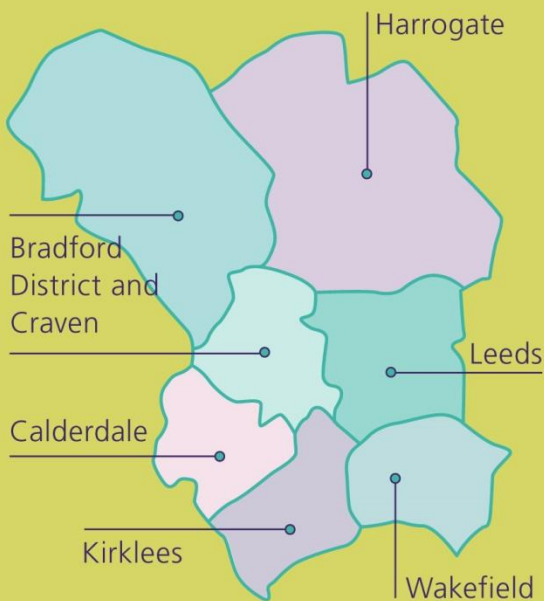


Telling our Partnership story



Proud to be the West Yorkshire and Harrogate Health and Care Partnership

Committed to improving the health and wellbeing of people living in:



- > Working to improve people's health with and for them
- > Improving people's experience of healthcare
- > Making every penny in the pound count
- > Working to keep people well and make life better for 2.7 million people living in West Yorkshire and Harrogate.

West Yorkshire and Harrogate Health and Care Partnership



Health Inequalities Fund: helping communities tackle the effects of Covid-19

Our ambition

Over £500,000 of funds has been made available to voluntary and community organisations to help tackle the impact on people's health affected by Covid-19.

We are supporting innovative and sustainable community projects for people who are worst affected by the impact of the pandemic.

Voluntary and community organisations were invited to apply for up to £50,000 of grant funding, with six grants worth between £25,000 and £50,000, and six grants worth up to £25,000 being awarded.

The aim is to share good practice across the six Places in West Yorkshire and Harrogate.

What we are doing

This is the latest allocation of funding we are making available to voluntary and community organisations through the Partnership.

It comes at a time when their work can help support people who were already subject to significant inequality, that Covid-19 will risk making worse.

Having a strong partnership with the third sector helps get money out and delivery happening where it is needed most.

The primary aim of the fund is to reduce the impact on health outcomes for population groups who are likely to be disproportionately affected by Covid-19.



What next?

We will share the best learning from the projects we have supported through the Health Inequalities Fund to make sure that our VCS partners can continue to address health inequalities and enhance their already vital work in place.

Robin Tuddenham, CEO for Calderdale Council and Co-Chair of the West Yorkshire and Harrogate Health and Care Partnership Improving Population Health Programme said:

"We were delighted to receive so many quality applications from so many wonderful voluntary and community sector organisations in West Yorkshire and Harrogate. This represents one of the ways in which we will support local services respond to the impact of Covid-19, supporting resilience within our communities in partnership with our innovative and creative voluntary and community sector."



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