

Health and Wellbeing Strategy

Baseline Position & Progress Update

Safe and healthy places to live, learn and work

Health & Wellbeing Board— 22nd November 2023

Safe and healthy places to live, learn and work

environments that help people to be healthy and make the most of the good things around them

Priorities

- To adopt and implement a local plan which considers health impacts
- To ensure sufficient good quality school places are available in good and outstanding OFSTED rated schools
- To facilitate the availability of sustainable, safe and healthy jobs

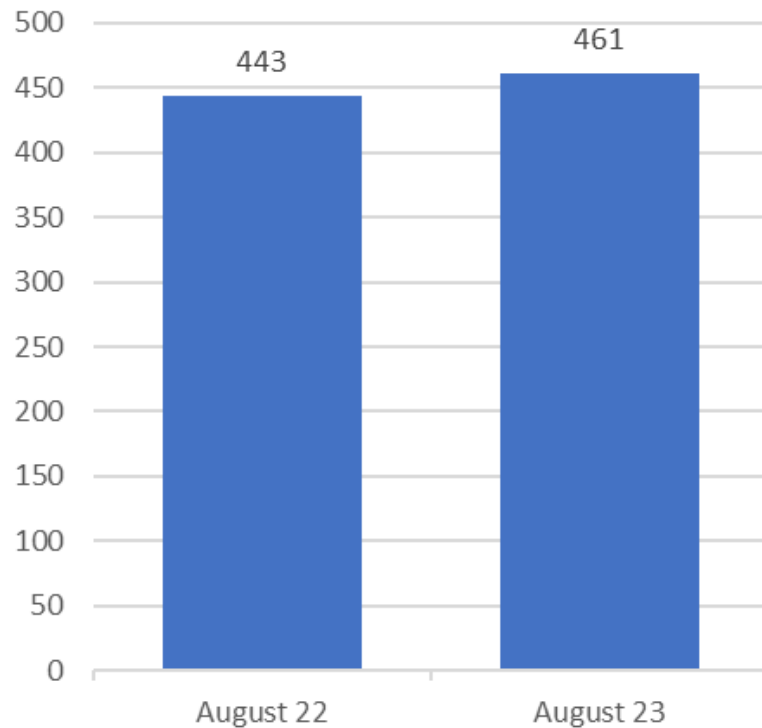
Key Indicators

- **Reduced** incidence of anti-social behaviour
- **Reduced** rate of households in temporary accommodation
- **Increased** rate of people in receipt of long-term support for a learning disability in paid employment
- **Reduced** rate of 16–17-year-olds not in education, employment or training
- **Increased** number of businesses and organisations achieving the Better Health at Work Award (*indicator in development*)

