

# Housing and Health

## The role of Integrated Care Systems

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**"You can not deal with the people and their houses separately."**

**Octavia Hill**





2.7 million people live in West Yorkshire. Everyone bringing their experiences, strengths and commitment to community life.



# Our big ambitions

West Yorkshire and Harrogate Health and Care Partnership (WY&H HCP) has 10 'big ambitions'. As we show below, several of these are either delivered from or closely aligned to the Improving Population Health Programme.

## In West Yorkshire and Harrogate we will:

**1** Increase the years of life that people live in good health, and **reduce the gap in life expectancy by 5%** in our most deprived communities by 2024.



**2** **Reduce the gap in life expectancy** for people with mental health, learning disabilities and autism by 10% by 2024.



**3** **Reduce health inequalities for children living in households with the lowest incomes,** including halting the trend in childhood obesity.



**4** **Increase early diagnosis of cancer,** ensuring at least 1,000 more people have the chance of curative treatment.



**5** **Reduce suicide by 10%** overall by 2020/21 and achieve a 75% reduction in targeted areas by 2022.



**6** **Reduce anti-microbial resistance infections by 10%** by 2024, reducing antibiotic use by 15%.



**7** **Reduce stillbirths, neonatal deaths, and brain injuries by 50%,** and reduce maternal morbidity and mortality, by 2025.



**8** Have a **more diverse leadership** that better reflects the broad range of talent in our area.



**9** Become a global leader in **responding to the climate emergency.**



**10** **Strengthen local economic growth** by reducing health inequalities and improving skills.



# The way we work together



Emm Irving  
Prevention, Violence Reduction



Dr Frank Swinton  
Climate Change



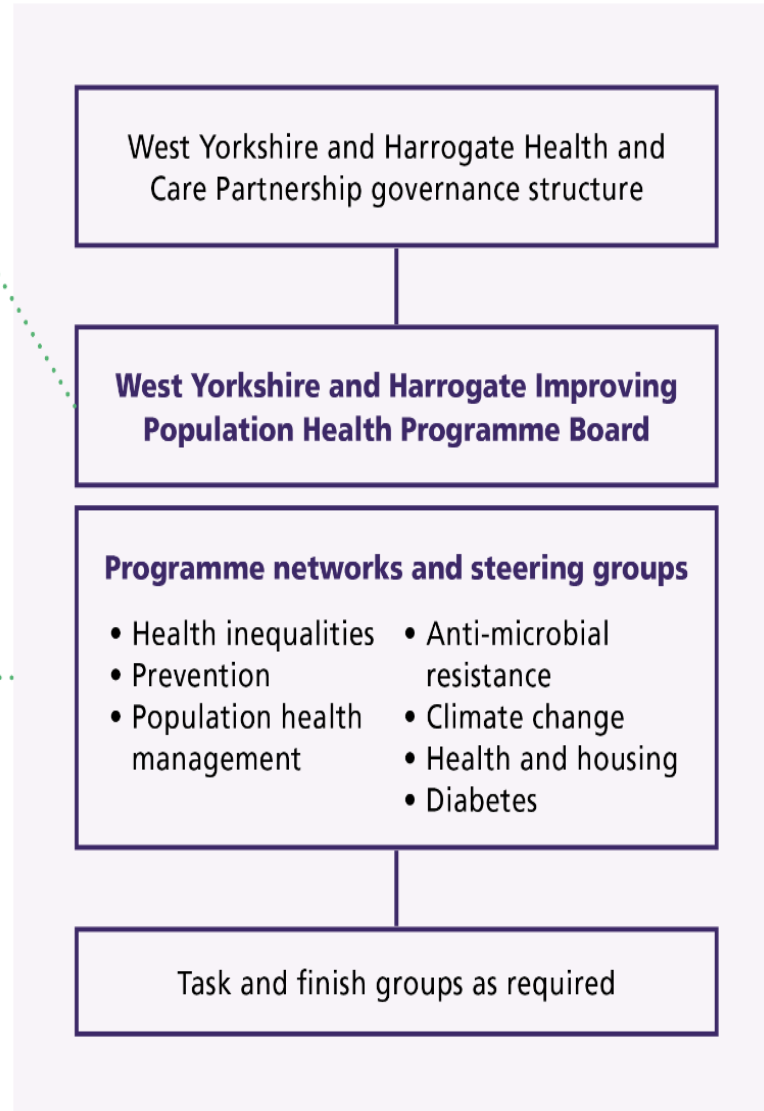
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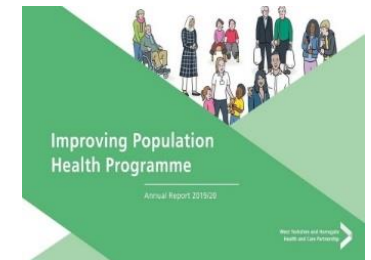
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West Yorkshire and Harrogate Partnership programmes



