

HEALTH PROTECTION ASSURANCE

Health and Wellbeing Board

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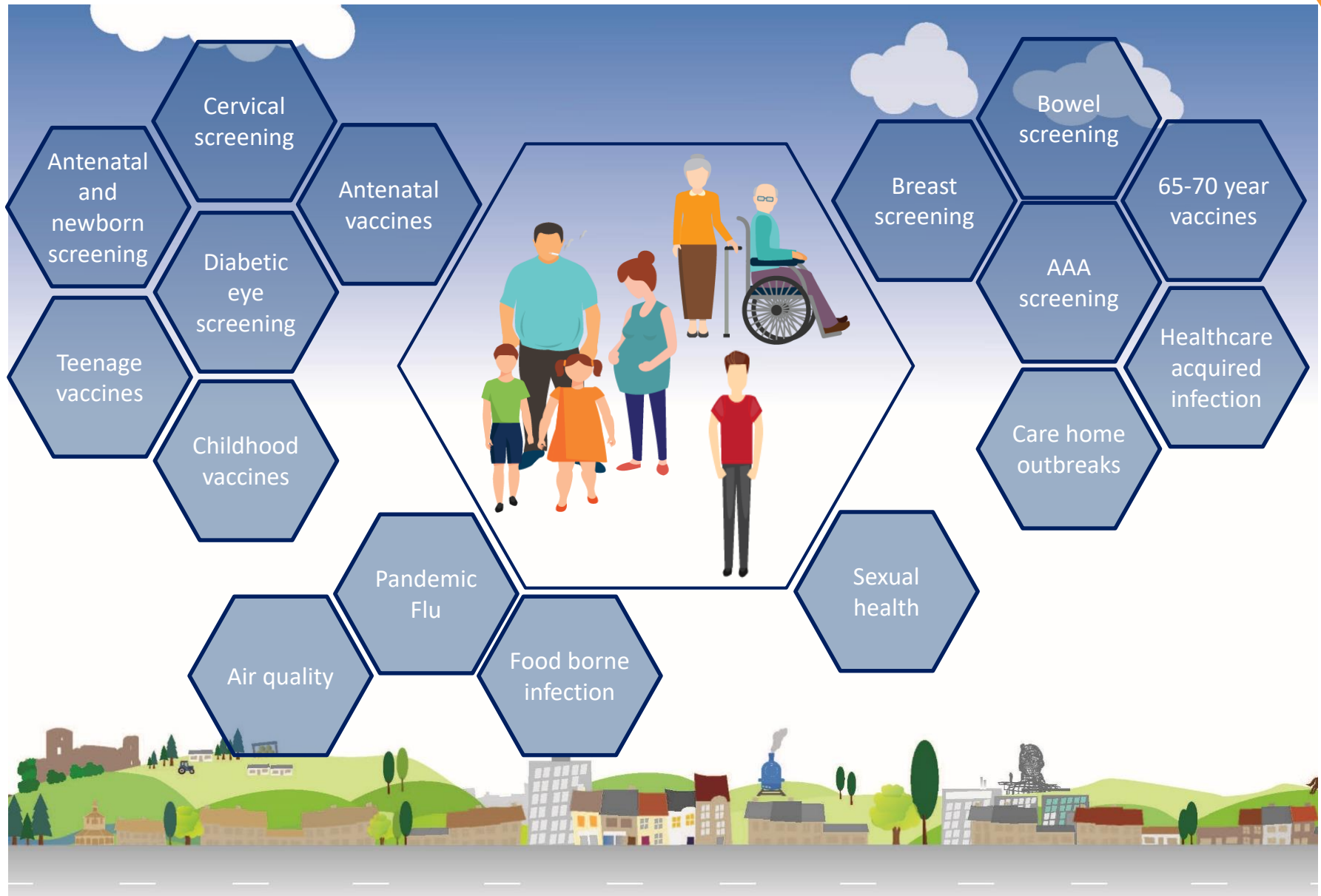
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Public Health England

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The Taylor family 2018



Process

- Health protection annual report presented to HWB January 2018
- Review of the health protection assurance process undertaken
- A health protection assurance day was held on 23 August 2018 with partner organisations
- Health protection action plan now in place
- Health Protection Assurance & Development Group will be established to oversee the reporting of progress of achieving the goals in the action plan