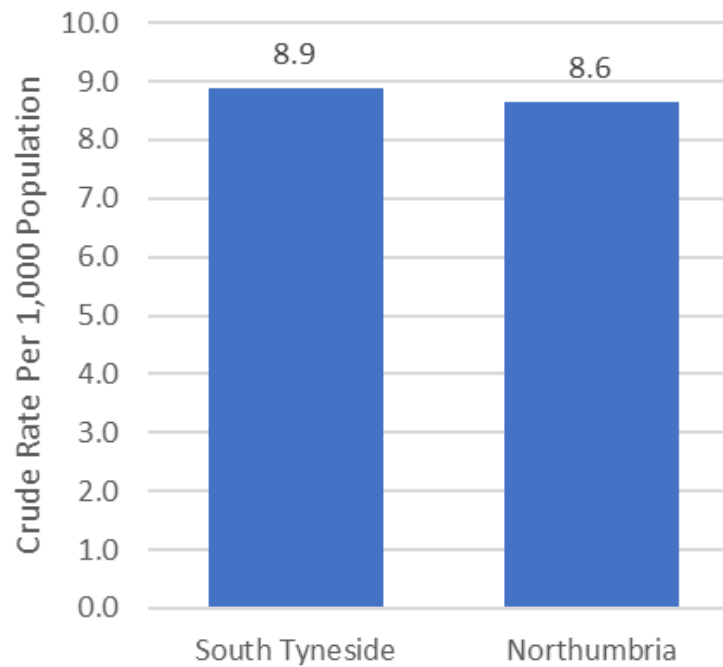


Anti-social Behaviour

Monthly ASB Comparison
with Previous Year



ASB Incident Rate
12 months ending August
2023

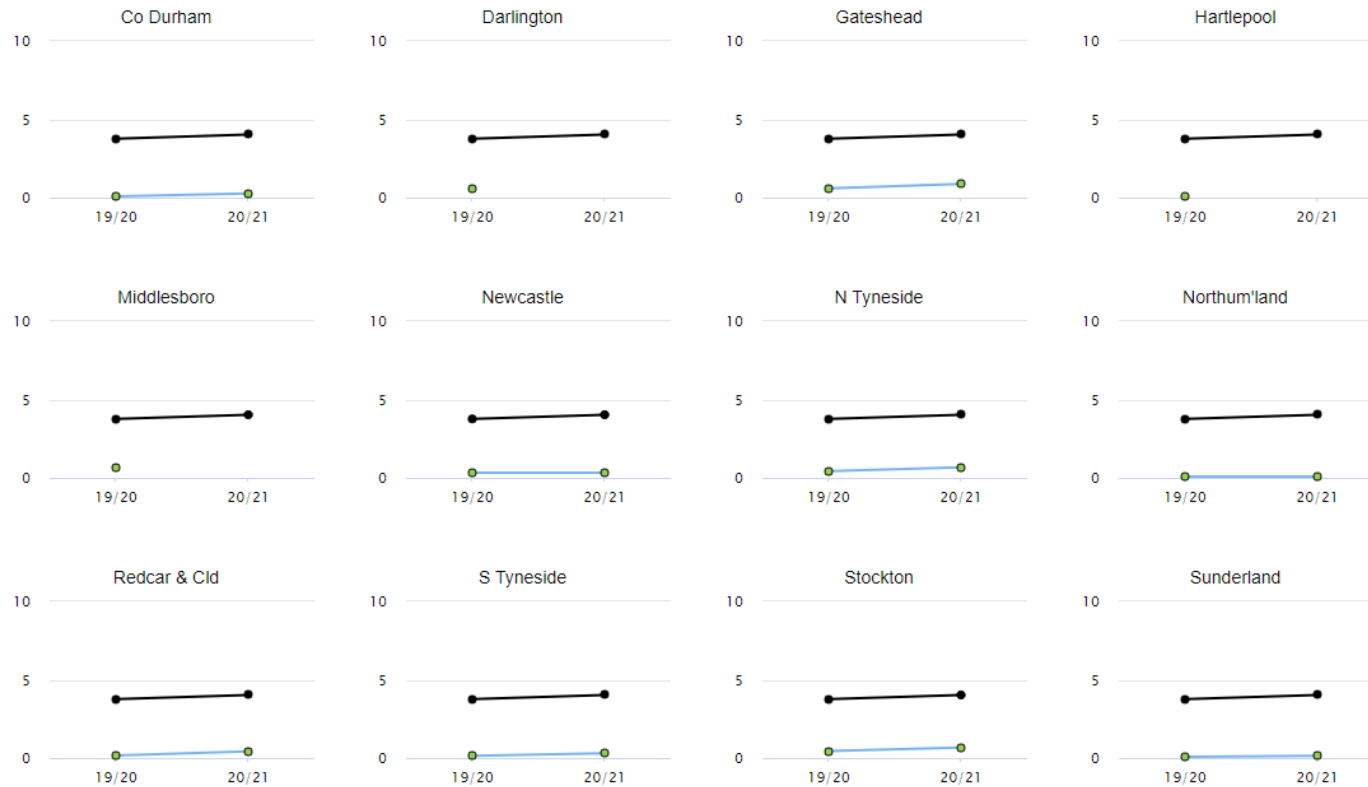


- There has been a 4% increase in ASB incidents in August 2023 compared with August 2022. This equates to an additional 18 incidents.
- In the 12 months ending August 2023 in South Tyneside there was an ASB incident rate of 8.9 per 1,000 population, slightly higher than 8.6 across Northumbria Police Force area.



