



East Riding of Yorkshire
Learning Disability Partnership Board
28 January 2026
11am - 2:30pm



<p>Agenda</p> 	<p>Meeting discussion...</p> 	<p>Actions</p>  <p>Who?</p>
	<p>Welcome from our Chair and Co-Chairs... Tom, Paul and our expert Conrad</p>	
	<p>Who came? Tom Denham, Strategic Lead, Adult Specialist Services Paul our Co-Chair Anna our Co-Chair Conrad one of our Experts Peter Measures, Co-Production Lead (Chair) Trish (Patricia) LeGrove, Project Officer Rachel Benton - Team Leader, Millers... Kev (Kevin) Wright, Expert - Lived Experience Cara Petch, Service Manager - Learning Disability, Autism, Prisons and MAPPA Dave Marsland, Lecturer in Social Work and Parent Gary Ansell, ERYC Transport and Parent / carer Emma Smith, Director of Adult Specialist Services Natalie Sweeting, Strategic Lead for Accommodation and Housing Related Support Sophie Watkinson, Lung Cancer Screening Kate and Jill, EYPCF (East Yorkshrie Parent Carer Forum and carers)</p>	
	<p>Library Corner / shared by email Minutes from last meeting These are being shared with this set of minutes.</p> <p>Presentation copies -Housing -Lung cancer screening</p> <p>Good Lives Framework - easy read, final and plain English versions The Good Lives Framework is being shared. It talks about what is important for people with a learning disability.</p>	<p>Ask Trish for information or copies</p>

	<p>The framework has 7 chapters:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Home -Communication - The Right Support -Support -Love -Voice -Employment -Health <p>Stop Smoking Service Information will be sent out. We didn't have time to talk about all of these but if anyone has any questions please ask Trish.</p>	
    	<p>ACTIONS UPDATE FROM 2025</p> <p>Peter:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Find out where we can get the new Yale keys for the Bridlington accessible toilets and confirm the new access arrangements. - Contact Jeremy at St. Annes and the representative at Riverside to invite specialist schools to the Partnership Board meetings. - Review and clarify the criteria for travel training for young people (especially those under 18) and update stakeholders. - Add information about Stagecoach's Journey Assistance Cards to relevant council and partnership websites to improve awareness. <p>Trish:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Add the list of Radar toilets and Changing Places facilities to the council website and Our Place. <p>Gary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Produce easy-read and accessible information about bus passes, who is eligible, and how to apply. Share this with the Local Offer, East Riding and Our Place. <p>Partnership Board / Speak Up</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Create and share a Word template for medical professionals to support applications for the companion element of disabled bus passes, ensuring clarity for applicants and doctors. 	<p>Peter</p> <p>Trish</p> <p>Gary</p> <p>Board & Speak Up</p>



Issues raised in the meeting

- There is **not enough respite** for young adults leaving school.
When they are in school, they get regular respite. When they move to adult services, it often stops.
- People who want to live independently need to speak to their **Social Worker**.
But not everyone has one, and getting a Social Worker can take time.

Place to Live Subgroup

Natalie will chair the 'Place to Live' subgroup.

This group will set actions for the next 5 years.

She needs:

- a Co-Chair
- more people to join the group

Would you like to join?

ACTIONS

- **Everyone** - think about joining the A Place to Live subgroup.
- **Natalie** - talk about the problems with getting people a Social Worker.
- **Tom / Natalie / Cara** - Look into respite problems for young adults.
- **Trish** - send out information about the 'A Place to Live theme'
- **Natalie** - Create a housing framework in May / June

Everyone

Natalie

Tom,
Nat, Cara
Trish

Natalie



Lung Cancer Screening Programme Accessibility Project, Sophie Watkinson

Sophie talked to us about the Lung Cancer Screening Programme.

She wants to help more people take part in the screening, especially people with learning disabilities.

Here is what she told us:

- The screening is for adults aged **55-74** who **smoke or used to smoke**.
- A trained nurse will first do a **telephone assessment**.