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Health Protection Scorecard

Health Protection performance scorecard

Durham County Council

15/11/2018

Health Protection scorecard - October 2018

Significantly worse than England
Not significantly different to England
Significantly better than England
Significance not tested
- No sub-regional data available
Above national goal
Close to national goal
Below national goal

	Data updated since previous scorecard?	Indicator	Measure	Period	County Durham		North East	England	Recent trend
					No.	Measure			
Screening	N	2.19 - Cancer diagnosed at early stage (experimental statistics)	%	2018	1,133	49.8%	51.2%	52.6%	=====
	N	2.20i - Cancer screening coverage - breast cancer	%	2017	49,518	78.6%	77.1%	75.4%	=====
	N	2.20ii - Cancer screening coverage - cervical cancer	%	2017	99,254	76.4%	74.7%	72.0%	=====
	N	2.20iii - Cancer screening coverage - bowel cancer	%	2017	52,473	61.0%	80.0%	58.8%	=====
	N	2.20iv - Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Screening - Coverage	%	2016/17	2,503	79.6%	79.8%	80.9%	=====
	N	2.20v - Diabetic eye screening - uptake (%)	%	2016/17	-	-	84.6%	82.2%	=====
	N	2.20vii - Infectious Diseases in Pregnancy Screening – HIV Coverage (%)	%	2016/17	-	-	98.7%	99.5%	=====
	N	2.20viii - Infectious Diseases in Pregnancy Screening – Syphilis Coverage (%)	%	2015	-	-	98.3%	98.2%	=====
	N	2.20ix - Infectious Diseases in Pregnancy Screening – Hepatitis B Coverage (%)	%	2015	-	-	96.9%	98.1%	=====
	N	2.20x - Sickle Cell and Thalassaemia Screening – Coverage (%)	%	2016/17	-	-	99.0%	99.3%	=====
	N	2.20xi - Newborn Blood Spot Screening – Coverage (%)	%	2016/17	-	-	98.7	96.5	=====
	N	2.20xii Newborn Hearing Screening – Coverage (%)	%	2016/17	-	-	99.0%	98.4%	=====
	N	2.20xiii - Newborn and Infant Physical Examination Screening – Coverage (%)	%	2016/17	-	-	89.2%	93.5%	=====

