sectors, public agencies and statutory bodies.

Led by the DHSSPS, IfH has the commitment of all Government Departments and associated organisations and agencies. The cross-departmental support for the strategy is organised through the Ministerial Group on Public Health.

Sir Donald Acheson, a leading expert on health inequalities described the Investing for Health Strategy in December 2003 as:

“the most comprehensive analysis and framework for action on the wider determinants of health in the world”. Ref (Regional Conference IfH, Slieve Donard, Newcastle)

Each of the four Health & Social Services Boards in Northern Ireland were tasked with developing an Investing for Health Partnership. These Partnerships are to develop a multi-sectorial Health Improvement Plan based on local need, which focuses on addressing the two goals and seven objectives in the IfH Strategy. Prior to this, health policy has tended to concentrate on the treatment of ill health rather than on its prevention. This strategy seeks to shift that emphasis by addressing the wider determinants, particularly social and economic inequalities which cause poor health.

The strategy contains objectives and targets, set to reflect these facts, requiring action across the sectors and indicating the need for greater co-ordination in Health Development Planning at all levels.

The first Health Improvement Plan, developed in 2003, had a five-year focus with three main areas for development:

- ◆ Process development for the Eastern Area Investing for Health Partnership, linking to 4 locality perspectives.
- ◆ Local development of process for Investing for Health Strategy and programmes (building on existing effective partnership work where possible).
- ◆ IfH Eastern area wide programmes and programmes with local impact.

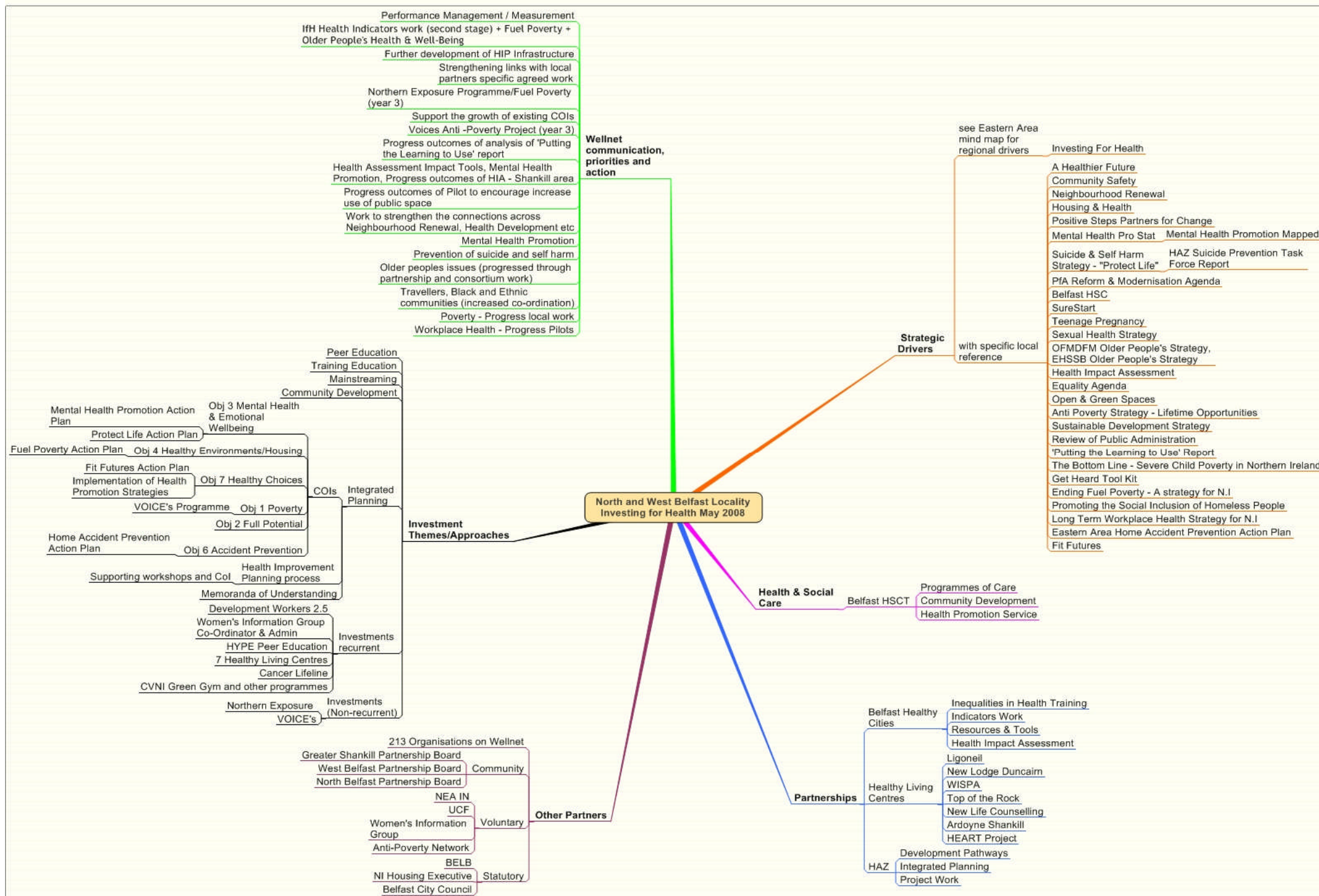
(Ref: see page 12 Developing and strengthening Wellnet connections.)

The HIP has been reviewed each year in North & West Belfast Area as part of the Health Improvement Plan process. The purpose of these reviews has been to:

- ◆ Outline the Investing for Health approach within North & West Belfast.
- ◆ Indicate the action, which has been taken to date to strengthen and consolidate the local health improvement process and impact.
- ◆ Identify the key areas that Investing for Health will be working towards addressing in the forthcoming year. (Full details of previous review documents can be found at www.wellnet-ni.com)

This review of the Health Improvement Plan 07/08 aims to:

- ◆ Follow the purpose of previous reviews (see above for detail).
- ◆ Indicate the priorities for local action against each of the IfH goals and objectives identified through the health improvement planning process.
- ◆ Outline how Investing for Health partners will lead the development of action to address priorities.



Background

Over the past five years the Eastern Area Investing for Health Partnership (EAIHP) received recurrent resource from the DHSSPS. The total resource allocated to North and West Belfast for 07/08 for (Investing for Health) development work was approximately £908,000.00 inclusive of prevention of suicide, Mental Health Promotion, Home Accident Prevention and Healthy Living Centres. The greater proportion of this resource is placed recurrently and within time bound programmes from April 2006. Both types of investment are reviewed on a yearly basis with the option to revise and redirect the investment appropriately if objectives cannot or are not being met.

Process

North and West Belfast Locality IfH Partnership Health Improvement Planning (HIP) workshops are held twice a year November and February/March. Over the past five years these workshops, attended by a wide representation of IfH partners, have identified the priorities for health improvement within the locality. The identification of the priorities have been informed by, partner memorandum of understanding, the local communities of interest and the priorities and plans of other existing partnerships in the area working to implement the Investing for Health (IfH) strategy. The outcomes from HIP workshops (which build on the previous years plans) are circulated to partners for comment and agreement. The identified lead partners develop a set of action objectives over the short to medium term. Work is monitored by the relevant local community of interest, the established reference/steering groups and the IfH Managers in the Eastern Area Partnership. Progress on the action plan is posted on the Wellnet website www.wellnet-ni.com on the publications and forum sections.