Homelessness: Households in Temporary Accommodation

Households in Temporary Accommodation, North East Region & England



Significantly better
than avg. (95% CI)

Similar to avg.

Significantly worse than
avg. (95% CI)

- In South Tyneside (2020/21), **21 households were in temporary accommodation** (0.3* per 1000) – this is **significantly better** than the UK average but similar to the North East average.

Households in Temporary Accommodation, North East Region (2020/21)

Area	Value
England	4.0
North East region	0.4
Gateshead	0.9
North Tyneside	0.7
Stockton-on-Tees	0.7
Redcar and Cleveland	0.4
Newcastle upon Tyne	0.3
South Tyneside	0.3*
County Durham	0.3
Sunderland	0.1
Northumberland	0.1
Darlington	*
Hartlepool	*
Middlesbrough	*

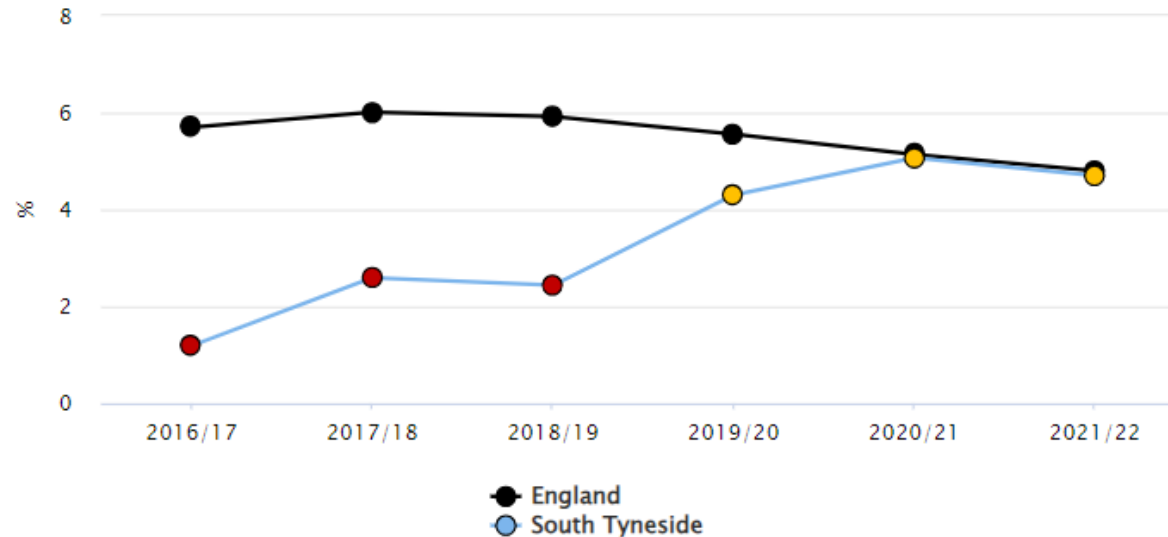
*data quality issue due to low reporting in at least one of the last four quarters.



Safe and healthy places to live, learn and work

The Percentage of the Population who are in Receipt of Long-term Support for a Learning Disability that are in Paid Employment (aged 18 to 64)

Percentage of the population who are in receipt of long-term support for a learning disability that are in paid employment (aged 18 to 64), South Tyneside & England



Between 2020/21 and 2021/22:

- South Tyneside's rate **saw a non-statistically significant decrease of 0.4 percentage points**, from 5.1% to 4.7%.
- The England wide rate fell by 0.3 percentage points to 4.8%, while the regional rate increased by 0.1 to 4.4%.
- Out of South Tyneside's regional neighbours, **Hartlepool and Gateshead had percentages significantly better than the England average**, and Hartlepool has the highest percentage out of all English local authorities.



