

PUBLIC HEALTH AGENCY – CONFIRMATION OF FUNDING 2018-19	7 August 2018
TO: ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES COMMITTEE	
FOR INFORMATION	

Linkage to Council Strategy (2015-19)	
Strategic Theme	Resilient, Healthy and Engaged Communities
Outcome	Continuation of Public Health Agency Contracts 2017-2018
Lead Officer	Head of Health & Built Environment
Income: (If applicable)	£149,547.44

Public Health Agency (North) have confirmed in correspondence dated 26th June 2018 the level of funding to ensure the continuation of existing contracts until 31st March 2019 in respect of the following services:-

Accident Prevention £45,070.96
 Poverty Co-Ordinator £44,529.11
 Energy Efficiency Advice £39,149.13

This represents a 1.66% increase on the previous year's funding.

A delivery work plan has been agreed for each of the service areas with the funders. All other terms and conditions of the contracts remain unchanged.

In addition, funding to the value of £20,798.24 is to be made directly to Council from the agency to support a number of food poverty projects, such as Cooking with Toddlers, Batch Cooking and Grow Your Own programmes and to include the support of Causeway Food Forum and Warm Homes group to continue to address food and fuel poverty issues. Previously this funding was paid to Mid and East Antrim Borough Council and claimed through joint working arrangements.