The IfHP have agreed the focus and criteria for action across the Eastern Area Partnership. The focus, criteria and overarching priorities for development are set out in the Eastern Area HIP. They are, as follows building capacity, peer education and mentoring, community development approaches to health and wellbeing, training and development, mainstreaming vulnerable evidence based practice and integrated planning.

Procurement

The Eastern Area IfHP has developed commissioning specifications and when appropriate, tenders for activity programmes and the training/development aspects of the HIP work through CSS. All tenders are placed on the Wellnet website. Assessment panels are formed with representation from Wellnet partners across the statutory, voluntary and community sectors and Investing for Health Managers. The successful tenders lead to action being taken.

Strategic Drivers:

The Investing for Health Strategy is the key strategic driver for the Health Improvement Planning process in the locality. Its role is to act as the detector and connector across a wide range of other related strategies and action plans which contribute to health and wellbeing improvement.

(see the mind map) In this, local approach, IfH Health Improvement planning process provide pathways for joined up working and stronger co-ordination to happen across the community, voluntary and statutory sectors.

Strategic Context:

Additional strategic documents which will influence the direction of the local Health Improvement Plan in 2007/2008 are:

- Reform of Public Administration
- New Anti Poverty Strategy – Lifetime Opportunities
- Neighbourhood Renewal Strategy and Action Plans (11 Neighbourhood Renewal Partnerships in N & W Belfast)
- Protect Life NI Suicide Prevention Strategy

In addition to the regional strategies and action plans, commissioning documents such as Priorities for Action, Trust Development Plans (TDP) and Wellnet partner organisations' corporate plans, indicate local action and developments to be or required to be taken, to achieve health improvement across the sectors.

Population Need

- The local health improvement plan 2003-2008 and the subsequent review HIP documents have developed local priorities by matching local needs assessments, community profiles, consultation and planning processes to strategic priorities e.g. Belfast Health Cities profile, HAZ N&W Belfast, Healthy Living Centres N&W Belfast.
- The local partnership through Health Impact Assessment (HIA) work is developing a mapped community profile of the Lower Shankill area in respect of key factors effecting health and wellbeing. (EHSSB Information Manager. This work is being lead by NIHE).
- Extended use of HIA tools in key areas of the locality will help inform future HIP plans.
- The continuing development of IFH Health Indicators on the NINIS site will enable local partners to begin to focus on specific areas of health improvement for their local area. The IFH Health Indicators are complimented with the information available through NINIS Neighbourhood Renewal site and the main NISRA site. This work will be further enhanced with commencement of work in year to collect information on the grey indicators identified during the first stage of IFH work.
- Local partners will be facilitated to use and develop their skill in using local health indicators to target and plan health intervention programmes.
- Work will commence in year on an agreed set of Health & Well-Being Indicators for Older People's Health & Well-Being.
- The Northern Exposure Project is being mapped using GIS for future planning purposes (NI Housing Executive). The Warmth to What Degree report (2005) forms the basis of this work.
- The Older People's Inter-sectorial Action Plan (EHSSB) has been mapped using GIS to assist with future planning for this target group in North & West Belfast.

- The Voices programme will be working to scope and map the issues from people experiencing poverty across the locality.
- North & West locality has undertaken an analysis and critique of learning arising from the models and approaches used to redress and improve some of the broader determinants of health and well-being (i.e. IFH Goal 2 Obj 1, 2 and 4). “Putting the learning to Use” report, 2007.
- Healthy Living Centres (7 in North & West Belfast) will be developing baseline health and wellbeing profiles for their target populations.
- Mapping Mental Health and Emotional Well-Being North & West Belfast report has been produced.
- Health Action Zone Sexual Health Strategy provides guidance in this area.
- Health Action Zone Suicide Prevention Task Force Report guides the local activity for the implementation of the “Protect Life” Strategy.

Partners/Stakeholders

There are 213 Wellnet partners registered on the Wellnet website specifically in North & West Belfast. Wellnet Partners in the locality represent a wide range of health and wellbeing interests from the community, voluntary and statutory sectors. Some of the larger groups, organisations and partnerships are mentioned on the locality mind map. IfH works locally to strengthen and build on this existing infrastructure and continue to develop processes, which can establish greater cohesion across these groups and organisations and their multiple agendas.

The growing number of local partners act as the glue, bringing all of the locality health and wellbeing contributions closer together. The partners provide the forum for sharing learning, good practice and encouraging greater co-ordination across the sectors by working together to identify gaps and priority needs and common agendas for future development.

There are 80 Wellnet registered organisations/groups in the North & West Belfast area who have actively participated this year in the health improvement planning review process (i.e. attended the HIP workshops).

Investments Themes/Approaches

The investment themes/approaches for the locality embrace **capacity building** as the main focus.

The five themes are:

1. Community development approaches to health and wellbeing.
2. Peer education and mentoring.
3. Mainstreaming vulnerable/evidence based programmes.
4. Training and education programmes linked to addressing inequalities.
5. Integrated planning e.g. Health Improvement Plan planning process, communities of interest.

The aim of Investing for Health (IfH) is to secure recurrent funding for health improvement across the community, voluntary and statutory sectors. IfH investments in the locality have a primary priority to develop and/or increase the capacity to improve health and wellbeing. The investments (recurrent and non-recurrent) have to link directly to one or more of the five themes (mentioned previously) and additionally (the recurrent investments) fit the selection criteria of:

- ◆ Using a model/approach, which has the potential to be rolled out across Eastern Area and/or wider.
- ◆ Having a working partnership which includes community organisations and/or both voluntary and statutory sectors.
- ◆ Have an established work record over time (4-6 years or more).
- ◆ Provide activity, which address IfH locality needs.
- ◆ A record of delivering on planned outcomes.
- ◆ Undertaken evaluation of work programmes, approaches and models.
- ◆ Be able to demonstrate how they currently deliver on IfH objectives and how they will continue to cut this work this in the future.

Non-recurrent funding when it is available is used to:

- ◆ Develop project work associated with the advancement of one or other or both of the two IfH goals or the locality communities of interest (where there are gaps).
- ◆ Help sustain the short-term vulnerable programmes.
- ◆ Develop stronger local process to implement IfH in the longer term.
- ◆ Assist the further development of work associated with existing health improvement partnerships in the locality.
- ◆ Develop process, which will enable IfH partners to access and connect more easily to the health improvement agenda.

Wellnet Communications, Priorities and Action

Work is constantly ongoing to strengthen the connections between all Wellnet partners in order to develop a co-ordinated jointed up approach to health and wellbeing improvement.

There are a range of approaches used in the Wellnet partnership to enable as many organisations and groups as possible to participate in the Health Improvement Planning processes. These include:

- ◆ Wellnet website www.wellnet-ni.uk - Wellnet virtual partners, any organisation, group or individual working on one or more of the 2 Investing for Health goals or 7 objectives can register their work on Wellnet website.
- ◆ Community of interest: (for Eastern Area IfH partnership purposes) is a group of organisations and/or individuals who come together because they are interested in working on a specific issue. In the case of IfH, the relevant issues are each of the objectives in the Investing for Health Strategy.
- ◆ Health Improvement Plan workshops bring together all Wellnet partners to develop the thinking and plans to begin to address the gaps in health improvement work in the area.

These processes aim to enable partners to identify common priorities on which they can work together to improve the health and wellbeing of individuals, families, communities and work places. The priorities for development in 2008/09 are included on this part of the mind map.

