



Partnership Board minutes Tuesday 22nd November 2016

	<p>Attendance</p> <p>Who came to the meeting</p>
<p>David Bean Marie O’Sullivan Cllr Ron Oxby John Gurney Wendy Adams Lorraine Abbott Mick Skipworth Amanda Bailey Sue Ellis Wendy Farrow Sue Garratt Hazel Nobel Karen Slack Mark Robertson Clive Yates Dawn McTamney Alison Little Terry Vine Rob Barber Stacey Tutty Anne Marie Gregory Barbara Simpson</p>	<p>FocusAbility VoiceAbility Lincolnshire County Council Co-Chair County Carers County Carers Self- Advocate Lincolnshire County Council Just Lincolnshire Just Lincolnshire Linkage Lincolnshire Partnership Foundation Trust Lincolnshire County Council Lincolnshire County Council Self-Advocate Carers First Home from Home Care Thera Lincolnshire West CCG Lincolnshire County Council Lincoln College South West Lincolnshire CCG Lincolnshire County Council</p>



Apologies

Who could not come to the meeting:
Richard Collins, Sharon Jeffreys,
Jo Minchin, Pat Eastwood, Jenny
Howitt, Rebecca Eccles,
James Bell, Justin
Hackney, Tim Barzycki,
David Sheardown and Anthony Spiers



Minutes from the last meeting

The minutes were looked at and agreed.



Feedback from the self-advocates and the Working Groups

David and Lorraine gave feedback from the following Working Groups:

- Staying Safe
- Healthy Lifestyles
- Services and Involvement

And feedback from groups they had visited across the county.

Presentation attached.

They also shared news from the National Forum of People with Learning Disabilities. The National Forum is made up of people with learning disabilities who are elected from all 9 regions of England. They work with the Government and National organisations to make sure the voices of people with learning disabilities are heard.





The Department of Health has decided to cut the funding they give to the Forum in March 2017. People are very upset about this. They have started a petition to stop this decision.

Action Marie to send out information links to the petition.

<https://you.38degrees.org.uk/petitions/novoice>



Transforming Care Update

Anne-Marie Gregory introduced herself, she is the new Transforming Care Project Manager.

Anne-Marie showed a short film 'Martins Story' which told how the work of the Transforming Care programme had meant Martin could now live happily and successfully in his local community.

If you click on the link below you can watch the film.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VC1kQUkVUzM>



Anne-Marie also gave out draft copies of the Transforming Care Plan for Lincolnshire. She asked the Board's permission for this to go on the website while they still collect feedback on the document. Everyone agreed to this.



The Healthy Lifestyles Working Group has already given feedback. If anyone else wants to give further feedback you can see the draft plan on the link below.

<https://southwestlincolnshireccg.nhs.uk/about-us/transforming-care-in-lincolnshire>

send feedback to

annemarie.gregory@southwestlincolnshireccg.nhs.uk

Lorraine let everyone know she was successful in getting the Expert by Experience Job with the Transforming Care Team. She will be sharing this role with one other person and will start soon.

We said well done to Lorraine.



Developing the work of the Partnership Board Barbara Simpson

Barbara explained that she has been asked by Justin Hackney, Assistant Director in Adult Care, to do some work reviewing the Partnership Board.

She has met with some people already to ask for ideas on how to develop the work of the Board.



She asked the following questions:

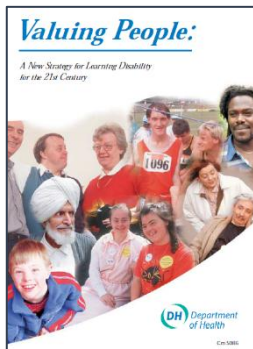
- What do you think works well?
- What do you think would make the Partnership Board better?
- What sort of things should be talked about at the meetings?
- Should there be a plan of work each year?

Barbara would like people to contact her to share their ideas.

Phone 07939265782

Email bsimpson.ltd@gmail.co

She will write a report on what she has found out and share this with us.



Building on our strengths in the community

Mick reminded us that Partnership Boards were set up following the Valuing People Report in 2001. This said it wanted to make sure Partnership Boards made a difference to the lives of people with learning disabilities. It introduced ideas of choice and people having control of their own support.



The Lincolnshire Partnership Board has done lots of work since Valuing People was published, it has also struggled to keep going. It now needs to look again at what it is doing and how it will work.






The Care Act 2014 brought about big changes. Now when the local authority are doing an assessments they must think about people's strengths and informal support as well as their needs and the risks they face.

As a Partnership Board we need to be:



- Supporting people to work in partnership with services, based on what they can do - this is their strengths

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enabling people to co-produce services • Get a better balance between services and community and between professionals and other members <p>We work in small groups to look at the following questions.</p>
  	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What strengths do you think people with learning disabilities and carers might have? 2. Which people, groups and networks (not paid staff) are important to people with learning disabilities and carers? 3. How could the Partnership Board help people raise issues and suggest ideas from their own networks and groups? <p>Feedback from the questions is attached.</p> <p>We need to talk about these things again to help everyone understand what they mean.</p>



Feedback from the ICE Event

Wendy told everyone about the ICE Event and the Count Me in Conference at Skegness Butlins in September.
Presentation attached to the minutes.



Any Other Business

1. Clive told everyone about 4 workshops being organised by Carers First across the county. These were on 25th November. **Action** Marie to send out information.
2. David let us know he has now updated the Partnership Board website www.lincs2life.org.uk



Date of next meeting

Tuesday 7th March 10.30 -1.00 pm
At Bishop Grosseteste University LN1
3DY

