**Consultations Questions**

**Question 1**

It is our ambition to become a smoke-free Wales by 2030 (smoke-free means that 5% or less of adults in Wales smoke). All our actions over the next 8 years will work towards and contribute to achieving this.

Do you agree with our ambition of Wales becoming smoke-free by 2030?

[Yes, No, Partly]

Please explain why our ambition is right or how our ambition would need to change if you think a different approach is needed.

[Free text box]

**Question 2**

The strategy sets out three themes under which we will work as we drive forward the changes in smoking in Wales:

Theme 1: Reducing Inequalities

Theme 2: Future Generations

Theme 3: A Whole-System Approach for a Smoke-Free Wales

Do you agree that these are the right themes to focus the strategy around?

[Yes, No, Partly]

Please explain why you consider the themes are right or if you think a different approach is needed.

[Free text box]

**Question 3**

Whilst we have established that it is our ambition to achieve a smoke-free Wales by 2030, we have not set milestone smoking prevalence targets in our strategy or set a smoking prevalence rate that we will look to achieve by the end of the first delivery plan. However, our aim is for a step-wise reduction in smoking prevalence over the next 8 years. We will use the following data sources to monitoring smoking rates in Wales:

* National Survey for Wales which provides data on smoking in Wales and provides a smoking prevalence rate. Student Health and Wellbeing in Wales survey for smoking and vaping behaviours in young people aged 11-16.
* Maternity and birth statistics for maternal smoking rates.

Do you feel this is the right approach?

[Yes, No, Partly]

Please explain why this is the right approach or if you think a different approach is needed.

[Free text box]

**Question 4**

Are there any other data sources that should be used to monitor the success of the strategy and delivery plan? If so, what would they be?

Please provide additional comments

[Free text box]

**Question 5**

To support delivery of the strategy it is our intention to publish a series of two-year delivery plans. Do you agree that we organise our actions into two-year delivery plans?

[Yes, No, Partly]

Please explain why the structure works well or outline how it could be made better.

[Free text box]

**Question 6**

In the first two-year delivery plan, which covers April 2022 – March 2024, we have grouped the actions we will take into five priority action areas:

Priority Action Area 1: Smoke-Free environments

Priority Action Area 2: Continuous improvement and supporting innovation

Priority Action Area 3: Priority groups

Priority Action Area 4: Tackle illegal tobacco and the tobacco control legal framework

Priority Action Area 5: Working across the UK

Do you agree that these are the right priority action areas to focus the 2022-2024 delivery plan around?

[Yes, No, Partly]

Please explain why you consider the priority action areas are right or if you think a different approach is needed.

[Free text box]

**Question 7**

We have developed a number of actions within each priority action area. Do you feel these are the right ones?

[Yes, No, Partly]

Please explain why the actions are right or how they can be improved.

[Free text box]

**Question 8**

Do you think there are any key actions not captured in the priority action areas? If so, what would they be?

Please provide additional comments

[free text box]

**Question 9**

Do the strategy and delivery plan align with other relevant areas of policy and practice?

[Yes, No, Partly]

Please explain why it aligns well or outline how it could be made better.

[Free text box]

**Question 10**

We would like to know your views on the effects that *A Smoke-Free Wales: Our long term tobacco control strategy for Wales and Towards a Smoke-Free Wales: Tobacco Control Delivery Plan 2022-2024* would have on the Welsh language, specifically on opportunities for people to use Welsh and on treating the Welsh language no less favourably than English.

What effects do you think there would be?  How could positive effects be increased, or negative effects be mitigated?

[Free text box]

**Question 11**

Please also explain how you believe the proposed strategy and delivery plan could be formulated or changed so as to have positive effects or increased positive effects on opportunities for people to use the Welsh language and on treating the Welsh language no less favourably than the English language, and no adverse effects on opportunities for people to use the Welsh language and on treating the Welsh language no less favourably than the English language.

[Free text box]

**Question 12**:

We have asked a number of specific questions. If you have any related issues which we have not specifically addressed, please use this space to report them:

Please enter here:

[Free text box]

Responses to consultations are likely to be made public, on the internet or in a report.  If you would prefer your response to remain anonymous, please tick here: