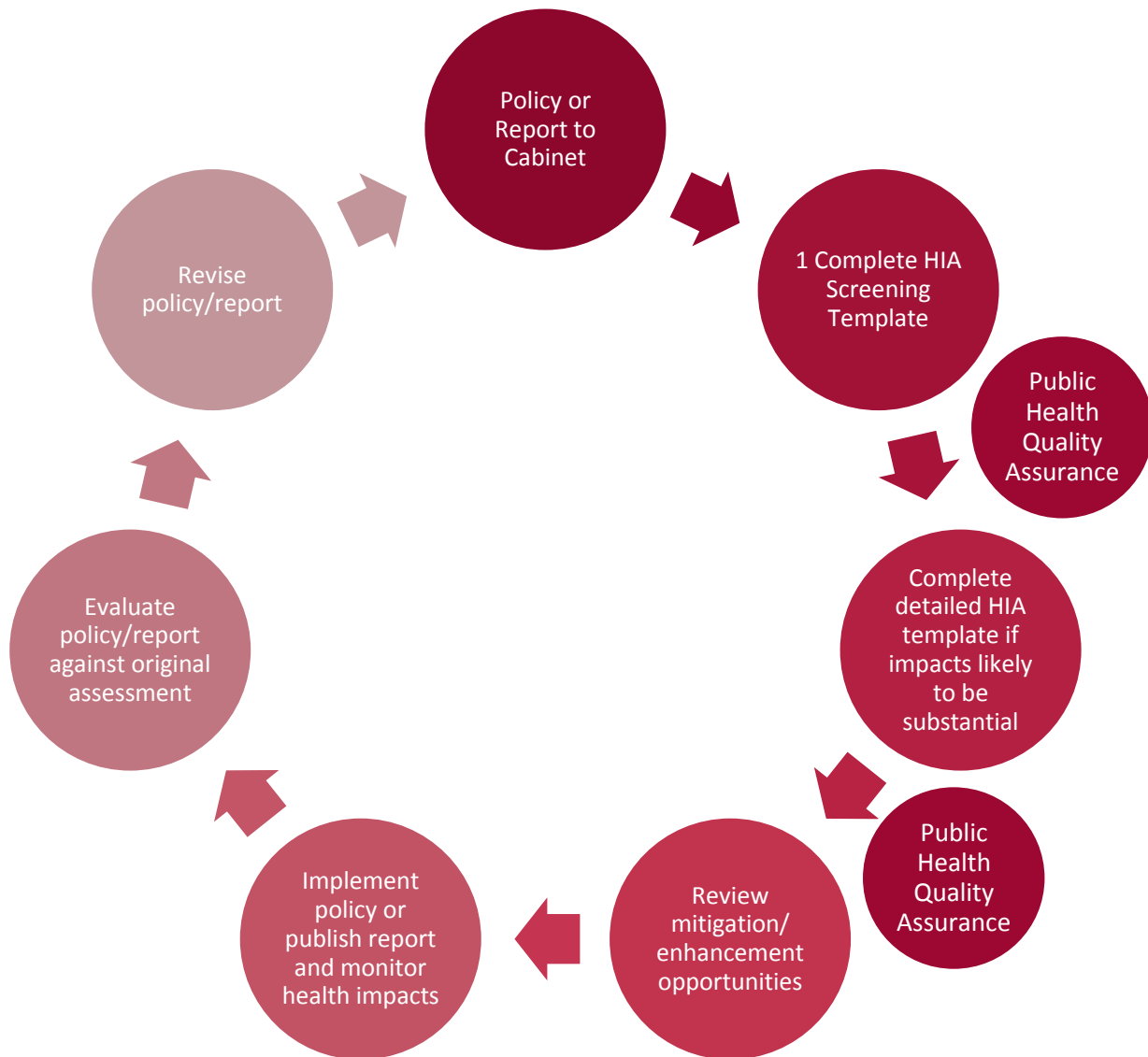


## Worcestershire County Council Public Health Impact Assessment Process

The following process has been developed following the decision by Cabinet to review all policies and reports against the potential impact they can have on Public health outcomes across the County. Whenever a new policy or report for cabinet is being developed, this process should be followed in order to determine the potential impact on health.

This sits alongside a more detailed process report, which sets out a more detailed Public Health impact assessment to be used following the attached screening template where necessary.



The attached screening template has been developed to assist the local authority and its partners to embed health impact assessments into all policy decisions. This is intended to provide guidance to all partners when considering new developments, strategies and action plans. It is designed to be quick and simple to complete and contains prompts to assist with the Health Impact Assessment process as part of policy making. It is termed an 'HIA Policy Process template'.

## Worcestershire Public health Impact Assessment Screening Template

**Description and aims of the policy/report:**

The Cabinet Resources Report details the forecast financial results for the end of 2016/17.

It also provides a brief update of the Council's Futurefit savings programme financial forecast for 2016/17 and provides details of the Council submission to two business rates retention consultations.

There is one new spending decision requested in the October 2016 Cabinet Resources Report and a delegation to confirm the details of the decision:-

- recommends that Council approves the addition to the Capital Programme of the Eastham Bridge scheme and that the capital cash limits are updated accordingly;
- delegates to the Director of Economy and Infrastructure in consultation with the Cabinet Member with Responsibility for Highways and the Chief Finance Officer, the authority to agree the funding for the Eastham Bridge capital scheme;

This will enable capital investment to replace a bridge in Tenbury Wells that collapsed earlier in the year.

There are no specific considerations for Public Health with regard to the report

**Relevant local and national policies:**

None specific

**County or district policy:**

Financial Regulations  
Annual Full Council approved budget and capital programme

**Population affected:**

All Worcestershire, and specific staff and pupils of schools

**Who are the main stakeholders and how will they be involved?**

All Worcestershire, and specific staff and pupils of schools

**Policy Impact Summary**

Impact Category	Positive	Negative	Neutral	Unknown	Recommendation HIA required?	
<b>Social &amp; economic factors</b>						<b>No</b>
<i>(Brief description of potential impacts and how these are mitigated or enhanced)</i>						
<i>No significant impact on Public Health outcomes</i>						
<b>Physical Health</b>						<b>No</b>
<i>(Brief description of potential impacts and how these are mitigated or enhanced)</i>						

<i>No significant impact on Public Health outcomes</i>						
<b>Mental health and wellbeing</b>						<b>No</b>
<i>(Brief description of potential impacts and how these are mitigated or enhanced)</i>						
<i>No significant impact on Public Health outcomes</i>						
<b>Access to services</b>						<b>No</b>
<i>(Brief description of potential impacts and how these are mitigated or enhanced)</i>						
<i>No significant impact on Public Health outcomes</i>						
<b>inequalities</b>						<b>No</b>
<i>(Brief description of potential impacts and how these are mitigated or enhanced)</i>						
<i>No significant impact on Public Health outcomes</i>						
<b>Date completed</b>	<b>28/09/16</b>	<b>Contact details</b>	<b>Mark Sanders</b>			