

Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategy for 2025-29

About this survey During 2024, the Health and Wellbeing Board collaborated with system partners to develop a new South Gloucestershire Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategy for 2025-29. They reflected on the strengths and challenges of the previous strategy, the work of the Board, the Joint Strategic Needs Assessment process and local priorities.

This new strategy will be rooted in an understanding of local data and insights set out in our Joint Strategic Needs Assessment and takes an evidence-based approach. We would like to hear your views on the content of the draft strategy, particularly:

- the vision of the strategy,
- the commitments to develop ways of working, and
- the sections setting out how we will deliver the priorities.

Having considered feedback offered during this engagement, we plan to present the final strategy to the Health and Wellbeing Board in May 2025 for agreement. The deadline for responses is 5pm on Friday, 4 April 2025.

Section 1: Our vision

We have defined two visions for the strategy. One setting out the outcomes we want to achieve for residents and a second vision setting out our ambition for how we will work together.

For South Gloucestershire residents:

South Gloucestershire is a healthy and inclusive place for current and future generations which supports and enables those who need help the most to improve their health the fastest.

For the South Gloucestershire health and care system and partners:

The Health and Wellbeing Board, its partners and local communities will work closer together to reduce inequalities and hold ourselves to account on our commitments to create a healthier and more inclusive place for all.

To what extent to you agree with the vision for residents?

- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

To what extent to you agree with the vision for partner organisations?

- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Neutral
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

Do you have any comments on either vision?

Section 2: How we will work together

The strategy sets out five commitments to develop how the Health and Wellbeing Board makes decisions and works with partners over the next four years. In addition to the commitments, there will be up to four annual areas of focus. The commitments will be used as a lens to guide the annual areas of focus, Board discussions and decisions. Any proposal requesting Board approval will need to show how it supports delivery of this strategy.

To what extent do you agree with the five commitments?

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly agree
Strengthening community involvement	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Building a programme of place-based working	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Doing more to reduce inequalities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Shifting upstream with a focus on prevention	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Strengthening our use of data and insights in decision-making	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Do you think there is anything missing from the commitments which should be included?

For each of the five commitments, we have agreed a set of actions and priorities and we've tried to define how we'll know if we're making a difference.

Commitment 1: Strengthening community involvement

Do you think we've set out the right ways to achieve this commitment?

Do you think these are the right measures of success?

Is there anything else which you would like to tell us about this commitment?

Commitment 2: Building a programme of place-based working

Do you think we've set out the right ways to achieve this commitment?

Do you think these are the right measures of success?

Is there anything else which you would like to tell us about this commitment?

Commitment 3: Doing more to reduce inequalities

Do you think we've set out the right ways to achieve this commitment?

Do you think these are the right measures of success?

Is there anything else which you would like to tell us about this commitment?

Commitment 4: Shifting upstream with a focus on prevention

Do you think we've set out the right ways to achieve this commitment?

Do you think these are the right measures of success?

Is there anything else which you would like to tell us about this commitment?

Commitment 5: Strengthening our use of data and insights in decision-making

Do you think we've set out the right ways to achieve this commitment?

Do you think these are the right measures of success?

Is there anything else which you would like to tell us about this commitment?

How we will deliver this strategy

We will publish an action plan for each year of the strategy's life and use a new accountability process to monitor progress.

To what extent do you agree with our delivery principles?

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly agree
Each year, we will identify up to four Health and Wellbeing Board Annual Focus Areas for the year ahead.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
We will monitor progress of the strategy throughout its lifetime.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Our new accountability process will include opportunities for ongoing reflection and iteration within the full meeting cycle of the Board.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
We recognise that we may need to adapt this strategy and our actions in response to what we learn	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
We will publish a Health and Wellbeing Board Annual Report which will summarise strategy progress, celebrate successes and set out plans for the year ahead.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Do you think there is anything missing from the delivery principles which should be included?

Annual focus areas

Do you agree with the principles for the selection of annual focus areas?

Do you agree with these annual focus areas for year one?

	Yes	No
Children and young people	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Healthy weight	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Housing and health	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Place-based working and Neighbourhood Health	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

If you disagree with any of the focus areas, it would be helpful to understand why.

Do you have any other suggestions for annual focus areas?

Working together in a new way

Do you think these new ways of working will support us in achieving our priorities?

Do we have the right measures in place to test whether we are making a difference?

Do you have any other comments about the content of the Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategy?

About You

This section is really important. It's vital that we understand the experiences of a wide range of respondents in order to ensure that everyone is treated equally. By understanding more about what people from diverse backgrounds tell us, we can ensure we act appropriately to meet needs. All questions are optional and any responses to these questions will remain confidential. Individuals will not be identified and personal details will not be published.

What is your age?

- | | | |
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| <input type="radio"/> Under 18 | <input type="radio"/> 40 to 49 | <input type="radio"/> 70 to 79 |
| <input type="radio"/> 19 to 29 | <input type="radio"/> 50 to 59 | <input type="radio"/> 80 or over |
| <input type="radio"/> 30 to 39 | <input type="radio"/> 60 to 69 | <input type="radio"/> Prefer not to say |

Are you?

- ☐ Female
- ☐ Male
- ☐ Other
- ☐ Prefer not to say

Please tell us your sexual orientation

- ☐ Straight or Heterosexual
- ☐ Gay or Lesbian
- ☐ Bisexual
- ☐ All other sexual orientations
- ☐ Prefer not to say

Do you consider yourself to be disabled? **(Please tick all that apply)**

- ☐ No
- ☐ Prefer not to say
- ☐ Yes - Physical impairment, such as difficulty using arms or mobility issues which may mean using a wheelchair or crutches
- ☐ Yes - Sensory impairment, such as being blind/having a serious visual impairment or being deaf/have a hearing impairment
- ☐ Yes - Mental health condition, such as depression, anxiety or schizophrenia
- ☐ Yes - Learning disability/difficulty (such as Down's Syndrome, dyslexia, dyspraxia) or cognitive impairment (such as autism spectrum condition)
- ☐ Yes - Long standing illness or health condition, such as cancer, HIV, diabetes, chronic heart disease or epilepsy
- ☐ Yes - Other (please state)

What is your ethnic group?

- ☐ White
- ☐ Mixed or Multiple ethnic groups
- ☐ Asian or Asian British
- ☐ Black, Black British, Caribbean or African
- ☐ Other ethnic group
- ☐ Prefer not to say

Thank you for telling us your views, please click on the **SUBMIT** button below to send us your response. It is a grey box with a tick if you're using a mobile or tablet.

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