Achievements 07/08

Further development of the HIP processes through:

- The activities listed in the 2005/06/07 Review HIP update documents continued to be built upon.
- The following reflects some of the additional major activities of 2007/08 (full details of activities can be found in the Review HIP 07/08).
- “Putting the learning to use” Report was published. (analysis of health improvement approaches) and is being circulated for use.
- Northern Exposure Programme continues to be developed in Inner North Belfast.
- Voices Programme:
 - A programme of outreach and development work to engage with people living in poverty continues.
- Further developed through an Eastern area & Regional approach the IfH Health Indicators on the NINIS Website.
- Development Workers (Health and Well – being) working with West Belfast, Greater Shankill and North Belfast Partnership Boards.
- Continue to strengthen the collective working between Wellnet partners e.g. Healthy Living Centres and a range of statutory, voluntary and community providers.
- Outcomes from the Health Impact Assessment in the Lower Shankill are being moved forward.
- The consortium approach to maintaining Older Peoples’ Health & Wellbeing continues to develop, linking in with the Belfast Strategic Partnership.
- 3 NINIS and 2 HIP workshops were run.
- Development of the local communities of interest continues.
- Partner membership of Wellnet, increased.
- Increased participation in Health Improvement planning.

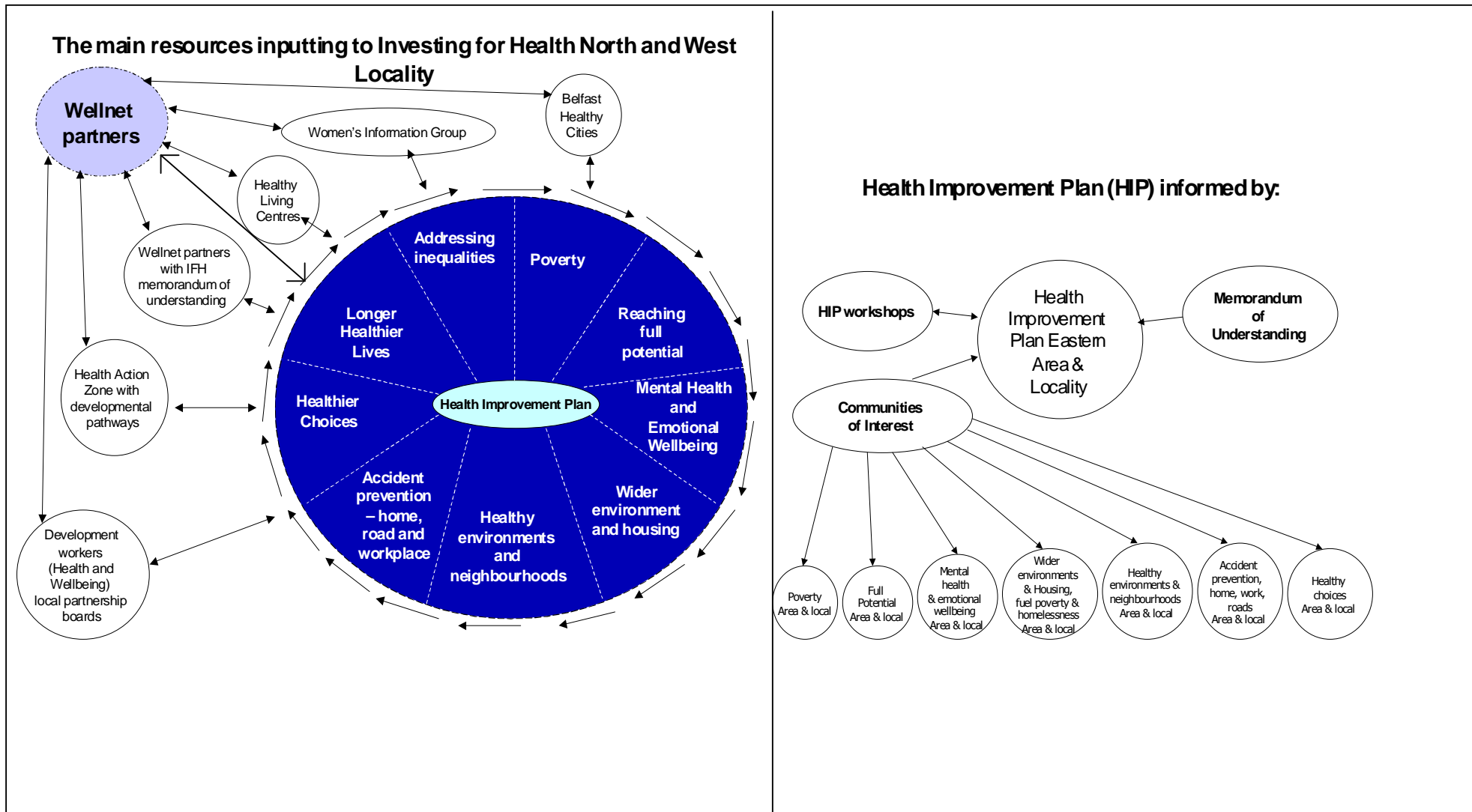
Actions 08/09

- Continue to support the work of and strengthen the connections between the Development Workers (Health and Well – being) and other IFH funded organisations and groups.
- Healthy Living Centres to develop local programmes and will continue to identify the baseline for local health needs. Each Healthy Living Centre will develop performance management measurement processes, which will help demonstrate the impact of their interventions, in targeting specific local priority health issues such as respiratory illnesses, smoking cessation, obesity and cancer prevention.
- Continue to participate in the IFH Health Indicators work, which is seeking to develop the processes for the collection of information on the grey indicators and the integration of the social capital indicators.
- Commence work on an agreed set of indicators for older people’s health & well-being.
- Seek ways to encourage partners to use as appropriate, Health Impact Assessment as part of the implementation of their action plans e.g.
 - Neighbourhood renewal action plans

- Continue to action the recommendations on HIA development arising from the HIP workshops i.e. work with Belfast Healthy Cities to explore opportunities to introduce health Impact Assessment Tools for use with
 - * the implementation of the Mental Health and Emotional Well-Being work in North and West Belfast
 - * the fit futures work in the locality

Continue to progress any relevant outcomes from the Shankill HIA.

- Action recommendations arising from the analysis of learning work commissioned during 2006/07. (“Putting the Learning to Use Report”)
- The Northern Exposure Programme to continue (year 3).
- The Voices programme (anti – poverty work) to continue(year 3).
- Develop further the IFH local HIP infrastructure and communities of interest.
- Continue to ensure that the needs of older people are integrated into all aspects of IFH work, locally and across Eastern area.
- Health and wellbeing needs of Travellers, Black and Minority Ethnic groups in the locality to be prioritised and actioned to support the outcomes from the local needs assessment work.
- Maintain and further develop the connections between the various inter-sectorial health improvement planning mechanisms at all levels to ensure increased co-ordination and maximise resources (particularly recognising the impact of RPA on the full range of organisations).
- Continue to implement through the community of interest the Protect Life Suicide Prevention Strategy.
- Further develop the action on the Fit Futures agenda.
- Continue to strengthen the connections of local action across the sectors, within and between each of the goals and objectives in the IFH strategy.
- Work with local IFH partners to develop performance management/measurement processes to assist with demonstrating the impact of health improvement programmes and initiatives.
- Specifically focus on the key priorities and action plan (see sections 5&6 for details)



Process for reviewing: Health Improvement Plan

The process used to review the Health Improvement Plan (HIP) for the 07/08 period integrated the needs and activity identified in the communities of interest into the discussion and priority setting at the two Health Improvement planning workshops.

