



SLI Snapshot



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The aim of the Snapshot is to provide a monthly Sector-Led Improvement (SLI) update to DsPH and their public health teams. The Snapshot is produced and managed by Jodie Horton (SW SLI co-ordinator) and Kate Blackburn (SW SLI lead). If you have something that you would like included for the next issue, please get in touch (Jodie.Horton@southglos.gov.uk).

1. South West SLI Action Plan Refresh

Discussions held between DsPH at the SW ADPH virtual away day led to a review of the current SW SLI action plan. The main aim was to streamline the action plan, in line with national guidance to ensure impact and outcomes were being effectively achieved. Five SLI priorities have now been selected by the SW DsPH which hold the best potential for a collaborative SW SLI focus and which fulfil the ADPH SLI impact report recommendations. These five priorities can be seen below on our new SW SLI action plan 2023-2025:

ADPH SW SLI Action Plan 2023-2025



Our Values

To support each other to be effective Directors of Public Health (DsPH)

To work together to have greater regional and national impact than we can as individuals

To Develop and locally implement a Sector Led Improvement approach and implement the SLI action plan

To link effectively with key stakeholders for the benefit of population health and wellbeing

Our Priorities

Best Start in Life

Public Mental Health

Behaviour Change

Healthcare Public Health

CVD Risk Reduction



The SW ADPH SLI action plan was streamlined to contain fewer priorities to enable a stronger focus on sharing of good practice and evaluation of quality improvement in these agendas. The priorities no longer featured on the plans are still SW priorities but will not come under the SW SLI umbrella, instead they will continue in their respective network approaches with DPH link roles into the SW ADPH network where appropriate.

The next steps for the SW SLI plan refresh include:

- Lead DPH & deputy DPH to be confirmed for each priority
- Discussion & agreement of the initial scope for each priority
- Identification of external organisations for cross sector working in each priority area

The SW ADPH away day took place on the 13th of October where the DsPH had opportunity to confirm lead roles and volunteer for deputy positions. Please see below for confirmed leads and deputies for each priority:

	Best Start in Life Leads: Rachel Wigglesworth and Becky Reynolds
	CVD Risk Reduction Lead: Steve Brown Deputy: Sarah Weld
	Behaviour Change Lead: Matt Lenny Deputy: TBC
	Public Mental Health Lead: Sam Crowe Deputy: Lincoln Sargeant
	Healthcare Public Health Lead: Siobhan Farmer Deputy: Simon Chant

The deputy position for Behaviour Change is to be confirmed. The SW ADPH network agreed these positions do not need to be exclusive to DsPH but can be offered to consultants and senior level staff across SW local authorities.

Please contact SLI Co-Ordinator Jodie Horton (Jodie.Horton@southglos.gov.uk) if you would like to express interest or request more information on either of these SLI priority deputy positions.

In next months SLI snapshot we will aim to provide a brief overview of the project outlines for each SW SLI priority.

