**HHSC Sub Group: Progress Update**

**18 November 2019**

1. Have met with the following sub group colleagues: Optivo, West Kent Housing, Town and Country, Kent Homechoice, Rebecca Smith, Heather Randle- One You Kent, Linda Smith – Public Health England priorities.
2. Future meetings arranged with Tonbridge & Malling BC, Rapport Housing & Care and MHS. Awaiting new dates from Cathy Bellman for next STP leads meeting.
3. Due to meet with Jennifer Kenningham, Swale’s new Health and Wellbeing officer on 28 November 2019.
4. Attended KHOG on 31 October 2019 and will be attending KPSHG on 2 December 2019. Invited to sit on KHG sub group - Kent Events Group.
5. Am reviewing the sub group membership list to ensure all housing associations are represented.
6. Have set up the Housing, Health and Social Care sub group page on the Kent Housing Group website.
7. **MECC**
   1. I have agreed with Ceri Thomas (Public Health Training Manager) for us to submit a business case for additional funding for Train the Trainer MECC training course. Funding had already been spent for this year.
8. **One You Kent**
   1. I am currently re-drafting online communications for this service. Then once signed off by One You communications officer shall share with colleagues who have agreed to promote this service and refer their customers. On board to date are: Optivo, Sevenoaks District Council, West Kent Housing Association, Kent Homechoice, Town and Country, KHG.
9. **Suicide Prevention**
   1. ST completed online training by Zero Suicide Alliance.
   2. Shared Maidstone and Mid Kent Mind’s 3 hours suicide awareness and prevention workshop training with sub group colleagues.
   3. To date I am aware of 5 people booked onto the training course.
   4. Demand for additional training identified due to courses being full. To date: 16 from Ashford BC
10. **Esther**
    1. E-learning module completed**.**
11. **Mason Mile** 
    1. I have learnt that Public Health KCC have ring fenced £15,000 of Kent Housing Group (KHG) funds for three Mason Miles to be delivered by The Mason Foundation and partners in 2019.
    2. The project was overseen by the KHG Kent Engagement Group and included partners; Mason Mile, Wellbeing People Ltd and Kent Sports Trust.
    3. Mason Miles took place on 5 October 2019 in Ashford, 6 October 2019 in Tonbridge and the final mason mile will be on 25 November 2019 in Faversham.
12. **Smoke Free**
    1. Optivo interested in being part of a pilot.
    2. West Kent Housing interested in principle of a smoke free tenancy pilot.
    3. Begun to draft business case for housing associations for smoke free tenancy pilot.
    4. Identified suitable clause for the tenancy agreement
    5. Identified best practice example internationally of where this has been successfully trailed before.
13. Other
    1. Attended online Kings Fund event- Changing Behaviours: What is available and what works.
    2. Written and disseminated a questionnaire to landlord colleagues to begin the health and wellbeing mapping exercise.
    3. Have begun to identify good examples of health and wellbeing community partnership projects. Due to investigate further and consider if these examples can and are worth upscaling across Kent.