



Forum Central

Forum Central Glossary of Terms, Abbreviations & Acronyms

Acronym	Meaning	Definition/useful information
ABCD	Asset Based Community Development	A methodology for the sustainable development of communities based on their strengths and potentials
ALaDDIN	Autism and Learning Disability Digital Inclusion Network	A group of 20 third-sector organisations Leeds working to improve digital inclusion and participation for people with autism or learning disabilities
ASC	Adult Social Care	
BAME	Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic	
BLB	Better Lives Board	Brings together Leeds City Council's Adults and Health Directorate and people with lived experience of Health and Care support/services
BLM	Black Lives Matter	
CCG	Clinical Commissioning Group	A group of general practices (GPs) which come together in each area to commission the best services for their patients and population
CEV	Clinically Extremely Vulnerable	A cohort of people who are at high risk of severe illness from coronavirus and have been advised to shield at certain points of the pandemic to reduce their risk of catching the virus
CIC	Community Interest Company	A Third Sector organisation which is a social enterprise that uses profits and assets for the public good. CICs are intended to be easy to set up, with all the flexibility and certainty of the company form, but with some special features to ensure they are working for the benefit of the community.
CLASP	Citywide Anti Stigma Partnership	

CBMHR	Community Based Mental Health Reviews	
CMHT	Community Mental Health Teams	Support or treat people with mental illness in a community setting
CoI	Communities of Interest	Groups of people who share an identity, for example people with a learning disability, or those who share an experience, for example the homeless community
COMHAD	Co occurring Mental health/Drug And Alcohol Misuse	Previously known as Dual Diagnosis
CQC	Care Quality Commission	The independent regulator of all health and social care services in England
CYP	Children and Young People	
DAWN	Disability And Wellbeing Network	A group of staff at Leeds City Council promoting ability not disability
DGL	Doing Good Leeds	A website which acts as the Hub for the for the voluntary, community and social enterprise sector (third sector) in Leeds, operated by Voluntary Action Leeds
GP Confed	Leeds GP Confederation	This is a 'not for profit social enterprise,' working to improve the health of the people of Leeds by strengthening and sustaining primary care
FC	Forum Central	The collective voice for the health & social care third sector in Leeds
H&C	Health & Care	
H&SC	Health & Social Care	
HPoC	Harnessing the Power of Communities	West Yorkshire & Harrogate programme to establish relationships with communities built around good work on the co-production of services and care
HW	Healthwatch	Independent watchdog ensuring people's voices are at the heart of shaping health and care services in Leeds
IAPT	Increasing Access to Psychological Therapies	A national initiative, in Leeds now under Leeds Mental Wellbeing Service (see LMWMS below)
ICP	Integrated Care Pathways	Multidisciplinary outlines of anticipated care, placed in an appropriate timeframe, to help patients with a specific condition

ICS	Integrated Care System	Partnership that brings together providers and commissioners of NHS services across a geographical area with local authorities and other local partners, to collectively plan and integrate care to meet the needs of their population. Also referred to as WYH/WYHP regionally
IG	Information Governance	The overall strategy for information at an organisation
LCC	Leeds City Council	The local authority of the City of Leeds, West Yorkshire
LCF	Leeds Community Foundation	An organisation that supports thousands of charities and voluntary groups across the city by distributing grants and sharing advice
LCH	Leeds Community Healthcare	Provides a range of community-based health services across the Leeds area
LCP	Local Care Partnership	Leeds' model of joined-up working formed around Primary Care Networks to improve health and care delivery to local people, working in and with local communities. We have 19 across Leeds
LD	Learning Disability	
LeDeR	Learning Disability Mortality Review	National programme aimed at making improvements to the lives of people with learning disabilities
LFP	Leeds Frailty Partnership	
LGBT, LGBT+, LGBTQ	Lesbian Gay Bisexual Trans, 'plus' (referencing that there are many other identities within the community), Queer/Questioning	
LIP	Leeds Involving People	Leeds Organisation set up to support service user and carer involvement in planning community care services
LL	Linking Leeds	Leeds' Social Prescribing Service commissioned from the Third Sector by the CCG
LMWBS	Leeds Mental Wellbeing Service	A joint service between NHS partners and third sector organisations providing support and psychological therapies for mental health problems. Formerly known as IAPT (see above)

