



Who are we?

The Health & Wellbeing Board is the forum where representatives of the City Council, NHS and Third Sector hold discussions and make decisions on the health and wellbeing of the people of Brighton & Hove.

Meetings are open to the public and everyone is welcome.

Where and when is the Board meeting?

This next meeting will be held in the council chamber at Hove Town Hall on **Tuesday 16 December** starting at 4.00pm.



Health & Wellbeing Board

Date: **16 December 2025**

Time: **4.00pm**

Venue: **Council Chamber, Hove Town Hall**

Who is invited:

B&HCC members: Councillors: Baghoth (Chair), Helliwell and Alexander

Co-Opted members: Tanya Brown-Griffith (NHS Sussex (Sussex Integrated Care Board)) and Adam Fazarkerley (Primary Care Rep)

Non-voting members: Deb Austin, Dr Nicola Lang, Steve Hook, Jess Gibbons (BHCC), Professor Robin Banerjee (UoS), Nigel Sherriff (UoB), Kate Pilcher (SCFT), Peter Lane (UHSx), Dr Colin Hicks (SPFT), Alan Boyd (Healthwatch), David Norris (East Sussex Fire & Rescue Service), Tom Lambert (Carers Centre), Caroline Ridley (Impact Initiatives) and Spt Petra Lazar (Sussex Police)

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Formal matters of procedure

This short formal part of the meeting is a statutory requirement of the Board

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The Chair of the Board will formally ask if anyone is attending to represent another member, and if anyone has a personal and/or financial interest in anything being discussed at the meeting. The Board will then consider whether any of the discussions to be held need to be in private.

24 MINUTES

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The Board will review the minutes of the last meeting held on the 16th September 2025, decide whether these are accurate and if so agree them.

25 CHAIR'S COMMUNICATIONS

The Chair of the Board will start the meeting with a short update on recent developments on health and wellbeing.

26 FORMAL PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT

This is the part of the meeting when members of the public can formally ask questions of the Board or present a petition. These need to be notified to the Board in advance of the meeting Contact the Secretary to the Board at penny.jennings@brighton-hove.gov.uk

27 FORMAL MEMBER INVOLVEMENT

28 VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND GIRLS (VAWG) STRATEGY AND ACTION PLAN

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Contact Officer: Giles Rossington
Ward Affected: All Wards

Tel: 01273 295514

29 BRIGHTON & HOVE SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN PARTNERSHIP ANNUAL REPORT 2024-25

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Ward Affected: All Wards

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30 JOINT STRATEGIC NEEDS ASSESSMENT PROGRAMME ANNUAL REPORT AND UPDATE 2025

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Report of the Director of Public Health (copy attached).

Contact Officer: Louise Knight

Ward Affected: All Wards

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Contact Officer: Chas Walker

Ward Affected: All Wards

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Further information

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