



**Information about  
DUNDEE HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE  
STRATEGIC AND COMMISSIONING PLAN**

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**2016 – 2021**

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**Dundee Health and Social Care Partnership (DHSCP) is made up of parts of Dundee City Council and parts of NHS Tayside.**

**The Dundee Health and Social Care Partnership wrote their Strategic and Commissioning Plan in 2016.**

The Plan was made in partnership with staff who work in the 3rd Sector (including Charities) and Independent Sector (including private businesses), patients, service users and their carers.

The Plan will help staff in Health and Social Care work in partnership with you and in a joined up way.

Integration means that staff will work even more closely together to give people the right help at the right time.

## **The Vision for the DHSCP Plan is:**

**Each citizen of Dundee will have access to the information and support that they need to live a fulfilled life.**

The Plan has been written so that you, and the people you care about, will be given information and help to have the life you want.

When making the Plan some important things had to be considered.

### **These things were:**

- what local people said
- what staff and other local partners said
- what the government wants to happen
- information about the health and social care needs of people who live in Dundee.

People who use Health and Social Care Services and Supports have been working with DHSCP to make the best plan. This is called co-production.

The Plan says how this co-production will continue in the next five years.

The DHSCP has been working with other important partnerships in Dundee and will keep working with them.

**These other partnerships include:**

- Children and Families
- Community Planning
- Community Justice
- Public Protection

There is a committee called the Integration Joint Board who will make sure the Plan is carried out.

The Plan says how the Integration Joint Board and others will know if it is making a difference.

**The plan has 8 priority areas which are:**

1. **Health Inequalities** - these actions are about stopping unfair differences between people's health.
2. **Early Intervention/Prevention** - these actions will help support people early to stop them getting worse.
3. **Person Centred Care and Support** - this will help DHSCP provide support that people want and need.
4. **Carers** - these actions will help people who give care and support to family and friends.
5. **Localities and Engaging with Communities** - these actions will help DHSCP to make services closer to people's homes.
6. **Building Capacity** - these actions will support local people to develop and build better communities.
7. **Models of Support/Pathways of Care** - this is about how services and supports are delivered.
8. **Managing our Resources Effectively** - this is about getting the best value for money.

## How will this work?

There will be 4 Health and Social Care 'localities' in Dundee.

Services and supports will become more person centred. Individuals will be offered more choice about their care plan, their supports and their services.

Specialist services will be provided closer to each individual's home, when possible, to help people get the right support at the right time.

There are some other documents that give more details about different parts of the Plan.

### **These include:**

- Information about how the DHSCP will promote equality and fairness.
- More detailed information about the numbers of people who live in Dundee and their needs.
- Plans to help more people get the right house or place to stay in Dundee.
- Plans about learning and development opportunities to make sure people get the best service.

Further information will be shared  
to let you know what is happening about the DHSCP Plan.

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