### **Locality Empowerment Groups (LEGs)**

#### **Frequently Asked Questions**



### What are Locality Empowerment Groups?

Groups which will be made up of local people who have experience and knowledge about their community and who are interested in using their skills to help improve health and wellbeing within their community.



## How will the Locality Empowerment Groups work?

- They will be co-produced with local people asking how they want to be involved and what is required to enable them to participate
- Flexibility is key different days, times, and communication methods.
- It is envisioned the Locality Empowerment Groups will:
  - ➤ Identify health and wellbeing challenges within communities
  - Support the planning of health and social care priorities based upon the needs of the local population
  - Consider the opportunities available to meet these needs
  - Review how well local needs are being met



## Do people require specific skills to be involved?

- People do not require any specific skills. We are looking for people
   who are enthusiastic and motivated to make a difference.
- Where support is required, we will aim to provide this.



# Do the Locality Empowerment Groups report to anyone?

- To enable LEGs to work they need to be able to influence decisions, identify any barriers in their work or highlight successes. In order to do this, they will feed into a group called the Strategic Planning Group (SPG).
- The SPG can help remove obstacles or encourage collaboration to enable the upscaling of relevant activity across the City.



More information regarding the above can be found via this link - Locality Empowerment Group - Reporting



## What time commitment is required to get involved?

- We understand people have different commitments and therefore people can commit as much or as little time as they feel able.
- There will be a range of options for people getting involved both virtual and face to face (when COVID restrictions allow this to happen).



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