November 2007 & March 2008 HIP workshops

The information and priorities discussed at the November workshop were collated and circulated to all partners for comment and additions during December 2007 and January 2008. The comments and additions were incorporated into the proposals for action. These were discussed and confirmed at the March workshop. The action plan at section 6 summarises the proposed development of the priorities and cross cutting themes. It also details the range of actions, which partners are taking to improve health and wellbeing in North & West Belfast during 2008/2009.

HIP workshops: focus**November 2007**

Purpose:

- To identify the actions arising from the 05/06 review document which needs to be taken forward.
- To enable wellnet partners to become aware of some of the current key actions in 07/08 period.
- To identify the actions which need to be taken forward.
- To provide the opportunity for wellnet partners to identify and prioritise relevant development and action for the 08/09 period (building on previous years work).
- To provide partners with the opportunity to consider and plan how they can enable the IfH HIP priorities to become integrated into their organisation, and develop stronger joined up working across and through all sectors and levels.

March 2008

Purpose:

- To share with IfH partners the action taken on the Health Improvement Plan during 07/08.
- To enable partners to hear about some of the processes and partnerships which help to facilitate and action health improvement planning in North & West Belfast.
- To provide the opportunity for partners to consider which parts of the IfH strategy they would like to take action on for 2008/2009.
- To share with partners the proposed recommendations for action in the Health Improvement Plan for 2008/2009.

The cross cutting themes and priorities

(Note: cross cutting themes are issues, which are to be considered as integral to all aspects of Investing for Health work in North & West Belfast.)

- Investing for Health Indicators (NINIS).
- Focus for Older People's Issues (including agreed indicators for Older People's Health & Well-Being).
- Focus for Traveller, Black and Ethnic Minority Communities.
- Developing and supporting programmes, processes to increase participation in integrated planning.
- Benchmarking, developing effective work and sharing learning across all sectors.
- Performance Management / Measurement.

Priorities for action:

- Health Impact Assessment.
- Poverty agenda.
- Mental Health Promotion.
- Prevention of Suicide and Self Harm.
- Older People's health & well-being issues (progressed through partnership and consortium work).
- Travellers, Black and Ethnic communities (increased co-ordination).
- Open and green spaces work.
- Workplace Health.
- Investing for Health communication and engagement processes.
- Building on the action priorities from 05/06/07-review plan.

Section Three**North & West Belfast Area Investing for Health Investments: 07/08****Progress 07/08**

Focus: Capacity Building

- Themes:
1. Peer Education & Mentoring
 2. Mainstreaming vulnerable/evidence based programmes
 3. Training and education programmes linked to addressing inequalities
 4. Community Development approaches to health and wellbeing
 5. Integrated planning – Health improvement planning process, communities of interest

In addition to recurrent and non-recurrent investments noted in the previous Review of HIP plans the following work was developed with IfH investment during 2007/08.

Programme	Leading Partners	Outcome	Contribution to IfH Objective
Further develop local Investing for health Infrastructure	<i>IfH</i>		
Wellnet workshops		Increased use of Wellnet. Increased number of Wellnet profiles for North & West Belfast	Contributions to the two IfH goals and all seven objectives
NINIS Indicators Workshops		Increased awareness and use of site	
Communities of Interest	IfH Local Partners	Strengthening the working connections between Wellnet Partners across the sectors	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Healthy Choices - Fuel Poverty - Mental Health & Emotional Wellbeing - Accident Prevention - Poverty - Full Potential - Wider Environment 		<p>Northern Exposure Programme</p> <p>Mental Health & Emotional Well-Being planning days</p> <p>Accident Prevention Action Plan Implementation</p> <p>Voices Project</p> <p>HIA Report on the redevelopment of the Lower Shankill – Green & Open space work developing</p>	

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Programme	Leading Partners	Outcome	Contribution to IfH Objective
HIP Workshops	IfH	Quality information to inform the review of HIP and future developments for 08/09.	
Healthy Ageing Consortium North & West Belfast	Belfast Healthy Cities Belfast Trust	A process developed to enable community, voluntary & statutory organisations to collectively identify and work on common agendas for older people, continues to develop. Increasing profile for Older People's Health and Well-Being issues.	Contributes to the 2 IfH goals and all seven objectives.
Follow up on Health Indicators Work NINIS work	Belfast Healthy Cities (local) IfH Managers Regional	Preliminary work social capital indicators HLCs focusing on Primary Health Care indicators	Contributes to the 2 IfH goals and all seven objectives.
Northern Exposure Programme	NEA NI	Additional 40 homes in North Belfast with full heating measures. 60 homes with part heating measures. Planning for a wider energy efficiency programme. Energy efficiency training provided.	Contributes to the 2 IfH goals and objectives 1, 2, 3 & 4.
Voices programme	NIAPN	A programme of outreach and development work to engage with people living in poverty. 3 year pilot continues to develop.	Contributes to the 2 IfH goals and objectives 1, 2, 3 & 7.
Healthy Living Centres finding pathways for sustainability	Healthy Living Centres with HAZ and Eastern area IfH managers	Secured recurrent funding for 11HLC core posts from EHSSB. Developing evaluation framework with working with HLCs on developing programme impact processes.	Contributes to the 2 IfH goals and all objectives.
Analysis of learning, models & approaches addressing, wider determinants of health & wellbeing	NIAPN & NEA NI	A working report which identifies a number of considerations for future planning and programme development in this area. Published Report "Putting the Learning to Use".	Contributes to the two IfH goals and objectives 1, 2, 3 & 4.

Section Four**Wellnet Communication and Action*****Further developing and strengthening the Investing for Health Connections***

The initial 5 year health improvement plan 2003 - 2005 identified a number of key actions, which would be developed over the 5 years to assist with the implementation of the Investing for Health Strategy in the North and West Belfast area. The following chart shows the action identified in March 2003 for the area and records achievement made against this by April 2008. (Review of HIP 05/06 and 2007 section 3 contains achievements for the previous four years.)

Action 2003	Outcome at March 2008
a) Scoping and identifying health development contribution in locality	213 organisations and 96 programmes registered on Wellnet specifically in North & West Belfast
b) Developing the IfH relationship with existing partnerships operating within the locality e.g. Health & Social Care Group, North & West Belfast HAZ, Healthy Cities Belfast, Healthy Living Centres, North Belfast, West Belfast and Greater Shankill Partnership Boards.	9 organisations in North & West Belfast have a memorandum of understanding with IfH Locality. With an additional 12 service level agreements. 63 Service level agreements with Investing for Health Partners.
c) Developing the connections between IfH Strategy and the other related strategies and policies, to encourage a more co-ordinated and jointed up approach to implementation.	7 communities of interest are being developed locally: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poverty • Full Potential • Mental Health & Emotional Wellbeing • Housing and Healthy Environments • Wider Environments • Accident Prevention • Healthier Choices
Developing the connections between IfH Strategy and the other related strategies and policies, to encourage a more co-ordinated and jointed up approach to implementation	The communities of interest are beginning to map the current activity, partners and priority issues for future collective development.
d) Investing for Health Conference	Regional IfH conference was held in Armagh City Dec 2007. DVD produced illustrating some examples of NAlfH and EAlfH work.
e) To agree with partner organisations a framework that sets out how existing social partners, community development and health promotion arrangements are integrated and support local investing for health priorities.	Increased the number of organisations and groups who are integrating the outcomes from the HIP process into their own organisations planning process (SLAs illustrate this).

