

Safe & Healthy People Select Committee

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# Hampshire Local Area Agreement

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# Outline

- What is the Local Area Agreement?
- Overview of arrangements in Hampshire
- Content - Themes and priorities
- General overview of performance
- The future of LAAs

# What is the LAA?

- The main way that Government agrees priorities in each area and agrees priorities and targets for local government and its partners
- April 08 – March 09
- National indicator set (188).
- Local Area Agreement
  - Select upto 35 NIs which relate to the area's priorities
  - Additional local indicators
- County Council role:
  - must consult with partners to agree priorities and selected PIs
  - lead the negotiation with Govt (via the Govt Office)
  - A key delivery partner in its own right!
- Central to the way local government and its partners are assessed (CAA)
- Duty to co-operate and have regard.

Arts Council England - South East	Highways Agency (Area 3)
Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council	Health and Safety Executive - South East Region
Basingstoke and North Hampshire NHS Foundation Trust	Jobcentre Plus
East Hampshire District Council	Learning and Skills Council
Eastleigh Borough Council	Museums Libraries and Archives Council - South East
English Heritage	National Probation Service
Environment Agency	Natural England
Fareham Borough Council	New Forest District Council
Frimley Park Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	New Forest National Park Authority
Gosport Borough Council	Portsmouth Hospitals NHS Trust
Hampshire Constabulary	Rushmoor Borough Council
Hampshire County Council	South East England Development Agency
Hampshire Fire Authority	Southampton University Hospitals NHS Trust
Hampshire Partnership NHS Trust	Sport England - South East
Hampshire Police Authority	Surrey and Borders Partnership NHS Trust
Hampshire Primary Care Trust	Test Valley Borough Council
Hart District Council	Winchester and Eastleigh Healthcare NHS Trust
Havant Borough Council	Winchester City Council
	Wessex Youth Offending Team

# Overview of arrangements in Hampshire

## Priority Setting

Hampshire Senate

## Strategic Management

LAA Executive

## Strategic accountability for targets

Theme Leads and Sponsors working with partners and partnerships

## Delivery

Integrate targets into plans of partners and partnerships - duty of partners



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# LAA Themes and priorities

## Theme A - Children and young people

- Mental and emotional health
- Childhood obesity
- Teenage pregnancy
- Gap in achievement and life chances for vulnerable children
- Life chances for 16-19 year olds at risk of under achievement
- Services for children in our care and on the edge of our care

### (Statutory)

- Early years
- Attainment at school
- Persistent absence from secondary school
- Attainment of looked after children

# LAA Themes and priorities

## Theme B - Employment skills and business support

- Improve skills
- Employment
- Business Growth
- Resident/ worker earnings gap (Rushmoor and Basingstoke & Deane)

## Theme C – Accessibility and transport

- Highway maintenance
- Road safety and casualty reduction
- Quality of life in rural villages
- Congestion hot-spots
- Accessibility

# LAA Themes and priorities

## Theme D – Housing and accommodation

- Affordable housing
- Fuel poverty

## Theme E – Community Safety

- Anti-social behaviour
- Alcohol related violence
- Domestic abuse
- Adult re-offending
- Youth Justice
- Drug related offending



# LAA Themes and priorities

## Theme F – Health and well-being

- Emergency hospital admissions and length of stay
- Information and support for older people's independence
- Mortality inequalities, smoking cessation and adult activity
- Independent living for vulnerable people
- Alcohol abuse

## Theme G - Environment

- Use of material resources
- Mitigate the progress of climate change
- Adaptation to climate change

# LAA Themes and priorities

## Theme H – Strong communities

- Community engagement
- Volunteering
- A sustainable third sector

<b>A - Children and young people</b>	102 a	51	56	102 b	79	62	65	112	148	117
<b>A - Statutory targets</b>	87	72	75	100	101	73	92	93	94	99
<b>B – Employment, skills and business support</b>	163	Local B1a	Local B1b	Local B2b	164	165	Local B2a	151		
<b>C – Access and transport</b>	169	47	Local C1	Local C3	168	Local C2a	Local C2b			
<b>D – Housing and accommodation</b>	187 a	155	187 b							
<b>E – Community safety</b>	Local E2	Local E1	33	20	30	111	Local E3	17	32	21
<b>F – Health and wellbeing</b>	142	Local F2	Local F3	120	Local F1	Local F4	134			
<b>G - Environment</b>	Local G1	193	186	188						
<b>H – Strong communities</b>	4	6	Local H1							

# The future of LAAs

- Changes to the national performance and assessment framework - unknown
- Secretary of State direction for agreements beyond 2011 – unknown
- Total Place - unknown

## Further information

Revised guide to be published following refresh

Websites:

[www.hants.gov.uk/localareaagreement](http://www.hants.gov.uk/localareaagreement)

<http://www3.hants.gov.uk/hampshire-senate.htm>