

Dear Communities of Interest network, here's this week's email of updates and resources for you to use, and please do also share with the other organisations in your network.

[This page](#) provides the latest advice and guidance from the Leeds Public Health team, and signposts you to the relevant local services and resources.

Vaccination Minibus this week

The NHS continues to run the largest vaccination programme in its history, to support this we are using a vaccination minibus to increase vaccination uptake in various areas across Leeds.

Next week the vaccination minibus will be at **Nowell Mount Community Centre, Nowell Mount, Harehills, LS9 6HR** on **Tuesday 6 April to Friday 9 April from 10am – 3pm** [You can find the flyer here.](#)

Shielding Paused - CEV Transition Roadmap

Over 30,000 Leeds residents have been on the shielding list for over a year, 55,000 people are currently classed as clinically extremely vulnerable (CEV) and at some point in the last 12 months, 71,778 people in Leeds have been advised to shield at home for an extended period. Advice for Clinically Extremely Vulnerable (CEV) people from 1st April 2021 [1st April can be found here](#)

On the 1st April the Leeds Shielding Team shared a CEV transition roadmap for the next 6 months [which you can find here.](#)

We have **some funding** to support achieving the outcomes over the **next 6 months** – and want to target this as effectively as possible.

Therefore [the template here](#) is asking 2 key questions:

- what is ALREADY IN PLACE that meets these outcomes
- what might you BE INTERESTED in doing to meet these outcomes

Please complete the form and return to covid.partners@leeds.gov.uk before **Monday 12th April**.

Completing this will really help us to signpost people to the right support for them, or where to prioritise investing in the right transition support. Our aim is that this will ensure that no service is inundated with requests they can't handle – and to make sure that people get the right support at the right time in the right way.

Restarting Community Activities

This guidance has been developed to support organisations who are considering options for restarting activities. The document sets out a summary of official guidance, policy and requirements, and a series of case studies gathered from third sector organisations in Leeds to help provide practical examples and ideas.

The guide [which can be found here](#) is divided into sections so that key considerations are included per topic and link to relevant websites to help you implement the changes safely if you decide to restart services. The guidance has been developed with older people's organisations in the community however the information and principles could be useful for other settings as well.

This document supports organisations considering options and restarting activities in the community by giving a brief summary of official guidance, policy and requirements, and examples from third sector organisations in Leeds. Although it focusses on best practice from Older Peoples organisations it might be helpful for others to use.

Please be aware – information was correct at the time of writing and does not supersede any legal/government guidance or restrictions

Guidance on [working safely](#), [safer travel](#), [transport to school and college](#), [small marriages and civil partnerships](#), [getting help with daily activities outside the home](#), [safer public spaces](#) and [managing playgrounds and outdoor gyms](#) have been updated.

Sport England have published [guidance and FAQs](#) on sport and exercise from 29 March.

Health & Care Leaders Network - Call out for new members!

About

- Launched Summer 2016
- Comprised of leaders (Chief Executives and senior managers), who represent Forum Central member organisations, delivering Health and Social Care services in Leeds.
- Meets approx every 8 weeks in an accessible venue (and on Zoom currently).

Aims

- Identifying, sharing and promoting good practice across the third sector.
- Making strong and positive connections across all sectors to encourage sharing of ideas, views and understanding.

- Providing a safe space where leaders can meet to challenge the way in which services are delivered and explore new and collaborative delivery options.
- Providing the latest information on emerging local and national health and social care agendas and issues, including policy briefings and guest speakers.
- Being responsive to leaders' needs.
- Developing an atmosphere of trust, respect and mutuality.

To find out more about membership of the network, look to the [Forum Central website](#) for more info or contact us on hello@forumcentral.org.uk

Many thanks

Stacey on behalf of the Forum Central team