South Tyneside Council

Percentage of the population who are in receipt of long-term support for a learning disability that are in paid employment (aged 18 to 64), North East

Region & England

Area	Value
England	4.8
North East region	4.4
Hartlepool	21.8
Gateshead	10.0
Redcar and Cleveland	6.4
North Tyneside	5.1
South Tyneside	4.7
Newcastle upon Tyne	4.5
Darlington	4.4
Northumberland	4.0
Stockton-on-Tees	3.8
Sunderland	3.2
Middlesbrough	1.5
County Durham	0.4

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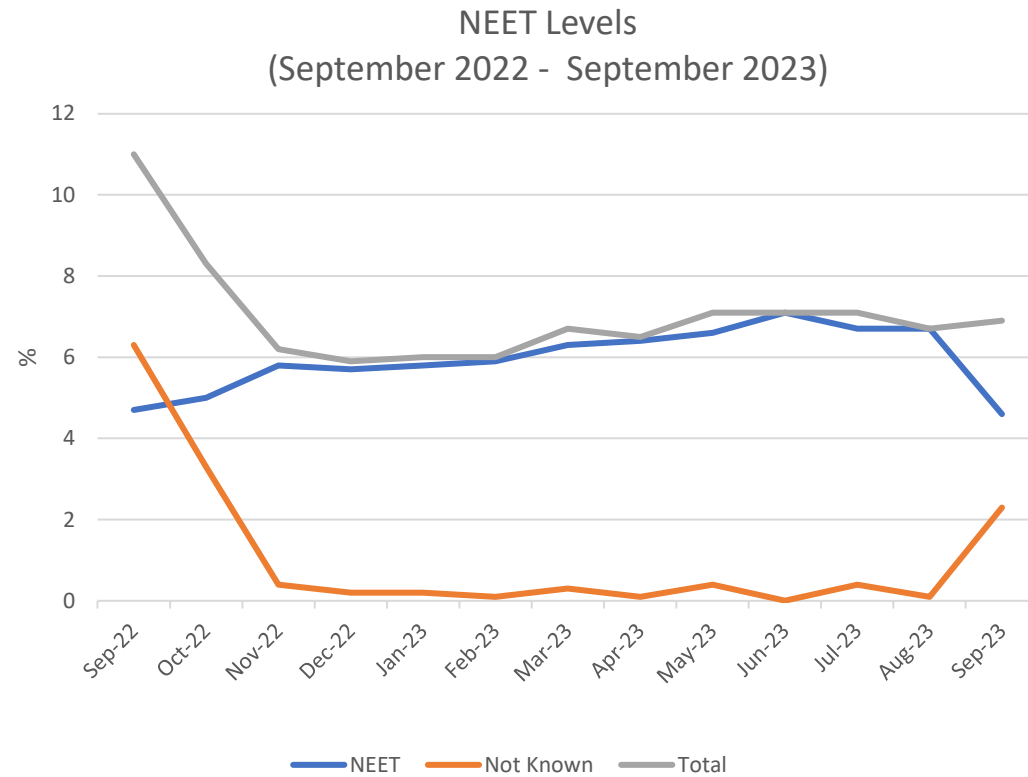
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**THIS IS
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16–17-year-olds not in education, employment or training (NEET)



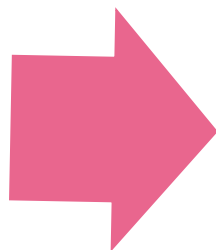
- In September, 4.6% of 16–17-year-olds were known to be NEET (155 young people), with the destination not known for 2.3% of 16–17-year-olds (78 young people)
- **Note** – there is an annual peak of ‘Not Known’ in September due to a data lag.