LOOP	Leeds Open Online Platform	A single source of accurate, up to date and trusted information about health, care and wellbeing, shared with directories, websites and applications across Leeds
LOPF	Leeds Older People's Forum	The network of voluntary sector organisations and individuals working with older people across Leeds, including the Neighbourhood Network Schemes. Part of the Forum Central partnership
LSSPG	Leeds Strategic Suicide Prevention Group	
LTC	Long-Term Conditions	
LTHT	Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust	Provides healthcare and specialist services for people from Leeds, Yorkshire and the Humber and beyond; spread over seven hospitals and medical facilities including St James' and LGI
LWL	Live Well Leeds	Community Based Mental Health Service
LYPFT	Leeds and York Partnership Foundation Trust	Secondary Providers of mental health and learning disabilities services in Leeds
MAP	Migrant Access Project	A citizen-led initiative to build relationships between newly arrived migrants and service providers in Leeds
MDT	Multi Disciplinary Team	
MH	Mental Health	
MHPB	Mental Health Partnership Board	
NHS	National Health Service	
NHSE	National Health Service England	
NICE	National Institute for Health and Care Excellence	Provides national guidance and advice to improve health and social care
NIHR	National Institute for Health Research	A United Kingdom government agency which funds research into health and care
NN, NNS	Neighbourhood Networks, Neighbourhood	The Leeds model of voluntary sector organisations supporting older people covering the whole city; sometimes referred to as good

	Network Scheme	neighbours schemes
OP	Older People	
PCN	Primary Care Network	The new way for local health services to work together to treat populations of around 30-50,000. The networks provide the structure and funding for services to be developed locally, in response to the needs of the patients they serve
PCWBS	Primary Care Wellbeing Service	
PEG	Leeds Health and Care Partnership Executive Group	Group of the Leeds Health and Wellbeing Board
PH	Public Health	
PH LCC	Public Health Leeds City Council	
PHM	Population Health Management	A patient centric, data driven approach to improving the health of a population
PHRC	Public Health Resource Centre	Offers support to anyone with a responsibility for or professional interest in public health or promoting health and wellbeing in Leeds
PID	Project Initiation Document	
PLWD	People Living with Dementia	
PPI	Patient Participation and Involvement	
PSI	Physical and Sensory Impairment	
PVG	People's Voices Group	Set up by the Leeds Health and Wellbeing Board to help improve engagement across the City with health and care organisations, coordinated by Healthwatch
SEYH	Social Enterprise Yorkshire and the Humber	The membership organisation of social enterprises or associates with an interest in the sector for Yorkshire and the Humber
SoF	Shaping Our Future	Leeds CCG's programme developed in response to the national and local direction of travel towards more strategic commissioning for population outcomes
SRO	Senior Responsible Officer	
TNLCF	The National Lottery	

	Community Fund	
TOR	Terms of Reference	Define the purpose and structures of a project, committee, meeting, negotiation, or any similar collection of people who have agreed to work together to accomplish a shared goal
TS	Third Sector	A term used to refer to charities, social enterprises and voluntary groups. Also known as voluntary or not for profit sector
TSL	Third Sector Leeds	An alliance that promotes, represents and advocates for the Third Sector in Leeds
TSL	Targeted Services Leader (in Cluster Services context)	Clusters are groups of professionals (schools, social workers, housing etc.) who coordinate services for families in their local areas. Each cluster has a Targeted Services Leader, who makes sure clusters work together and young people and families can access their services effectively
TSO's	Third Sector Organisations	Organisations working in the Third Sector (see above)
TTS	Time To Shine	The National Lottery Community Fund programme aiming to reduce social isolation and loneliness amongst older people in Leeds, led by Leeds Older People's Forum
VAL	Voluntary Action Leeds	The Leeds-wide infrastructure charity that supports 3k different not for profit organisations. VAL supports communities by helping people and organisations that do good in Leeds
VCSE	Voluntary, Community and Social Enterprise Sector	Also referred to as the Third Sector
WYH	West Yorkshire and Harrogate Level	Also referred to as ICS (see above)
WYHCP, WY&H H&CP	West Yorkshire (and Harrogate) Health and Care Partnership	A partnership of organisations working together to plan health and care services across the region