





Healthier in Partnership – VCSE sector and the STP working together

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Proposed Statement of Intent

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We agree that improving the health and wellbeing of local people can be best achieved by strengthening the connections between the health system, wider public sector services and the voluntary and community sector. Joined up care is better for everyone.

As partners in supporting health and wellbeing we agree to:

- Invest in building collaborative relationships at all levels of the system
- Promote and value system leadership
- Integrate at different levels of the system, building up from places and neighbourhoods
- Build governance in a way that supports delivery
- Listen to and learn from people's experiences
- Work together to develop strategies that include different and new ways of working
- Build robust evaluation into the work we do
- Always look beyond the health and care system to improve population health

[signatories to this Statement of Intent]

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