

Public Health and Overview & Scrutiny- roles, relationships, and opportunities

Matt Clack
Public Health Manager
Hackney and the City of London

What is Public Health?

“The science and art of promoting and protecting health and well-being, preventing ill-health and prolonging life through the organised efforts of society”



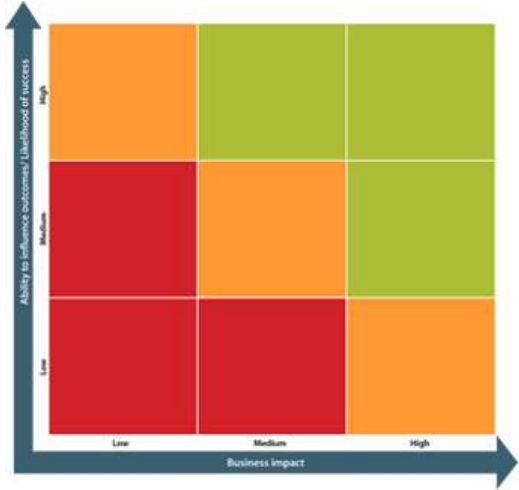




Embedding public health in council services



Potential roles of O&S



Examples from elsewhere



The future



Discussion

- Does this resonate? Can/does Public Health influence local non-health services?
- Is Public Health helping to set the future picture of your local area?
- Examples of great practice