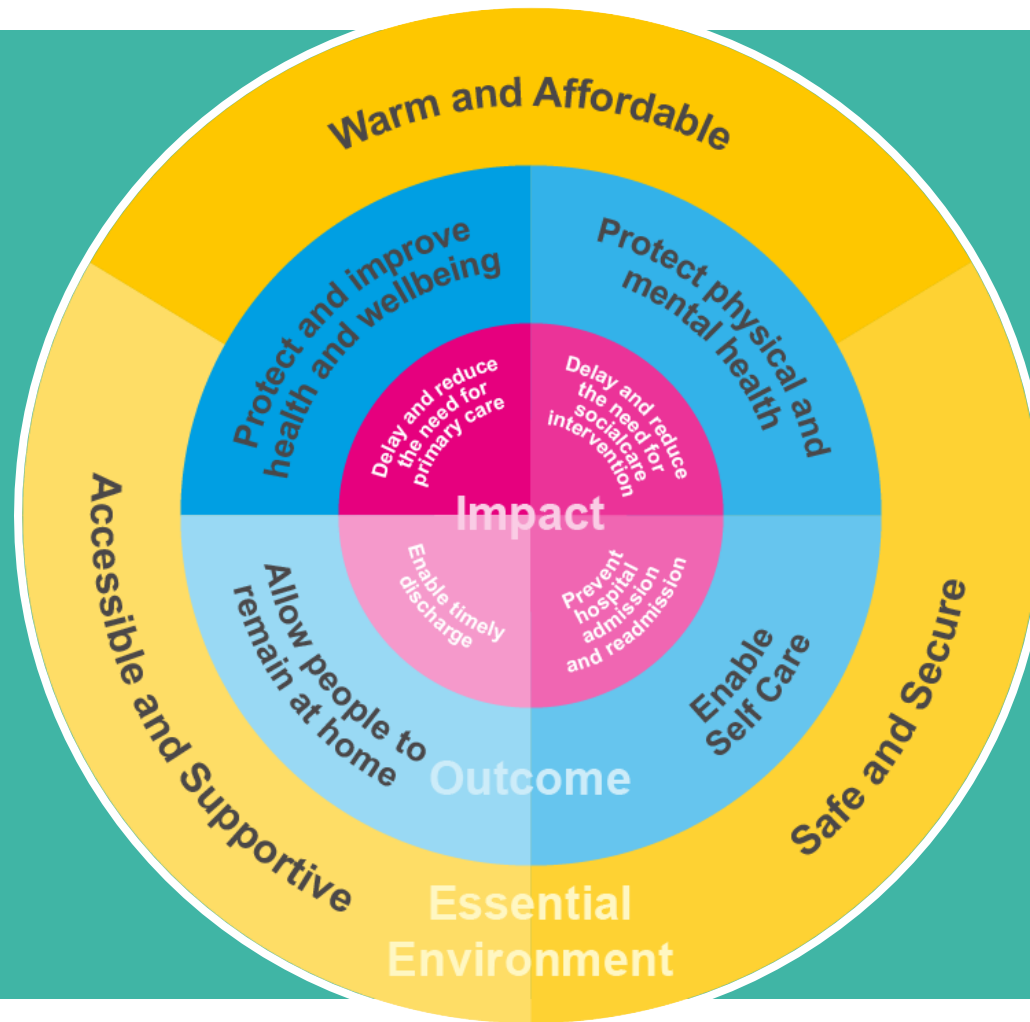
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Links to the six local places (Bradford district and Craven; Calderdale, Harrogate, Kirklees, Leeds and Wakefield)



<https://www.wypartnership.co.uk/publications/improving-population-health-annual-report>

# Housing for Health Correlation



# Homes, Health and Covid 19



- COVID-19 pandemic has exposed and amplified housing related health inequalities.
- Living in a cold, damp home has a significant impact on health.
- Quality of the built environment is associated with mental and physical health outcomes.
- One of the major causes of death, injury and decline amongst older adults is falls in the home.

# Housing and Health Network Priorities

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- Improved housing conditions that tackle climate change.
- Healthy Housing options for people with Mental Ill Health.
- Healthy Independent Homes for people with Learning Disabilities.
- Prevention of rough sleeping and homelessness.
- Healthy housing options to support older people to live well and independently at home.
- Healthier Homes for Healthier Children.





# Housing for Health



- Housing for Health case studies
- Sharing good practice
- Learning from each other