Section Four	Wellnet Communication and Action
Action 2003	Outcome at March 2008
f) To develop with existing community partners and the Healthy Living Centres a programme of development to enable small community groups and individuals to up skill on internet access.	10 Wellnet workshops have been run. Worked with key local partners to increase the use of Wellnet as a health improvement resource e.g. Partnerships Boards, Healthy Living Centres & Health Action Zone. IfH Health Indicators workshops facilitated by NINIS.
g) To seek ways to begin to mainstream with relevant agencies existing models/approaches of effective practice, which contribute to health improvement.	Have placed funding with the programmes mentioned at the start of section three to further develop capacity for Health Improvement programmes. IfH team have continued to work towards sourcing further funds for mainstreaming etc. Team will have worked with Wellnet membership to identify and prioritise need. Have worked with partners to acquire or develop tools which are useful to them in evaluating health improvement models and programmes
h) To further rollout the Equality in Health – Tackling Inequalities Programme	Inequalities programme has been positively evaluated. A further Equality in Health programme has been run during 07/08 period.
i) To start to develop a synchronised planning process to enable IfH partners to contribute in a meaningful way to future Health Improvement plans.	2 HIP workshops where run November 07 and March 08 for all Wellnet partners. The outcomes from these workshops are the future action points of this HIP review 07/08/09. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continued to develop and refine this process. • Ensuring that all partner members can contribute to the planning process and that strong links are developed across the various elements, which identify common gaps and needs and avoid duplication of resources.

Priorities for Development

The Health Improvement Plan Review process (North & West Belfast) 2007/08 continues to develop the Investing for Health priorities identified and agreed by partners over the past 4 years (2003-2007). In addition to the previous work undertaken and priorities addressed there will be specific focus on moving forward on the following areas/issues of priority during 2008/09.

Priorities Specific Development Areas	Proposed Action
Performance Management	<p>(continues to be a cross cutting theme)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue to develop bench marking processes and seek opportunities to share learning across all sectors. • Establish a working group (facilitated initially through Belfast HSC Trust) which will identify, develop and start to use with Investing for Health partners performance management processes which will assist in measuring the qualitative and quantitative aspects of Investing for health improvement work. • Continue to support work with Healthy Living Centres on identification of local priorities for Health Improvement (primary healthcare setting is a starting point). •
Health Impact Assessment	<p>(continues to be a cross cutting theme)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue to work with Belfast Healthy Cities to seek ways to progress strategic issues on HIA and facilitate a co-ordinated approach to the use of HIA tools. • Support the local Eastern area Investing for Health HIA working reference group. • Plan the action on the recommendations from Lower Shankill HIA. • Organise a seminar to explore the best way to use Mental Well-Being Impact Assessment tool kits on the community of interest work relating to Mental Health and Emotional Well-Being as has been used in the NHS South East London.
Investing for Health Indicators	<p>(continues to be a cross cutting theme)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participate in further development of these Investing for Health Indicators at a regional level. • Locally in North and West Belfast work with key partners to facilitate the use of the Investing for Health Indicators as an integral part of partner's planning process and targeting for interventions health improvement .

Priorities Specific Development Areas	Proposed Action
Older People's health & Well-Being Issues	<p>(continues to be a cross cutting theme)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support the working process to achieve a regionally agreed set of indicators for Older People's Health & Well-Being – this work will be led by Age Concern N.I. • Continue to ensure that in the out working of the EHSSB Intersectorial Action Plan for Older People's Health & Well-Being, North & West Belfast locality needs are fully integrated into the Belfast Healthy Cities sub working groups and the Investing for Health, Communities of Interest • Support as appropriate both locally and across Belfast, the work of the emerging Belfast Strategic Partnerships for Older People's Health & Well-Being
Travellers, Black and Minority Ethnic Communities	<p>(continues to be a cross cutting theme)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create the opportunity for stakeholders to explore how best to develop a process to take a co-ordinated approach to addressing the health, social and well-being needs of travellers, black and minority ethnic groups (see the comments and suggestions contributed at march 4th 2008 HIP Workshop) • Continue to progress the outcomes from An Munia Tober Primary Healthcare project planning workshop
Poverty	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local community of interest to develop and implement a communication strategy to influence the thinking of decision makers and regional policies and strategies developed to address poverty. • VOICE's programme to continue into it's third year with the outcomes of the programmes work being channelled to the community of interest for action.
Open & Green Space	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Further develop the community of interest (lead for this work is CVNI). • Evaluate the impact of local programmes. • Continue to support pilot programmes developing in North & West Belfast (resulting from: -HIA work Lower Shankill -Healthy Living Centres Environmental Programmes -CVNI – Green Gym and Volunteer Programmes)

Priorities Specific Development Areas	Proposed Action
Workplace Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop local links for pilot programmes to be rolled out further in association with the Health and Safety Executive “Workplace Health Regional Steering and groups and businesses in the community strategic action plan for Workplace health improvement.
Mental Health & Emotional Well-Being	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Organise a seminar to explore the opportunities to used Mental Health Impact Assessment tool kits to inform the future planning processes of the communities of interest for Investing for Health Objective 3 Mental Health and Emotional Well-Being. • Continue to support current work programme of the Communities of Interest for Mental Health & Emotional Well-Being.
Prevention of Suicide	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop, agree and implement an evaluation plan which assess the impact of Suicide Prevention interventions undertaken across North and West Belfast. • Continue to support the work of the Regional Eastern SSIB and the HAZ Task Force for Prevention of Suicide & Self-Harm Implementation Group (North and West Belfast Community of Interest).
Health Living Centres (7 in North & West Belfast)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Establish an evaluation framework for all Health Living Centres in the Eastern Area Investing for Health Partnership. • Continue to assist Healthy Living Centres to find sources of funding for programme delivery.
Investing for Health Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Further develop the inter-sectorial working connections for health improvement across sectors across the IfH partner organisations. • Further develop co-ordination of health improvement planning and activity across all sectors. • Further development of local communities of interest.

Action Plan 2008/09/10

The focus for Investing for health action on health improvement in north & west Belfast continues to be Capacity Building within the following five key elements

- 1) *Peer Education and Mentoring*
- 2) *Mainstreaming vulnerable/evidence based practice*
- 3) *Training and education programmes linked to addressing inequalities*
- 4) *Community Development approaches to improving health and wellbeing*
- 5) *Integrated planning – Health Improvement planning process, communities of interest*

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Cross cutting Work	To consolidate local community work and strengthen the connections to other supporting and complimentary Health and Wellbeing agencies and strategies.	Implementation of the action plan for the Development Workers (Health and Wellbeing) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - West Belfast Partnership Board - Greater Shankill Partnership Board - North Belfast Partnership Board Strengthening the connections between Investing for Health partners and the local community engagement processes for health and wellbeing i.e Community Health Information Workers/Groups and Healthy Living Centres.	WBPB GSPB NBPB	2004 ongoing 2004 ongoing 2007 ongoing
Cross cutting work	To progress the work on the development of the Investing for Health Indicators.		Women's Information Group Healthy Living Centres Investing for Health	2006 ongoing 2007 ongoing

