

Appendix A Gambling Related Harm cross departmental action plan

**Table 1: Updates on cross-departmental action plan on gambling, December 2022**

Action	Outputs	Indicator	Update	Next steps
<p>1.1 Maintain and publish up to date information on the numbers of Bradford residents at risk of and experiencing problem gambling/ gambling-related harms, and the status of gambling premises across the District</p>	<p>Annual data summary (Local Area Plan)</p>	<p>Annual data update published</p>	<p>See report for details of current gambling data</p>	<p>Further report in 12 months' time</p>
<p>1.2 Work with the Age of Wonder research programme (Bradford Institute for Health Research) to collect information about gambling in young people from secondary schools across the District</p>	<p>Survey data on gambling and gambling related harms</p>	<p>Number of children and young people who gamble.  Number of children and young people who suffer gambling-related harms</p>	<p>A series of questions has been added to the Age of Wonder survey which will be delivered to children in years 8-10 in all secondary schools across the District.</p>	<p>Continue data collection and analysis when available.</p>

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<p>2.1 Explore what information can be distributed to schools on gambling-related harms to include in lesson planning</p>	<p>High quality school-based resources to prevent gambling related harm will be identified</p>	<p>High quality resources approved</p>	<p>Review of school-based resources undertaken. No appropriate resources available, therefore services commissioned to develop and implement.</p>	<p>Deliver education package through newly commissioned services</p>
<p>2.2 Explore what information could be distributed to parents to educate and advise on gambling among young people, including the use of gambling-like activity in gaming</p>	<p>High quality parent-focused resources to prevent gambling-related harm will be identified</p>	<p>High quality resources approved</p>	<p>Review of school-based resources undertaken. No appropriate resources available, therefore services commissioned to develop and implement.</p>	<p>Deliver education package through newly commissioned services</p>
<p>2.3 We will offer and publicise evidence-based approaches to reducing gambling harm via our Living Well Schools programme</p>	<p>Schools will have access to high quality materials and will be supported to incorporate these into lesson plans and distribute to parents/ carers</p>	<p>Number of schools who have provided lessons and resources on gambling-related harms to children.  Number of schools who have disseminated</p>	<p>Review of school-based resources undertaken. No appropriate resources available, therefore services commissioned to develop and implement.</p>	<p>Publicise resources via LW Schools website and other avenues once developed</p>

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		resources to parents/ carers.		
2.4 The licencing team will continue to act on any reports of gambling premises which are not enforcing age restrictions.	Children cannot gain access to gambling premises	Number of reports received and acted upon by licencing team	No reports received.	Continue to enforce licencing restrictions
3.1 The Licencing team will revise the Statement of Licencing Principles for 2022-2025	A Statement of Licencing Principles is published which contains requirements to ensure that gambling premises work to reduce harms to vulnerable people	A refreshed Statement of Licencing Principles is published for 2022 - 2025	Refreshed Statement of Licencing Principles written, agreed, and published on CBMDC website.	Next revision of the statement of licencing principles due in 2025
3.2 Adult's Social Care work with academic partners from King's College London to upskill and empower the adult social care workforce, to help early identification of gambling harms and support for vulnerable individuals.	Questions are currently being coproduced with service users and stakeholders, and will be rolled out in the new year following training of front-line staff. This will be evaluated following implementation and an intervention rolled out based on the evidence gathered.	Number of adults identified as having gambling related problems.  Number of adults signposted to appropriate treatment.  Number of adult social care staff feeling	Pilot study undertaken and complete.	No further action

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		confident about raising gambling with service users		
3.3 Develop a communications plan to coincide with Safer Gambling Week 2022	Communications are released to coincide with Safer Gambling Week, 1-7 November, 2022	Number of social media posts published.  Number of social media post interactions.  Number of referrals to gambling treatment/ support	Campaign developed for 2022 men's football World Cup and distributed via social media, linking to resource page on CBMDC website.	Evaluate campaign once complete.  Continue to work with Y&H regional steering group on regional social marketing campaign.
4.1 Build relationships with regional partners, including the NHS Northern Gambling Service	Links strengthened between Bradford Council and the NHS Northern Gambling Service	Data available on people accessing gambling treatment services	Relationship developed with the clinical lead from the NHS Northern Gambling Service.  Data sourced from local GamCare treatment services.	Continue to link with NGS

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<p>4.2 Ensure that relationships and strong referral pathways are developed between the NHS Northern Gambling Service, and drug and alcohol treatment services</p>	<p>Defined pathway between drug and alcohol treatment and gambling treatment</p>	<p>Pathways in place.  Number of people referred via the pathway</p>	<p>Links made between local provider of drug and alcohol service and the NGS.  Pilot pathway developed and implemented by the Bridge Project.</p>	<p>Bridge project remain a core part of the partnership work, and will continue with screening and referrals.</p>
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