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Introduction

The Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Act 2014 tells us that we must jointly carry out a population needs assessment (PNA) of the needs for care and support, and the support needs of carers in the local authority areas.



Care and support is in relation to people known to social services and those supported through preventative services.

Part 1: Who needs support and how much support is needed

Part 2: What level of support is needed

We also want to promote well being and give support quickly to help maintain independence and to help people help themselves



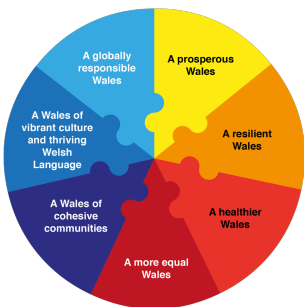


Population Needs Assessment (PNA) what it is and what its not



1

It looks at where we can find more information



2

It looks at Well-Being Assessments and the Future Generations Act



3

It looks at what people and providers of services have told us



4

It cannot include everything as it will be too big so we will use the Social Services and Well-being Act data catalogue



5

It also looks at current and past assessments already done

Population Needs Assessment (PNA) what it is and what its not



6

It looks at what is really important and who can help



7

It looks at how we will do things



8

It looks when we do things



Children & Young People



1

To make things better for children and young people with complex needs by giving support as early as possible in their own community and closer to home.



2

To have good mental health and emotional well-being for children and young people by working with others and by making things better after the Covid-19 pandemic.

What needs to be done?



- Work with partners to have a way of doing things what meets people's needs



- Look at what matters to children, young people and families to understand the problems they face and provide the help that is needed



- Look at ways to help reduce children becoming looked after

Older People



1

To improve emotional well-being for older people by reducing loneliness and isolation with early support in their community



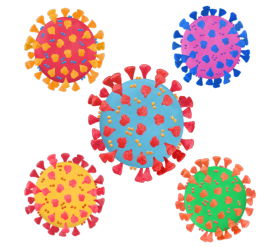
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To make things better for people living with dementia and their carers.



3

To provide early support for older people to continue to live, or return home after being in hospital



4

To help with the long-term impact of Covid-19 pandemic by reducing waiting lists and times to access support, appointments and medical procedures.

What needs to be done?



- There is need to boost the wellbeing of older people, by reducing loneliness and isolation we can do this by working with service providers as early as possible



- We need to strengthen partnerships and services to make things better for people living with dementia and their carers



- We need to strengthen partnerships across health, social care and independent/third sector to ensure we are supporting people to remain well at home for as long as possible, and are they able to return home from hospital

People with Disabilities



1

To support disabled people, including sensory impairment, of all ages to live independently in appropriate accommodation and access community-based services, including transport.



2

Support people to access information, support and help make life better' where required.



3

Improve transition across all age groups and support services

What needs to be done?



- Make sure that all frontline workers receive up to date training and awareness raising on the various information portals and sites that provide useful advice to the public, which will require training and awareness raising.
- Employ more people across health and social care needs.



People with Learning Disabilities



1

To support people with learning disabilities to live independently with access to early support services in the community; and greater public awareness and understanding of people with learning disabilities needs.

What needs to be done?



Involve

- Have support packages that meets the needs of the person, this could involve more one to one support in the community and the employment of more staff

Autistic Spectrum Disorder

1

To provide early recognition of Autistic Spectrum Disorder and access to support services, information and advice.

2

To improve awareness, understanding and acceptance of autistic people.



What needs to be done?



- Deliver autism training and awareness to health, social care, partners as well as the wider public.

Awareness of Mental Health



1

Increased understanding and awareness of mental health amongst the public to reduce stigma and help people to get support earlier



2

To improve emotional well-being and mental health for adults and children through early support

What needs to be done?



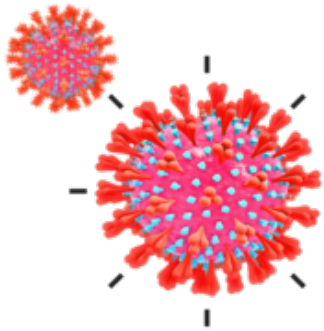
Promote the mental wellbeing of people in Gwent and ensure that the workforce is supported to provide people with the support they need at the right time.

Unpaid Carers & Young Carers / Young Adult Carers



1

Support unpaid carers to care through flexible respite, access to accurate information, peer to peer support, effective care planning and through increased public understanding



2

Improve well-being of young carers and young adult carers, and provide support against the long-term impact of Covid-19 pandemic

What needs to be done?



- Increase awareness of the needs of carers and for frontline staff to be able to recognise when people take on caring responsibilities and signpost them to information, especially young carers.



- Increase Peer to peer support and respite provision for carers using third sector and community partners to increase befriending opportunities and community groups.

Housing



1

Work with partners to ensure appropriate housing and accommodation for older people and vulnerable citizens is available



2

Make use of the Disabled Facilities Grants, partnership support and available resources.



3

Involve public services and partners to help us understand the needs of Homelessness early so support can be provided especially, the non-use of B&B accommodation for young people.

Next steps



Work with partners to produce a Gwent Area Plan which will show the care and support services proposed

1. It must show how things can be made better for people and promote well-being
2. How we can be better at doing things





BIG words



Population needs assessment

Look at the people that live in *Gwent* and what their needs are or might be in the future and what service may be needed



Assessment

A way to look at what you have now and what else you might need now or in the future



Preventative

Stop something bad from happening



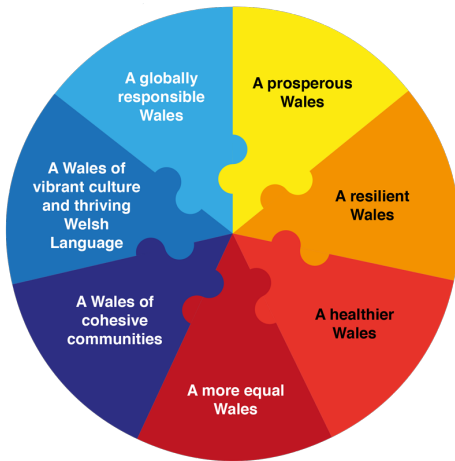
Care and Support

Needing extra help to manage your independence



Well-Being

Being Comfortable, Healthy & Happy



Future Generations Act

Having the same quality of life as we have now or better



Social Services & Well Being Data Catalogue

A system to help us look at what we need and that it is all in one place



Transition

Changes to your age or lifestyle like getting older, moving house, getting a job, needing more support