Progress Update

Making a Difference – Successes so Far

*Continue to develop intelligence and response through the task and coordination group and produce action plans to deal with issues using a range of prevention, intelligence and enforcement tools
(Priority 1, Action 1)*



The community safety partnership (CSP) has been targeting resources at anti-social behaviour hotspots as part of the local and regional response to the Government's ASB action plan.

The introduction of the shop watch scheme in Hebburn Town Centre has (anecdotally) led to a decline in ASB and shoplifting incidents.

The CSP has secured £40,000 through the Officer of the Police and Crime Commissioner to support the new Community Responders service and has progressed work around improving off-road motorbike nuisance, including a multi-agency initiative across Southern Area Command.

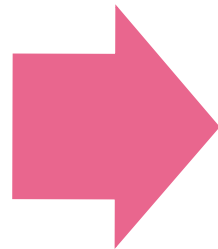
The Council has invested £650k into a new CCTV control room with wall-to-wall monitors and a mapping tool to support staff to view 300 cameras across the Borough and manage incidents more quickly and effectively.



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Making a Difference – Successes so Far

Increase capacity and momentum to support more schools to achieve and maintain the Healthy Schools Award (Priority 2, Action 8)



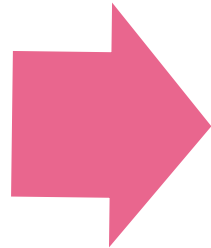
The Council is working in partnership with charity Sustrans to help create a safer, healthier environment by reducing traffic, improving air quality, and encouraging more children to walk, wheel, scoot, or cycle to school. As part of the 6-month 'School Streets' pilot, vehicles will be prohibited on the roads outside Simonside Primary School and St Mary's RC Primary School on school days at peak times..



Progress Update

Work in Progress

Ensure new and existing homes are safe and healthy places to live and require Health Impact Assessments to be submitted if the development impacts upon health
(Priority 1, Action 4)



In October, officers attended an Office for Health Improvement and Disparities (OHID) Health Impact Assessment training session.

Public Health have supported the development of an HIA policy in the emerging Local Plan and will leading the development of HIA guidance to support the policy once adopted.

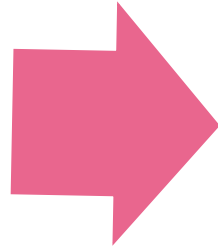


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Work in Progress

Increase capacity to support more workplaces to achieve and maintain their better health at work award

(Priority 3, Action 13)



To increase capacity, the Public Health team have recruited a Public Health Officer to support the Lead Practitioner with the Better Health at Work award. Their aim is to engage with new workplaces and support and assess the existing workplaces to progress through the different levels e.g., Bronze, Silver, Gold, Continuing Excellence and Maintaining Excellence awards.

This year to date, they have managed to recruit a new business to the scheme. Unfortunately, a small number have also decided to withdraw or deferred their application for a year. This is for a variety of reasons. The team will continue to engage with these employers to support their staff health and wellbeing outside of the Award.

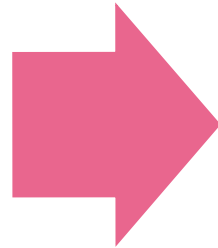


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Work in Progress

Boost aspiration by promoting the great roles that do and will exist in South Tyneside, & Ensure comprehensive careers information, advice, guidance and clear pathways for residents of all ages, embedding this at primary and secondary levels

(Priority 3, Action 11 & Priority 2, Action 10)



£60,000 has been secured from the National Citizen Service to provide opportunities for South Tyneside teenagers to engage in activities to develop their skills and deepen their understanding of the community. The Council's Youth Service Outdoor Education Team and Connexions will use the funding to deliver a range of activities to build practical life skills and broaden horizons, targeted particularly towards those who are NEET and home educated.

Eight primary schools across South Tyneside have begun work to identify careers champions as part of the 'Start Small Dream Big' programme which is raising the profile of careers advice in schools

Working with social enterprise STEMettes and Dogger Bank, the Council ran an event in July to inspire young women and non-binary young people 15-25 and raise awareness of careers and leadership opportunities available in Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths.

