



DUBLIN CITY SPORT & WELLBEING PARTNERSHIP STATEMENT OF STRATEGY

As the largest local authority in the country, serving 530,000 people, Dublin City Council is committed to making Dublin City the best place to be, to live, to work and to enjoy. Sport and physical activity play a huge role in this.

STRIDE 2017 – 2020 is the first statement of strategy for the Dublin City Sport and Wellbeing Partnership. It sets out the sport and physical activity priorities for the City over the next four years that are derived from the Partnership's very clear vision: *To enable and inspire all people in Dublin City to engage and participate in sport and physical activity to improve their general health and wellbeing.*

The plan is progressive and ambitious and consists of 16 initiatives and 26 actions under the following strategic goals:

1. Places and Spaces

Providing opportunities for more people to participate in sport and physical activity in Dublin City by knowing what is available, identifying gaps and developing plans for future investment.

2. Programmes and Services

Delivering a consistent and measurable suite of programmes and services to meet the needs and enhance the lives of all people living in and working in Dublin City.

3. Promoting Sport and Inspiring People

Engaging and connecting with all people living in, working in and visiting Dublin through events, programmes, technology and real-life experiences.

4. Good Practice

Delivering and maintaining high standards through our people, our board, our partners and those we work with to fulfil best practice and good governance.

Implementation of the plan will be measured and monitored regularly and as the Partnership moves forward and continues to grow the aim is to find its stride - hence the title of the plan.

The Partnership will do this by approaching its work with enthusiasm and energy, encouraging new ideas and learning from its past. Continued investment, maintaining and strengthening strategic partnerships, creating strong operating structures and promoting the benefits of sport and physical activity will be at the core of what the Partnership will do to maximise its potential and the positive impact on Dublin City.

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