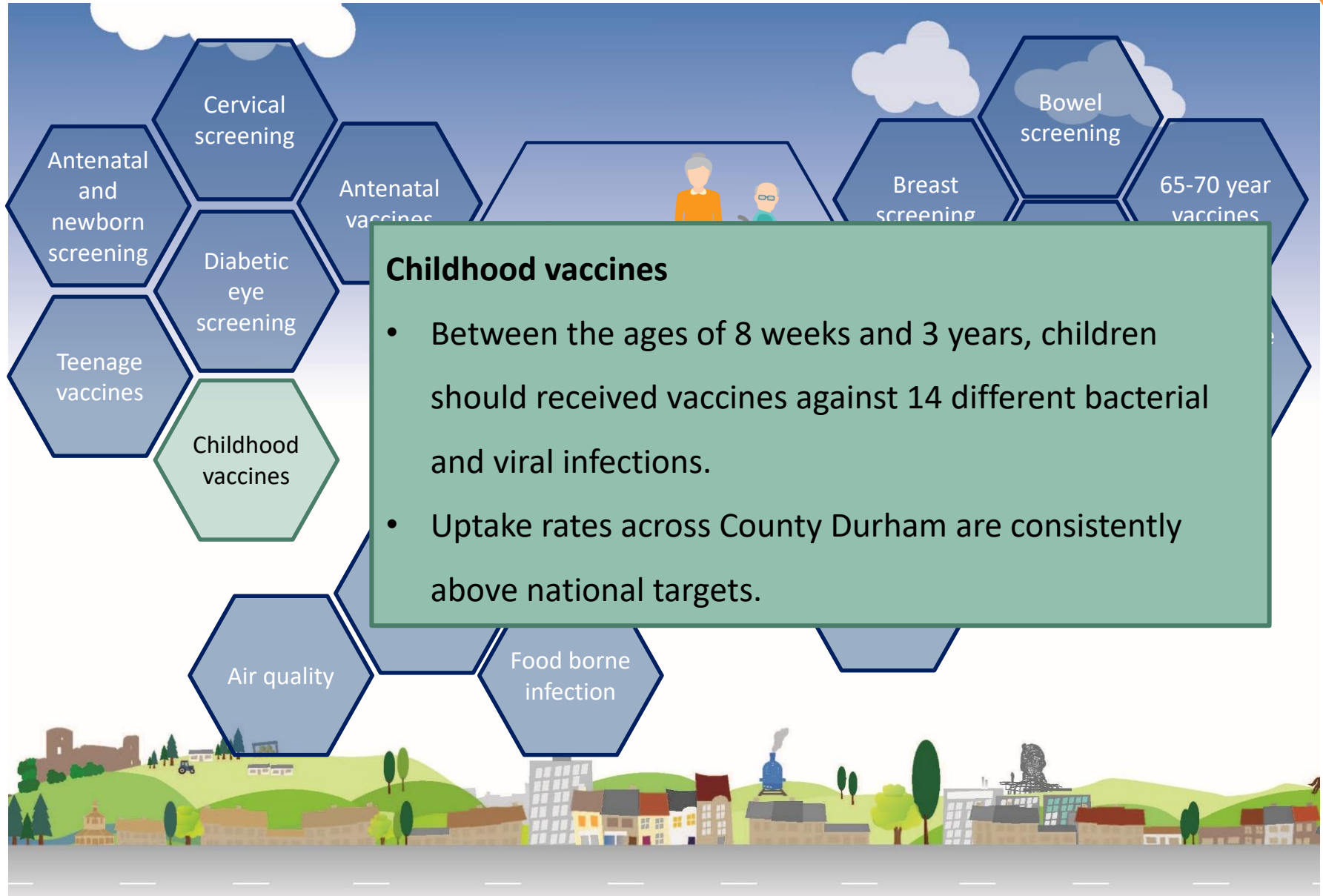
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