



Lancashire Care
NHS Foundation Trust

Co-production with the VCFSE

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Excellence

| Accountability

| Respect

| Teamwork

| Integrity

| Compassion

What is Lancashire Care



Trust Facts and Overview



VSCFSE role to support our services in West Lancashire

We need to work with the VCFSE – significant role in driving improvement in local service delivery because :

- You have direct experience; - are located within communities;
- Responsive to the needs of service users; - and can innovate.
- Can improve services, and influence local model based on need.

Engaging West Lancashire communities



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- **Supporting Carers-** New ways to be found to support carers, by working with voluntary organisations and provide better support
- **Encouraging community volunteering-** Develop new roles for volunteers which could include family and carer liaison workers, educating people , mental health help line
- **Stronger partnerships with charitable and voluntary sector organisations-** LCFT will try to reduce the time and complexity associated with securing local NHS funding by developing the VCFSE
- **The NHS as a local employer-** LCFT is committed to ensuring that boards and the leadership of NHS organisations better reflect the diversity of local communities they serve. As an employer to ensure all staff have support and opportunities to progress and create supported job opportunities to 'experts by experience' e.g. people with learning disabilities who can help drive changes in culture and services in West Lancashire

Why Co-production?

- Maximize and demonstrate impact
- Build sustainability and capacity across West Lancashire
- Promote equality and address health inequalities
- Engagement and identification of local assets and need
- Build on the strengths of the VCFSE

Some of our existing contracts with the Wider Sector



Co-Production is working together

Coproduction is a term we frequently hear and use.

If we stop to examine the way we work in every interaction and every conversation, do we truly recognise everyone's assets, engage in mutually respectful and beneficial relationships and actively endeavour to reduce traditional power imbalances?

What have we done to date in West Lancashire

- Invested in Birchwood £110k
- Queenscourt Hospice £330k
- Community Restart – Making Space £100K – funded by LCC but working in partnership
- Community Restart – Microfunded PULSE Community Centre & organised social enterprise advice
- Workshops to co-produce delivery IAPT currently identified Relate to support delivery

Some of our wider plans

- Recovery and Resilience
- Supporting and growing local enterprises
- Soup concept supporting small pilots
- Looking at alternative delivery models with the sector
- Development of Peer Support workers and volunteer roles

Commissioner and Provider Workshops

What does good collaboration look like? (10 mins)

- What should it achieve?
- What should be the impact?

How do we make collaboration happen? (10 mins)

- How do we build those relationships?
- What ideas do you have to improve collaboration? Specific ideas welcome

What would you like LCFT to undertake to support the VCFSE in West Lancashire for Mental Health ? (10 mins)