NWL summary of additional Health Inequalities funding

NHS England has provided ICSs with additional resources to help to reduce inequalities

- •For NWL, this is £7.022m per year, which will be used to:
- -Strengthen health equity in winter readiness, thereby sustaining independence and reducing reliance on emergency care
- -Support more new grass-roots voices in coproduction, improving the likely impact of health and care service improvements
- -Make greater use of local evidence and insights in identifying and tackling health inequalities
- -Strengthen systematic population health management capabilities to tackling health inequalities (NHS Operating Plan requirement)
- -Accelerate delivery of ICB service restoration with an increased focused on Core20plus5 and the NWL ICB health inequality framework
- •Options for apportioning the funding were debated and developed with multi-agency partners:
- -PPHMI Board agreed principles for all spending to meet, in addition to NHS England's requirements (see slide 3), as part of a listening exercise with partners including Directors of Public Health
- -Agreed split is **60**% for Borough Based Partnerships (BBPs), **15**% for cross-system infrastructure to respond to pre-existing requests and build capacity for future years, **25**% for flexible use for additional schemes
- -Agreed BBP split uses the apportionment agreed by Local Authorities as reflecting population size and need
- -Agreed that 2022/23 non-recurrent underspend will support health equity in winter readiness and grass-roots voices
- -ICB financial and equality impact governance will be followed, with task and finish group set up to support process and maximise benefits

Brent Borough Partnership allocation

- Funding for 22/23 is
- ➤ Recurrent schemes: £326,523
- ➤ Non recurrent schemes: £457,132
- Funding for 23/24 is £783,655 recurrent

Business cases submitted

- Business case submitted to NWL for £784,128 for non recurrent funding for 22/23 to fund
- Community champions, 1 each for the 5 connect areas in Brent to work with local communities and voluntary organisations to understand issues and barriers they face and develop a hyper local action plan
- ➤ Grants scheme for community organisations to support the community through winter
- Business case also submitted for Health Educators programme to be provided the voluntary sector to increase awareness of Health conditions and support self management in the community

Funding for 23/24

- Business case to be developed for recurrent funding to include:
- ➤ Clinical team
- ➤ Mental Health support
- **≻**Community coordinators