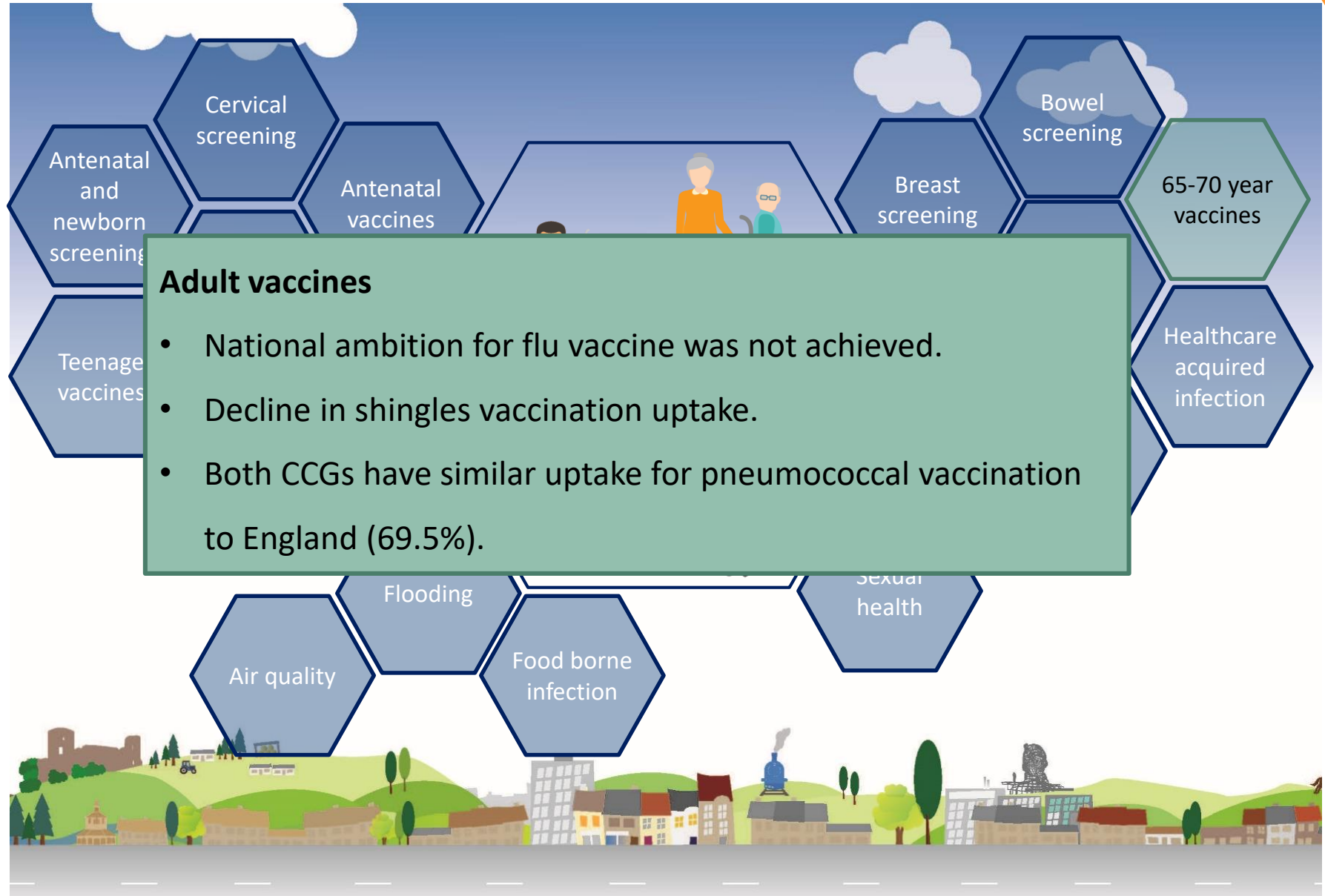
Health protection strategies