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	<p>Performance Management to work with a range of IfH partners to identify/develop and implement performance management processes to assist in measuring the impact of Investing for Health improvement work.</p> <p>Some Examples</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ To work in partnership with Eastern Area IfH partners to establish and participate in then further development of indicators which are missing from the current set. ▪ Work with NINIS to continue to develop the online IfH indicators. ▪ Continue the NINIS Training for Health Living Centres and other IfH partners on the current IfH NINIS indicators. ▪ Commence work on an agreed set of regional indicators for older people's health & well-being. ▪ Develop bench marking processes and seek opportunities to share learning across all sectors. ▪ Establish a working group to identify and start to use performance management processes to indicate impact. ▪ Healthy Living Centres to develop health status maps and begin a process of planned targeted programme development. <p>Examples of some initial work</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Healthy Living Centres partnership with primary healthcare setting. - Improved diffusion of information possibly considering integrated joint information gathering on common agreed agendas (see HIP workshop Nov 	<p>Belfast Healthy Cities and IfH Eastern area Partnership</p> <p>NINIS and the four IfH partnerships</p> <p>NINIS and Healthy Living Centres</p> <p>Age Concern NI</p> <p>IfH Communities of Interest</p> <p>Belfast Trust & IfH partners</p> <p>Health Living Centre's (HLCs)</p>	<p>2007 ongoing</p> <p>From April 2006 ongoing</p> <p>From April 2006 ongoing</p> <p>May 2008-March 2009</p> <p>April 2007 ongoing</p> <p>May 2008</p> <p>October 2007 ongoing</p>

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	<p data-bbox="421 296 808 437">Address the Traveller and Black and Ethnic Minorities communities health and wellbeing needs.</p> <p data-bbox="421 699 741 730">Travellers' Community</p> <p data-bbox="421 1107 842 1362">To ensure that the recommendations and outcomes from EHSSB Older People's Strategy are incorporated into all relevant aspects of Wellnet partners work.</p>	<p data-bbox="875 225 1010 252">06 for details)</p> <ul data-bbox="887 296 1630 1401" style="list-style-type: none"> Establish a local reference work group representative of relevant stakeholders (led by the minority ethnic communities) or further develop existing groups to develop and implement an action plan, which builds on the recommendations from the needs assessment work carried out in North & West Belfast and the suggestions forwarded at the HIP workshops. Continue to develop the actions identified in this section of HIP review for 2005/2006 period. Continue work with An Munia Tober in meeting the emerging needs of the Traveller Community <ul data-bbox="1115 810 1509 884" style="list-style-type: none"> - Men's Health Programme - Primary Care Pilot Identify and seek to progress ways to strengthen the working connections between the various organisations working to improve the health and wellbeing of the Traveller Community (see HIP workshop conclusions for details). Ensure that older people are invited to participate in all communities of interest working in North & West Belfast. Support through the IfH partnership work at local level the NI Housing Executive Officer for Older People. 	<p data-bbox="1664 296 1906 587">Belfast Health & Care Trust jointly with Belfast City Council to initiate the establishment of the group</p> <p data-bbox="1664 735 1906 767">An Munia Tober</p> <p data-bbox="1664 922 1906 1027">Belfast Health & Social Care Trust</p> <p data-bbox="1697 1145 1872 1177">IfH partners</p> <p data-bbox="1742 1294 1827 1326">NIHE</p>	<p data-bbox="1962 296 2114 363">April 2007 ongoing</p> <p data-bbox="1962 735 2114 802">April 2007 ongoing</p> <p data-bbox="1962 1145 2114 1212">April 2006 ongoing</p> <p data-bbox="1962 1294 2114 1326">April 2007</p>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue to develop the consortium approach to promote older people's health and wellbeing in North West Belfast. Explore and develop Opportunities to share the learning, skills and expertise for this sector on a Belfast wide basis. 	Health Older People's Consortium	April 2006 ongoing
	To ensure that the recommendations and outcomes from EHSSB Older People's Strategy are incorporated into all relevant aspects of Wellnet partners work.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support the work process to achieve regionally agreed indicators for Older People's Health & Well-Being. Collectively identify and plan to address priority Belfast wide older people's health and wellbeing issues. Support the developing Belfast Older Peoples Strategic Partnership for Health and Wellbeing. 	North & West Belfast Age Concern NI Healthy Older Peoples Consortium and Engage with Age - Belfast City Council - NIHE - EHSSB - Belfast Trust - Voluntary Sector - Community Sector - Belfast Healthy Cities	May 2008 onwards
	To continue to develop the capacity of Health Living Centres to act as connecting and delivery mechanisms for targeted health improvement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop local Health status maps of their geographical delivery area. Within the Primary Healthcare setting collectively identify a priority health issue for the area. Plan, 	Healthy Living Centres Healthy Living Centres with	March 2008 March 2008

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Connections with Belfast Healthy Cities	programmes with local communities.	develop and implement an intervention which provides both treatment/clinical and community/social support through delivery. Within the intervention planning, identify and integrate the processes to measure impact on health gain. (qualitative and quantitative aspects).	Local Primary Care Teams & GPs	
	Health Impact Assessment (HIA) increases awareness and use of Health Impact Assessment process and tools.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Establish an Eastern area IfH/HIA working/reference group. ▪ Review the action taken on the priorities identified for HIA work at 06/07 HIP workshops (for details see HIP review workshops Nov 06 papers). ▪ Working/reference group to seek ways to progress strategic issues in HIA specifically with DHSSPS IfH team to enable a co-ordinated approach to HIA in the implementation of the IfH strategy. <p>Organise a seminar to plan the use of Mental Health Impact Assessment Tools in the outworking of Investing for Health Objective 3 Mental Health & Emotional Well-Being.</p>	Belfast Healthy Cities	<p>Sept 2007 ongoing</p> <p>Jan 2008</p> <p>Sept 2007 ongoing</p> <p>June 2008</p>
Connections with HAZ North & West Belfast	Equality and Health Programme	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Deliver the BHC Equality and Health Programme "Health & the Environment – Making the Links" during 2008/2009. 	Belfast Healthy Cities	April 2008
	Four key goals -	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Strengthen the connections between the outworking of the HAZ consultation in recommendations and the Investing for Health communities of Interest. 	Health Action Zone (HAZ)	

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<p>Connections with HAZ North & West Belfast</p>	<p>Aspiration: Children in disadvantaged areas of Belfast can be shown to be more positive about the future.</p> <p>Poverty: A measure for relative poverty be established and adopted which ensures that people in disadvantaged areas of Belfast can be shown to suffer no greater disadvantage than across Northern Ireland as a whole.</p> <p>Achievement: An increase in the number of school leavers with qualifications in Belfast to equal the average for Northern Ireland as a whole.</p> <p>Safety: Fear of crime can be shown to be significantly reduced.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Potential key areas of work (subject to HAZ Council decisions) <p><u>Themes</u> – Mental Health and Emotional Well-being e.g. work including drug and alcohol abuse, suicide prevention, and older people.</p> <p>Sexual health and wellbeing e.g. implementation of existing strategy including programmes in schools, increasing access to services.</p> <p><u>Communities</u> – working with specific communities e.g. contributing to the Neighbourhood Renewal process, the Travellers Action programme and other ethnic minority groupings, people with disability, unemployed people.</p> <p><u>Settings</u> – Working in specific settings such as schools, service delivery points.</p> <p><u>New Ways of Working</u> – developing new kinds of services with local communities e.g. integrating services for children and young people, One Stop Shop Advice Centre, Network of Healthy Living Centres, young peoples' active participation.</p> <p><u>Research</u> – continued focus on evaluation and new research.</p>	<p>HAZ</p> <p>HAZ</p> <p>HAZ</p> <p>HAZ</p> <p>HAZ</p>	

