

Annex Two

Community Impact Assessment for the Development of a Specialist Activity Base for Adults with a learning disability and/or Autism alongside a Community Hub at Burton Stone Community Centre

Community Impact Assessment: Summary

1. Name of service, policy, function or criteria being assessed:

Development of a Specialist Activity Base for adults with a learning disability and/or autism alongside a Community Hub at Burton Stone Community Centre.

2. What are the main objectives or aims of the service/policy/function/criteria?

The model

The main objective is to create a vibrant community asset by enhancing the facility and ensuring current community use is developed alongside the activities which focus on delivering services for adults with a learning disability and/or autism. There is a clear strategy to achieve integrated opportunities and community connections.

The Service

Burton Stone Community Centre will be a fully integrated community hub, with the Specialist Activity Base enhancing the Centre.

Health and Wellbeing wish to develop and enhance the current offer at Burton Stone Community Centre for adults with a learning disability and/or autism. This will benefit those who already access Burton Stone Community Centre as part of their day activity experiences, as well extending the opportunity for other adults with a learning disability and/or autism to access activities taking place at the Centre.

As well as being a place for adults with a learning disability and/or autism, we envisage the Specialist Activity Base to be a local resource for the community providing support, education and training as well as promoting inclusiveness and encouraging social responsibility. It will also include a 'safe place' for those with complex Autism. The space will incorporate a sensory room, changing place and storage area in order to facilitate more bespoke activities as well as individuals integrating with other education and leisure activities more widely as part of their daily lives.

In York, one of our five priorities is 'Building Strong Communities' with the emphasis on helping communities to become more independent and involving them more in making decisions about the services they need. To help facilitate this, the Council wants to create an infrastructure that will encourage every community to come together through a network of hubs of which Burton Stone Community Centre will be one.

3. Name and Job Title of person completing assessment:

Katie Brown, Commissioning Manager, Health & Wellbeing

4. Have any impacts been Identified? (Yes/No)

Yes

Community of Identity affected:

All

Summary of impact:

This model meets the recommendations of the engagement process and ensures that BSCC is available for the Specialist Activity Base and for use by the local community. This model will increase community use and as BSCC will have an increased focus on advertising local community use of the building may be further increased.

A comprehensive communication and information plan will be put in place to ensure new and existing customers of the Specialist Activities Base and the wider community using the Community Hub understand the availability of services, room hire and opportunities available within BSCC.

5. Date CIA completed:

6. Signed off by:

7. I am satisfied that this service/policy/function has been successfully impact assessed.

Name:

Position:

Date:

8. Decision-making body:

Date:

Decision Details:

Send the completed signed off document to equalities@york.gov.uk. It will be published on the intranet, as well as on the council website.

Actions arising from the Assessments will be logged on Verto and progress updates will be required

Community Impact Assessment (CIA)

Community Impact Assessment Title:

Development of a Specialist Activity Base for adults with a learning disability and/or autism alongside a Community Hub at Burton Stone Community Centre.

What evidence is available **to suggest that the proposed service, policy, function or criteria could have a negative (N), positive (P) or no (None) effect** on quality of life outcomes? (Refer to guidance for further details)

Can negative impacts be justified? **For example: improving community cohesion; complying with other legislation or enforcement duties; taking positive action to address imbalances or under-representation; needing to target a particular community or group e.g. older people.** NB. Lack of financial resources alone is NOT justification!

Community of Identity: Age

Evidence	Quality of Life Indicators	Customer Impact (N/P/None)	Staff Impact (N/P/None)
The Council has consulted with current users, the community and adults with a learning disability and their families on these proposed changes. These changes have been widely seen as positive. The consultation process has enabled us to find out what is important to the people that use the centre and what could be done to help improve the centre as this project is moved forward.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Access to services and employment • Health • Education • Individual, family and social life • Participation, influence and voice • Identity, expression and self respect 	Positive	None

<p>Currently BSCC is largely used by groups coming into the area to use facility. In 2011 Clifton Ward's population was 13,548 or 6.8% of York's total population. 36.7% were under the age of 25, and 12.5% were over 65 (Census 2011).The new Community Hub will focus on improving community integration and cohesion and work on improving engagement and use of the Hub by the immediate community surrounding the Hub.</p> <p>As BSCC is currently under used there will be a focus on encouraging more use of the building by all age groups.</p>				
Details of Impact	<i>Can negative impacts be justified?</i>	Reason/Action	Lead Officer	Completion Date
<p>Staff: There is not expected to be any positive or negative impact.</p> <p>Customers:- there may be a change to some of the current session times, but where possible timetables will remain the same.</p>		<p>Customers: This model meets the recommendations of the engagement and consultation process and ensures that BSCC remains open and available for local community use.</p> <p>This new model will build community</p>		

