

# Learning Disability Partnership Board

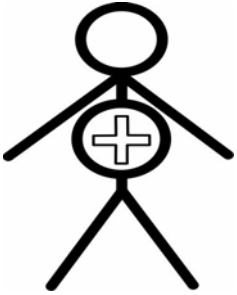
## Sub and Locality Group Monthly Update

### Keeping Safe



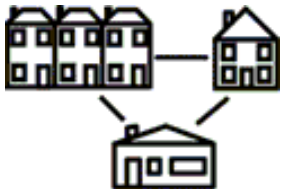
The group talked about Keep Safe Cards and how they are now going to be launched in 2 special schools in Leicestershire. If you would like to know more about this then please contact Mary Flynn on 0116 3057987. The group are also planning their first road show in Loughborough in June. We will let you know more details about this in the next update.

### Better Health



The group met in March and talked about how things are going with the Health Homes closure. We heard about a survey that the Community Health Services have been doing to find out what training staff needs to help them understand about equality and diversity. The Community Dental Service told us that they are making an easy read questionnaire to find out if the people who use the service had a good or bad service. The group will look at the questionnaire at a future meeting. The group also looked at the Health Check Leaflet, which is now done. The leaflet is to tell people with learning disabilities what happens at their annual health check.

### Housing






The group talked about the Housing Support Strategy. Mary who leads this group has written the new 5 year Housing Support Strategy and it is in it's first draft. Saeed Seedat came and talked to the group about the Joint Strategic Needs Assessment. This is about people from Health and Social Care working together to find out what everyone in Leicestershire needs. The group also talked about the work that was done at the away day on housing and what the key actions of that group would be.

### Family Carer's



Katrina Salou who is a Learning Disability Nurse from the University Hospitals in Leicester came to talk to the group about 'Make My Stay'. This is a scheme to make it better for people with learning disabilities when they have to go to Hospital. Tine Juhlert talked to the group about the Transport Policy and the consultation that is happening. The group looked at the new Carer's Impact Form and was given feedback on their comments from the last meeting. Also the questions and answers on Personalisation have been done and sent out.

<p><b>Harborough</b></p>  <p><b>Harborough Action Team</b></p>	<p>The team have had there 'Keep on Moving Event' at Harborough Leisure Centre. We had over 30 people that came and tried exercise like spinning and body combat. Some people tried the equipment at the gym like the treadmill and the weights.</p> <p>The team have now done all the things on their action plan and will be having their big planning meeting in May to choose a new chair person and to write a new action plan.</p>
<p><b>Melton</b></p> 	<p>At the groups last meeting they had lots of different people come. They were really pleased. They now always meet at the Edge Community Centre, Dalby Road, Melton and the meetings are on Friday lunchtime every 2 months.</p> <p>They are having a big planning meeting on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March to write their action plan and to work out how to get someone to chair their meetings. They want to have a day about using the leisure centre and to do some work on keeping safe.</p>
<p><b>Partnership Board</b></p> 	<p>The Board talked about the Commissioning Review and they agreed that a small group of Board members would meet with the Director of Adult and Communities to find out more about this.</p> <p>The group also talked about what the role of the Board should be before they start to look at who its members should be. The Board broke into 3 working groups and looked at the terms of references from other Boards all over the Country and the Department of Health Guidelines. This information was collected and draft terms of reference will be put together and looked at the next Board meeting.</p> <p>The Board was shown a presentation on Transitions and Person Centred Reviews.</p> <p>The Board also fed back about he Six Live Report that was sent out before the meeting.</p>

If you would like further information then speak to Keeley Smith on 0116 3058187 or visit [www.Betterlives.org.uk](http://www.Betterlives.org.uk).