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1. Poverty and Inequalities	Continue to develop processes, which will increase participation, enabling the voices of people experiencing poverty to be heard in the arena of influence and policy development.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Continue to develop the pilot programme in N&W Belfast, VOICE's run a series of workshops and clinics relating to poverty in needs' localities. ▪ Develop and pilot a poverty health and wellbeing awareness training/resource programme. ▪ Develop and implement an evaluation process for these programmes. ▪ Continue to develop the poverty Community of Interest. 	NI Anit-poverty Network (NIAPN)	From April 2006/March 2009 (third year of programme)
1&2 Inequalities, Poverty and enabling people to reach their full potential	To progress the recommendations from the Analysis of Learning report.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Reference group to develop and implement a dissemination and influencing action plan. ▪ Launch the Report "Putting the Learning to Use". 	NIAPN & NEA & IfH	January 2007
Enabling people to reach the full potential	To achieve cohesion of current resources, skill and expertise working co-operatively in partnership with the community and voluntary sectors developing and delivering equitable education programmes which focus on both vocational and academic skills.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explore with Wellnet partners the role and function of a community of interest to enable people to reach their full potential. ▪ Discuss with NICVA recommendations from HIP workshop February 2006 with a view to identifying how best to forward the recommendations. (see HIP review 05/06) ▪ Continue to support the work on Employability developed partnership across the West & North of Belfast City. 	NEA, NIAPN & IfH	May/June 2008
			HAZ	
			IfH with Wellnet Partners NIAPN & HAZ	July/Aug 2008
			WBPB	

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3. Positive Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing	<p>To develop a more co-ordinated approach to mental health promotion work across all sectors of locality.</p> <p>To heighten the profile of the needs of post conflict trauma victims.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Use the Mental Health Promotion mapping information to identify needs and plan future programmes. ▪ Develop an action plan to provide a broad menu of options to support wider mental health promotion issues. Incorporate the BHC older people's healthy aging objective to promote action to tackle issues of mild depression or loneliness amongst older people. ▪ Increase awareness of positive mental health. ▪ Strengthen existing community networks to increase focus on Mental Health Promotion work. ▪ Develop the capacity for supporting mental health promotion across the sectors. ▪ Develop and implement a wide-ranging training and development programme. (see action plan for details). ▪ Establish a small working group to identify issues (commissioner needs to be aware of). Seek meeting with commissioner to identify how local priorities match with Trauma Strategy. 	<p>Community of Interest</p> <p>Change of Mind group</p> <p>WBPB – Health Issues Group GSPB – Health Issues Group</p> <p>North Belfast Partnership Board</p> <p>West Belfast Partnership Board</p>	<p>Nov 2007 onwards</p> <p>June 2006 ongoing</p>

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<p>4. To offer everyone the opportunity to live and work in a health environment and live in a decent home.</p>	<p>Prevention of Suicide Prevention and Self-Harm North & West Belfast HAZ Task Group recommendations.</p> <p>To develop through an incremental approach a model, which increases energy, efficiency measures in the homes of North & West Belfast. To link this practical work to an associated capacity building programme of awareness raising which enables all sections of society i.e. individualism, families and service providers to be more energy efficient and financially healthy.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Develop a planned approach to implement the recommendations from the HAZ Task Force Report. ▪ Develop a co-ordinated approach to supporting suicide prevention work in North & West Belfast. ▪ Begin to develop a model for a regional approach for ASSIST Training. ▪ Capacity building for the wider community. ▪ Implement the 08/09 Suicide Prevention Action Plan for N&W Belfast. ▪ Continue to support and develop the local community of interest on fuel poverty. ▪ Develop and agree the Action Plan for the Northern Exposure Project (NE). ▪ Incorporate into NE work the objectives from the EHSSB Older Peoples Healthy Ageing Strategy. ▪ Implement the third year action plan for the Northern Exposure Programme. 	<p>North & West Belfast HAZ Task Group</p> <p>North & West Belfast HAZ Prevention of suicide and self harm Implementation Group Belfast Health & Social Care Trust</p> <p>WBPB, GSPB NBPB</p> <p>Community of Interest for Fuel Poverty</p> <p>Community of Interest for Fuel Poverty</p> <p>NEA NI</p>	<p>June 2007 onwards</p> <p>April 2006 ongoing</p> <p>April 2006 year 2 of programme</p> <p>Ongoing</p>

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5. Healthy Neighbourhoods and Wider Environments	Work to identify and action solutions to address the shortfall in housing for the population of North & West Belfast.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Develop a pilot project in Lower Falls St James area, which aims to engage the owner/occupier and private rented sector landlords in programmes to increase energy efficiency in homes. 	WBPB	Outstanding work to be picked up during 08/09
	To make a definite link locally between the Housing Executive Homelessness action plans and existing work that other Wellnet partners do to support the implementation of the NI Homeless Strategy.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Develop a working group, which would identify the issues and indicate some initial actions to address ▪ Explore the need for the creation of a multi sectoral reference group to enable greater co-ordination between the various organisations working to improve the health and life circumstances of the homeless population of North & West Belfast. 	NIHE	Sept 2006 onwards
	To develop work place health focus.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Develop local links for pilots programmes to be rolled out. 	CVNI	April 2008 onwards
	To improve the air quality for residents living in inner city areas of Belfast.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Further develop the community of interest. ▪ Continue to support pilot programmes developing in North & West Belfast (resulting from HIA Lower Shankill) - Healthy Living Centre Environmental Programmes - CVNI – Green Gym and Volunteer Programme 	CVNI CVNI HLC's	April 2008 onwards April 2008 onwards
	To encourage the	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Strengthen the links between the Belfast City 	Belfast City	Sept 2007

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	<p>development of Green Travel plans within large organisations.</p> <p>To promote the benefits of open space by increasing the involvement of and use by local people in local public parks.</p> <p>To increase the awareness of planning departments of the need to consider the positive health impacts of open and green space in areas of major and/or minor re-development.</p> <p>To strengthen the connections between the Neighbourhood Renewal Partnerships and the IfH Strategy implementation Health Improvement Planning Processes.</p>	<p>Council work on Air Quality and the HIP planning Process to enable any relevant health improvement issues to be actioned through a community of interest model.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ To support the work of large organisations to develop and implement their own area travel plans. ▪ Establish a short term working group with interested organisations who are in a position to ring supporting programmes to this work. ▪ To promote the development and use of play space. ▪ Priorities and progress relevant outcomes from the Lower Shankill HIA. ▪ Link Community Safety Partnership work to the Health Impact Assessment of Lower Shankill. ▪ To identify and action programmes which will support a reduction in anti-social behaviours and vandalism to achieve more use by the public of community open spaces. Pilot work in Greater Shankill Area linked to HIA. ▪ To inform the neighbourhood renewal partnerships (NRAs) of the content of the local HIPs. ▪ Seek the NRP's suggestions and ideas on how the two processes can best work together to support each other's agendas. 	<p>Council Environmental Health Services and Belfast Healthy Cities</p> <p>EHSSB</p> <p>Belfast City Council Biodiversity Manager</p> <p>NI Housing Executives with local partners</p> <p>Community Safety Partnership</p> <p>Conservation Volunteers & HLCs</p> <p>Neighbourhood Renewal & IfH</p>	<p>Onwards</p> <p>June 2006 onwards</p> <p>June 2007 ongoing</p> <p>April 2008</p> <p>June 2007</p>