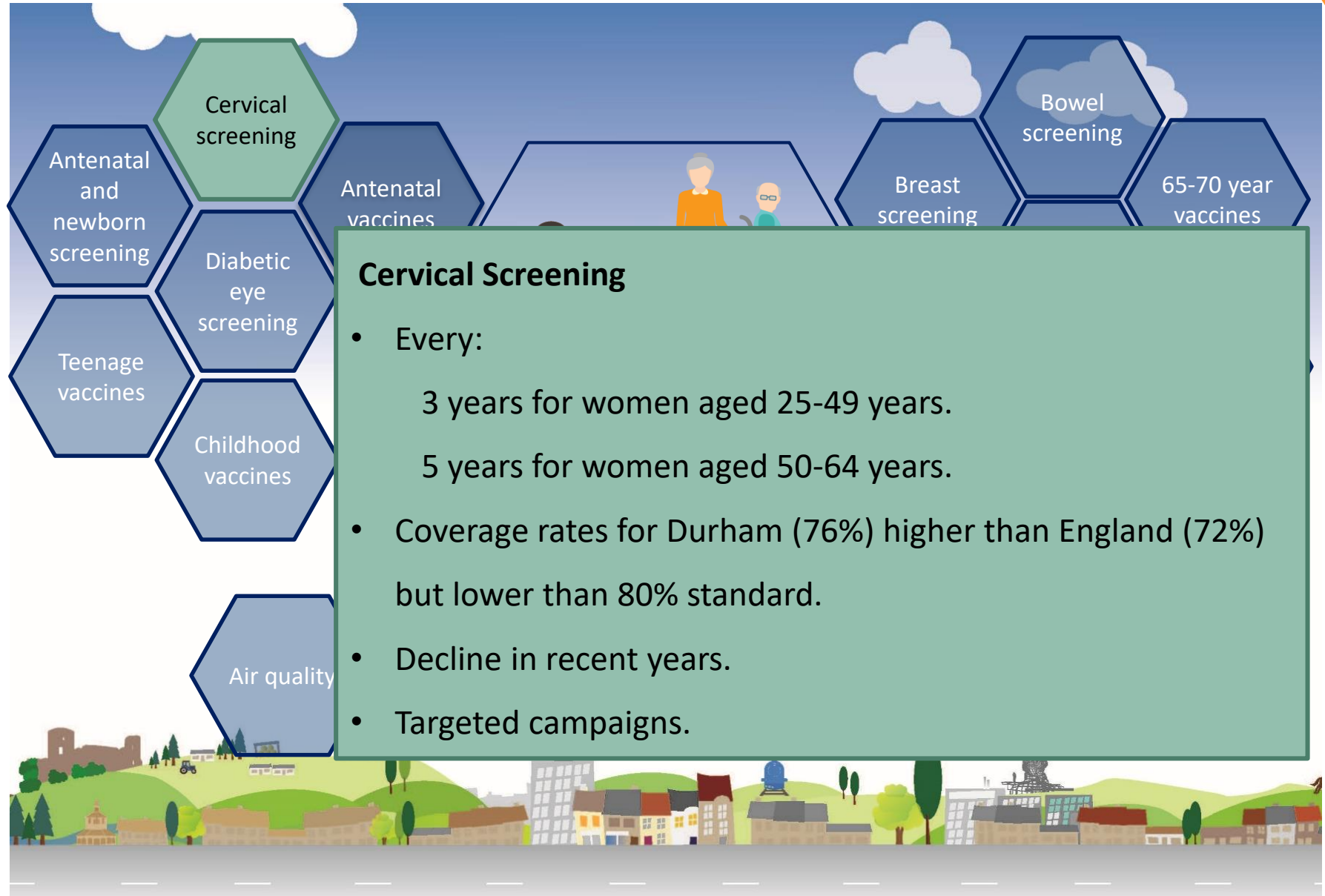
Immunisations



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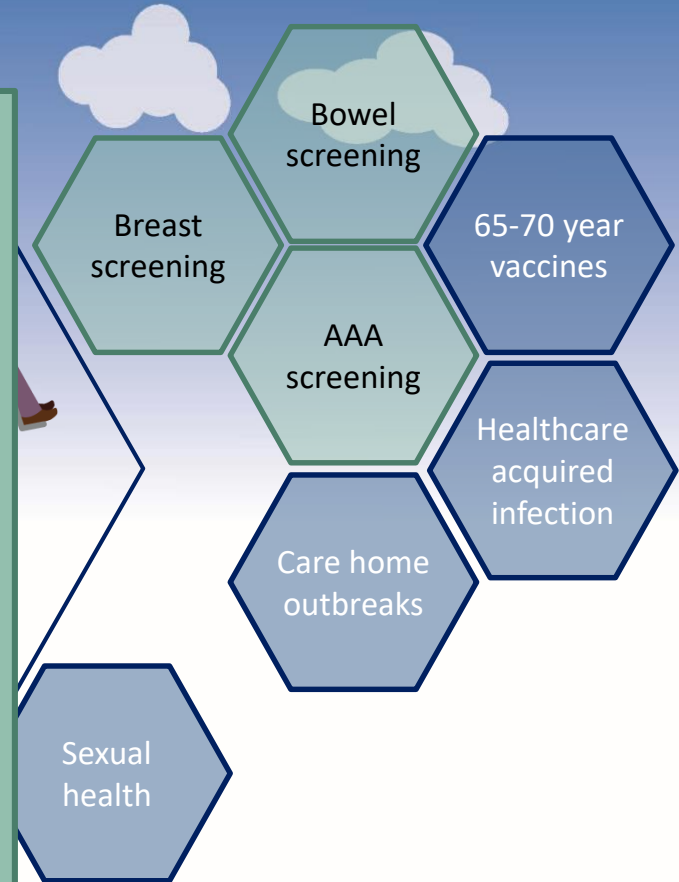
Screening