   	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If someone is at higher risk, they will be invited for a CT scan at the Lung Cancer Screening Unit. • Sophie shared a video made with adults with learning disabilities and nurses from the Community Team for Learning Disabilities (CTLD) <p>Sophie asked for our ideas on how to make the video better.</p> <p>People said:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The video is quite long - smaller sections would help • A pictorial (picture-based) guide to go with the video would be helpful. • It could be talked about at the Annual Health Check. • Adding signing, like Makaton, would make it more accessible. <p>ACTIONS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trish - share the video with the board and colleagues for feedback • Everyone send your ideas to Trish by 28 February • Trish - share the video with Our Place to gather more feedback 	<p>Trish</p> <p>Everyone</p> <p>Trish</p>
 	<p>The BIG PLAN and Emma's introduction</p> <p>Emma introduced herself as the new Chair of the Board.</p> <p>She explained that she wants the Board to work closely with as many people as possible.</p> <p>Not just in big meetings, but also in small, informal meetings.</p> <p>She said:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We need to build links with people in our local areas to understand the challenges they face. • We need to listen to everyone, including people who cannot communicate verbally. • We need to understand what people are telling us and check whether we are making progress and doing the right things. • She will meet with the co-chairs regularly to talk about the Board and future plans. 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • She has shared our BIG PLAN with the Overview and Scrutiny Committee and local councillors. They said it was amazing. • The councillors want us to come back in the future to share <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • what is working well • what challenges we are facing • where they can help • Parent / Carer representatives told the Board that respite for young adults leaving school is a big problem, <p>ACTIONS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emma to arrange a meeting with the co-chairs outside of the main Board meetings. 	<p>Emma</p>
  	<p>SPEAK UP GROUP - FEEDBACK, Peter</p> <p>Housing The group talked about Housing problems. They shared a slide they made about these issues.</p> <p>Ed visited from <i>GIG Buddies</i> and <i>Nice Twice</i>.</p> <p>GIG Buddies <i>Gig Buddies</i> match a person with a volunteer "buddy".</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The buddy can go with them to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Gigs - Concerts - or simple social events like going to the pub • Buddies do not charge any money. • Many buddies have a car and can claim petrol money so travel is usually free <p>Nice Twice Nice Twice is a group who visit places to check:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Accessibility - Quality - if the venue is welcoming <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • They visit the place twice to make sure it is genuinely good. 	



Safe Places

Safe Places are places that have agreed to help someone who:

- feels scared
- feels worried
- thinks they are at risk

The group said the Safe Places scheme works well in **Howden**, but we need it in all **areas**.

- A **live list** of Safe Places is needed.
- They could also link Safe Places to **breast-feeding friendly venues**, as these are already known and mapped.



Coproduction Budget

- It has taken a long time but there is now a budget
- It can pay **Experts by Experience** for coming to meetings.
- This includes money for **travel** and **refreshments**.
- It should **not affect benefits**, unless someone is paid for **a lot of activities in the same week**.
- It will be used for **Room Hire**

ACTIONS

- **Trish**- share the application link for **GIG Buddies**.
- **Peter** - share the Housing slides with the subgroup / Natalie.
- **EYPCF** - will share the advertiser flyers that Peter and Paul have been sharing.

Trish
Peter

EYPCF



What is Oliver McGowan Training?

The Oliver McGowan Training helps people understand **learning disability** and **autism**.

It teaches staff how to support people better.

The training is for people working in **health and social care** in England.

Tier 1 - Online Training

- This is the **first level** of training.
- It is **online** and **free**.
- Anyone in health and care can do it.
- You can find it here: <https://www.e-lfh.org.uk/programmes/the-oliver-mcgowan-mandatory-training-on-learning-disability-and-autism/>





This course helps staff learn how to support:

- people with a learning disability
- autistic people

Tier 2 - Face-to-Face Training

- This is the **second level**.
- It is taught **in person**.
- Some of our **Co-chairs** help deliver this training.

At the moment, it is for:

- Health staff
- Care staff

There are talks about whether other groups may join in future, such as:

- Police
- Prison services
- Shop staff



BIG PLAN - SUBGROUPS

What is the BIG PLAN?

- The BIG PLAN will take **5 years** to complete (2026-2031)
- It tells us what we want to improve in people's lives.
- To help make the plan happen, we have created **subgroups**.

What are Subgroups?

- Subgroups are **small working groups**.
- Each subgroup will meet **every 2 months**, between the Partnership Board Meetings.
- They will decide:
 - what they want to do
 - what they have achieved
 - what they still need to finish
- Each subgroup needs **at least 7 people**
- If you want to join a subgroup, please **tell Trish**



The Subgroups

1. A Place to Live

Helps make sure people have safe and suitable homes.

 <p>Wellbeing</p>  <p>Community Life</p>    	<p>2. Being Healthy - Mind and Body Focuses on physical health and mental wellbeing.</p> <p>3. Community which involves everyone & Being Safe Helps people feel welcome, included and safe in their communities.</p> <p>4. What I do during the day & the Right Support for Carers Looks at daytime activities, work, volunteering, and support for carers.</p> <p>5. Life changes Supports people at important times in life, like leaving school or moving home.</p> <p>6. Voice Makes sure people are listened to and can speak up about what matters to them.</p> <p>These subgroup areas will be the HOT TOPICS for each Partnership Board Meeting.</p> <p>ACTIONS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trish will share the lists for each subgroup. • Please tell her: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - which subgroup you want to join - if you want to be a co-chair or chair - if you have ideas about who else should join 	<p>Trish</p> <p>Everyone</p>
	<p>Anything anyone wants to say, ask or share? (AOB)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This is the time for anyone to speak, share an idea or ask a question. • Everyone is welcome to say what is on their mind. <p>You can:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - share your thoughts - give feedback - talk about something important - ask for help or support - tell us about a good idea 	<p>Everyone</p>

