Job Advert: DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Cheshire East

Salary and Hours: Competitive conditions and salary, full time **Terms:** LA terms as appropriate

Employment:Permanent

Location: Cheshire East Council, Westfields, Middlewich Road, Sandbach, Cheshire, CW11 1HZ

Are you a transformational leader with a proven track record of effective delivery, innovation and influence? If so, this new and exciting role may be just for you.

We are looking for a forward thinking Director of Public Health who is able to shape not only the Public Health services across Cheshire East but create a joined up approach to reducing health inequalities and addressing the wider determinants of health. This is an opportunity to transform the environment and economy that supports improved health and wellbeing where people live, work and play.

Cheshire East covers an area with 1,100 square kilometers of un-spoilt beautiful countryside interspersed with picturesque market towns. It has excellent transport links to other parts of the UK, in particular Manchester, Liverpool and London. However, the area does face significant health and public health challenges including significant variations in resident's health experience.

This post offers a unique opportunity to work with a successful and ambitious Local Authority, its partners and the public to promote, improve and protect health and wellbeing for the local population across a range of rural and urban locations

You should be able to demonstrate a robust understanding of public health principles, Local Government, NHS and partnership working. You will be comfortable working with a wide range of departments and managers within the Council and across key agencies and organizations. You will be able to lead work innovatively, focusing on outcomes that matter most to residents and promote empowered participation of communities and partners.

If you think you are up to this challenge we would love to hear from you.

For an informal discussion please contact:- Kath O Dwyer, Executive Director – People & Deputy Chief Executive (01270 371105)

Closing date: tbc

Proposed interview dates: tbc