



HARROW BOROUGH BASED PARTNERSHIP EXPLAINED

WHO IS THE BOROUGH BASED PARTNERSHIP?

Harrow Borough Based Partnership (BBP) is made up of NHS organisations, Harrow Council, GPs, Local Voluntary & Community Sector. They operate within the Integrated Care System for North West London and work to support delivery of the wider system objectives. Read more about the Harrow Borough Based Partnership and their objectives [HERE](#).

WHAT'S THE PROBLEM THEY ARE TRYING TO SOLVE IN HARROW?

Many people in Harrow, including children and young people and their carers, find it hard to access the right support they need, quickly. This is creating avoidable differences in the health and wellbeing and outcomes between different groups of people locally.

The Harrow Borough Based Partnership has carried out research and a number of different listening exercises with families and young people and practitioners to understand the problems on a deeper level.

Some of the emerging concerns for children and young people and their families includes child poverty / drug and alcohol issues / mental health / young carers / absenteeism in school / poor dental health / unnecessary trips to A&E.

WHATS BBP'S VISION?

The Harrow Borough Based Partnership is committed to a mission of “working with children, families and communities in Harrow to support better care and healthier lives”. They have specific objectives to help them achieve this goal which can be found in their 3 year plan [here](#).

A core part of the approach is to deliver transformational change for children and young people in Harrow, through more integrated services. They have established a steering group and a number of working groups with partners across the system, to drive the implementation and of an integrated service offer for children and young people.



INTEGRATING CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE SERVICES IN HARROW

The BBP have created a Children & Young People Service Integration Programme, which partners are working to deliver locally. The four priority delivery models are set out below. The exact detail of these models is in the process of being designed. Family Hubs is on track to be finalised by January 2024.

Family Hubs

Bringing together all the support a family may need, when they need it.

Helping families with children aged 0-19 (or up to 25 with SEND) connect with a range of services that can address needs.

Under 1s

A pilot of a new model for under 1s, supported by GP practices.

A key element will be establishing community health and wellbeing champions in the pilot area.

No Wrong Front Door

Our aspiration is that when a child, young person or parent/carer presents with a need anywhere in our system, they will be supported to access the right help in a coordinated way and with no handoffs.

Team Around The Family

Multi-agency team around a family to help them access early support for their young person. This will be tailored signposting and support with a dedicated team making sure the plan is having impact.

COMMUNICATIONS

The BBP takes communications seriously. We have local young people and parents involved in helping us design the integrated service offer for Harrow. We would also encourage you to sign up [HERE](#) if you would like to be kept up to date with developments.