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6. To reduce accidental injuries (HAP) and deaths in the home, workplace and from collisions on the road	To take local action on the Home Accident Prevention Action Plan for the Eastern Area.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The local community of interest is Belfast HAP group focusing on home accident prevention. The ?? HAP the Eastern Area Community of Interests to ensure a co-ordinated approach. 	Belfast HAP Group	April 2006 ongoing
	Home accident reduction.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Develop a 3 year action plan to reduce Home Accidents in North & West Belfast area. ▪ Develop a communication action plan to improve co-ordination across the sectors and create greater awareness of home accident prevention initiatives and practice. 	Belfast HAP Group Local Community of Interest	Sept 2006 ongoing
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify and plan to action local training needs for home accident prevention. Target groups Children, young people and older people for action on accidents. 	Belfast HAP Group	June 2006 ongoing	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Set up a database of people trained to deliver home accident prevention. 	Belfast Health & Social Care Trust	April 2006/March 2007	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Monitor the quantity of training delivered by trainers. 		April 2006 ongoing	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Develop an evaluation process to indicate the impact of training delivered. 	Environmental Health Services BCC	Sept 06 ongoing	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Planned programmes of training and Health and Safety inspections in workplaces across Belfast. 		Ongoing	

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7. To enable people to make healthier choices	To enable people to make healthier choices. Drugs & Alcohol	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Continue to support the work of local drugs and alcohol forums within North & West Belfast area strengthening the work undertaken with HAZ North & West Belfast. ▪ Provide forums with a budget to deliver on actions outlined in EDACT's plan and identified locally. ▪ Support the work of a Community Support Worker for North & West Belfast. ▪ Support the work of the people's treatment and support service (Eastern Area). ▪ Prevention and early intervention programmes for adults and young people. ▪ Prescribed Drugs Misuse Service. ▪ Family Support Workers within treatment services. ▪ Drugs and Alcohol Training Initiatives. ▪ Ensure that older people are informed and supported to manage their medicine. 	<p>Eastern Drugs & Alcohol Co-ordination team (EDACT)</p> <p>EDACT</p> <p>EDACT</p> <p>EDACT</p> <p>EDACT</p> <p>EHSSB Community Pharmacy Programme</p>	<p>2007 Onwards</p> <p>Summer 2006 ongoing</p> <p>Summer 2006 ongoing</p> <p>Summer 2006 ongoing</p> <p>2006 Onwards</p> <p>2006 onwards</p> <p>2006 onwards</p> <p>2006 onwards</p> <p>Summer 2007/2008</p>

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7. To enable people to make healthier choices. continued	Message in a bottle	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Continued roll out of Message in a bottle programme. ▪ Personal Alarm targeting 54,000 older people in Belfast 	Belfast City Council (DPP) District Policing	
	Sexual Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ To strengthen the Community of Interest using the HAZ sexual health strategy as the focus for planning for young people's sexual health and well-being. ▪ To collate the baseline audit. ▪ To agree the gaps and develop joint proposals for recurrent funding. 	Belfast Trust – North & West Locality IfH	2006/2007
	Childhood Obesity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Continue to develop the Community of Interest. ▪ Implement the local fit futures action plan. Key Actions include: 	Belfast Trust – North & West Locality Community Dietetic Services IfH	2007/2008
	Nutrition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Review the integrated action plan in line with Fit Futures. ▪ Agree across the community of interest priority areas for joint working. 	Community Dietetic Services Community Dietetic Services	2007/2008 2007/2008

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7. To enable people to make healthier choices. continued	Breastfeeding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Improve awareness of the nutritional needs of older people. ▪ To work proactively with Belfast Health & Social Care Trust and community groups to achieve Baby friendly status widely in West Belfast. ▪ Develop the priorities identified through the local community of interest. 	<p>Belfast Trust- N&W locality</p> <p>Clan Mor Sure Start</p> <p>N& W Belfast Health Promotion Consortium</p>	<p>2007/2008</p> <p>2007/2008</p>
	Tobacco Control	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Support the implementation of the smoke free legislation. ▪ Develop and implement a process to monitor and deliver smoking cessation training. ▪ To increase smoking cessation services in North & West Belfast in association with Healthy Living Centres. ▪ To strengthen the support provided to older people to stop smoking. 	<p>BCC & health Promotion Service N&W Belfast</p> <p>N&W Belfast Health Promotion Consortium</p> <p>HLCs N&W Belfast</p> <p>N&W Belfast Health Promotion Consortium</p>	<p>2007/2008</p> <p>2007/2008</p> <p>2007/2008</p> <p>2007/2008</p>
	To ensure that the health and social needs of older people	Further develop the pathways from the Belfast Healthy Cities and North & West Belfast Healthy Ageing	Belfast Healthy Cities N&W	June 2006 ongoing

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7. To enable people to make healthier choices. continued	<p>are incorporated into the planning and development of all healthier choices initiatives.</p> <p>Healthwise – Exercise referral scheme.</p> <p>To strengthen the promotion of physical activity opportunities tailored to older people.</p> <p>Green Gym Pilot within the Mater Hospital.</p> <p>Green Gym/environmental programmes.</p>	<p>Consortium work into the out working of the Healthier Choices, Communities of Interest, action plans.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Continue to develop the pilot programme, which seeks to widen the delivery of the Healthwise scheme connecting it with programmes within the Healthy Living Centres. ▪ North & West Belfast older person working group representative on the Eastern Area Activity groups to develop and implement a locality action plan for North & West Belfast to address this issue. ▪ Monitor the progress of this programme. ▪ Seek ways to sustain and develop this programme as needs are identified in the future. ▪ Connect the learning from the Green Gym Pilot to green open space HIA developing in Greater Shankill area and with emerging environmental programmes within Healthy Living Centres. 	<p>West Belfast Healthy Ageing Consortium</p> <p>Ardoyne/Shankill HLC. Wispa HLC Shankill Leisure Centre Belfast HSC Trust EHSSB</p> <p>Active Living Group EAPAG reps with local perspective along with Housing Community Networks</p> <p>Belfast Trust</p> <p>Conservation Volunteers NI</p>	<p>2006/2007/08</p> <p>2006 ongoing</p> <p>2006 Ongoing</p> <p>2007/2008</p>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with CVNI to explore ways to monitor impact of Green Gym & Environmental programmes on personal health & wellbeing. 	CVNI	
Action on IfH Wellnet Partnership in North & West Belfast				
	Integrated strategic planning process to continue to be strengthened.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue to work with key local partner organisations to identify how health improvement and wellbeing can become an integral part of their corporate planning. Belfast City Council and NIHE are already very involved in this work. Further develop planning links with: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Belfast Healthy Cities Belfast Education & Library Board Health Action Zone Neighbourhood Renewal Partnerships Partnership Boards for <ul style="list-style-type: none"> North Belfast Greater Shankill West Belfast Agree a process and action plan for completion of Memorandum of Understanding with a range of statutory, voluntary and community organisations. Further develop the local communities of interest for all objectives. Deliver Wellnet IT workshops across N&W Belfast. Provide 2 HIP workshops for Wellnet members across N&W Belfast. 	IfH	Ongoing
			IfH	
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			IfH with COI leads	2007/2008
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify a range of local partners to participate in the IfH Inequalities programme. 	BHC & IfH	