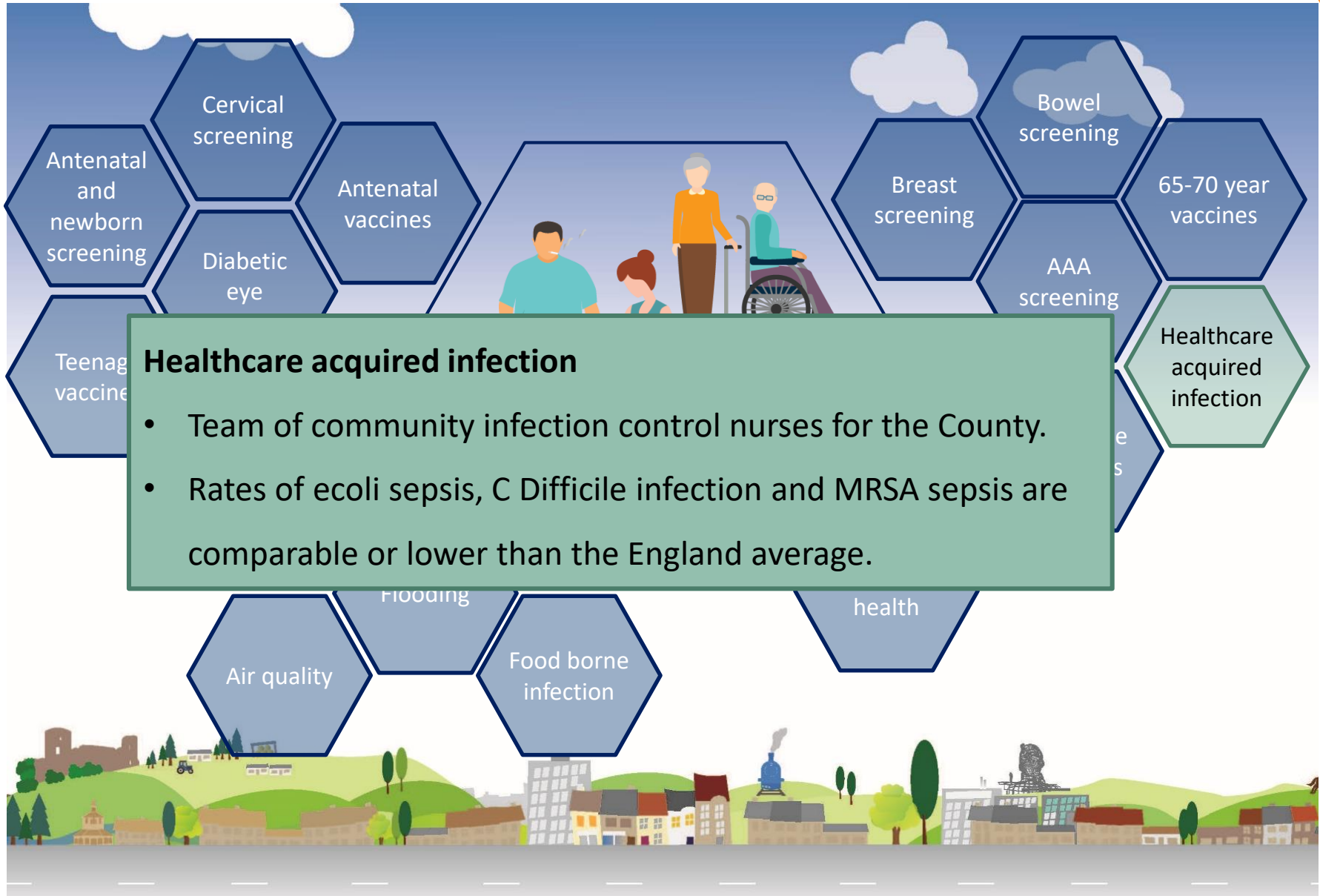
Screening

Breast, bowel and AAA screening

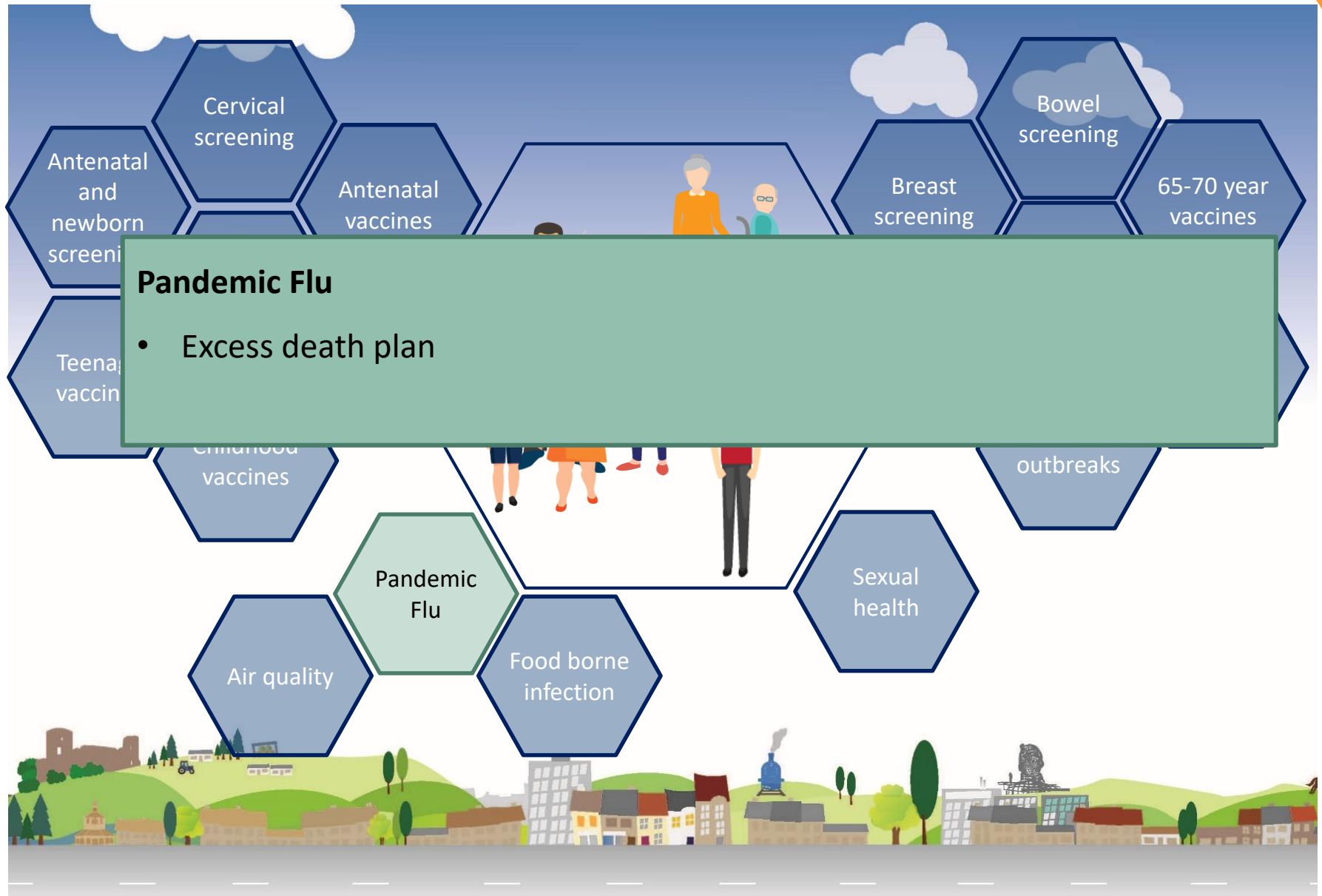
- Breast screening is recommended every 3 years between 50-70.
- Bowel screening is recommended every 2 years between 60-74.
- Abdominal aortic aneurysm (AAA) screening is carried out once in men aged 65.
- Breast, bowel and AAA screening rates are consistently higher than the recommended standards.



Communicable disease



Emergency Preparedness



Conclusions

- The health protection functions delivered by a range of organisations in County Durham demonstrate good overall performance
- Good communication exists between the commissioners of the various programmes and the DPH and remedial and corrective interventions are instigated when necessary. Escalation procedures are in place in the event the DPH needs to raise concerns
- There are however areas for potential improvement and actions to achieve these have been identified in the action plan
- Monitoring towards achievement of these actions will be undertaken by the Health protection Assurance and Development Group and using the health protection scorecard
- The health protection assurance and development group will meet quarterly and report to the HWB

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Recommendations from the report

- Note that the performance is generally higher than England averages and above target for most immunisation and screening programmes
- Note that the DPH is largely satisfied that effective assurance processes are in place for communicable disease control, strategic regulation intervention and emergency preparedness
- Support the implementation of the newly formed health protection assurance and development group which will oversee the reporting of progress towards achieving the goals detailed in the action plan in appendix 3
- Support further identification and response to emerging health protection priorities

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Questions?

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