	<p>capacity and empower the community to be involved in BSCC's development.</p> <p>Through these changes to BSCC there will be increased information about what is happening at the Centre which will promote positive relationships between all the different user groups.</p> <p>There will be ongoing consultation across all user groups.</p> <p>Burton Stone Community Centre is for the use of the whole community regardless of age. The proposal for BSCC would have no impact on either the users of the Specialist Activity Base or the Community Hub on the basis of age.</p> <p>There may be a perception by current community users that there is an impact as to when areas of the building can be used as priority will be given to the Specialist Activity Base however the new</p>		
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		<p>provider will work with all users of the new Community Hub to try and accommodate groups where possible and offer alternative times / rooms.</p> <p>As use of the Community Hub increases access may be improved with clear, honest, timely and relevant communications to customers. There will be a planned and sustained approach to communication and marketing to support the delivery of services at BSCC.</p>		
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Community of Identity: Carers of Older or Disabled People

Evidence	Quality of Life Indicators	Customer Impact (N/P/None)	Staff Impact (N/P/None)
<p>The development of a Specialist Activity Base for adults with a learning disability and/or autism alongside a Community Hub at Burton Stone Community Centre is to ensure that BSCC remains open for both the specialist activities taking place as well as for the wider community.</p> <p>The Council has consulted on these proposed changes and these have been widely seen as positive. The</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Access to services and employment • Health • Education • Individual, family and social life • Participation, influence and voice • Identity, expression and self respect 	Positive	None

<p>consultation process has enabled us to find out what is important to the people that use the centre and what maybe could be done to help improve the centre as this project is moved forward.</p> <p>Currently BSCC is used by groups coming into the area to use facility. The 2011 Census identified that 8% of the population of Clifton Ward do some unpaid care. (Census 2011) The new Community Hub will focus on improving community integration and cohesion and work on improving engagement and use of the Hub by the immediate community surrounding the Hub.</p> <p>As BSCC is currently under used there will be a focus on encouraging more use of the building by all groups.</p>				
Details of Impact	<i>Can negative impacts be justified?</i>	Reason/Action	Lead Officer	Completion Date
<p>Staff: There is not expected to be any positive or negative impact.</p> <p>Customers:- there may be a change to some</p>		<p>Customers: This model meets the recommendations of the engagement and consultation process and ensures that BSCC remains open and available for</p>		

of the current session times, but where possible timetables will remain the same.

local community use.

This new model will build community capacity and empower the community to be involved in BSCC's development.

Through these changes to BSCC there will be increased information about what is happening at the Centre which will promote positive relationships between all the different user groups.

There will be ongoing consultation across all user groups.

The proposal for BSCC would have no impact on either the users of the Specialist Activity Base or the Community Hub on the basis of being a carer of older or disabled people.

As use of the Community Hub increases access may be improved with clear, honest, timely and relevant

		communications to customers. There will be a planned and sustained approach to communication and marketing to support the delivery of services at BSCC.		
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Community of Identity: Disability

Evidence	Quality of Life Indicators	Customer Impact (N/P/None)	Staff Impact (N/P/None)
<p>The development of a Specialist Activity Base for adults with a learning disability and/or autism alongside a Community Hub at Burton Stone Community Centre is to ensure that BSCC remains open for both the specialist activities taking place as well as for the wider community.</p> <p>The Council has consulted with adults with learning disabilities and/or autism and their families about how they would like to see the Specialist Activity Base developed. BSCC is currently used by adults with learning disabilities for activities and these activities will be developed to incorporate activities identified through the consultation process.</p> <p>The Council has consulted on these proposed changes and these have been widely seen as positive. The</p>		Positive	None

<p>consultation process has enabled us to find out what is important to the people that use the centre and what maybe could be done to help improve the centre as this project is moved forward.</p> <p>Currently BSCC is used by groups coming into the area to use facility. The new Community Hub will focus on improving community integration and cohesion and work on improving engagement and use of the Hub by the immediate community surrounding the Hub.</p> <p>As BSCC is currently under used there will be a focus on encouraging more use of the building by all disability groups.</p>				
Details of Impact	<i>Can negative impacts be justified?</i>	Reason/Action	Lead Officer	Completion Date
		Customers: This model meets the recommendations of the engagement and consultation process and ensures that BSCC remains open and available for local community use as well as the Specialist Activities Base.		

		<p>This new model will build on the current resources for adults with learning disabilities at BSCC which will have a positive effect on all using the Specialist Activity Base.</p> <p>Through these changes to BSCC there will be increased information about what is happening at the Centre which will promote positive relationships between all the different user groups.</p> <p>There will be ongoing consultation across all user groups.</p> <p>Burton Stone Community Centre is for the use of the whole community. The proposal for BSCC would have no impact on either the users of the Specialist Activity Base or the Community Hub on the basis of being disabled.</p>		
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Community of Identity: Gender

Evidence		Quality of Life Indicators	Customer Impact (N/P/None)	Staff Impact (N/P/None)
There is not expected to be any positive or negative impact upon customers or staff.			None	None
Details of Impact	<i>Can negative impacts be justified?</i>	Reason/Action	Lead Officer	Completion Date

Community of Identity: Gender Reassignment

Evidence		Quality of Life Indicators	Customer Impact (N/P/None)	Staff Impact (N/P/None)
There is not expected to be any positive or negative impact upon customers or staff.			None	None
Details of Impact	<i>Can negative impacts be justified?</i>	Reason/Action	Lead Officer	Completion Date

Community of Identity: Marriage & Civil Partnership

Evidence		Quality of Life Indicators	Customer Impact (N/P/None)	Staff Impact (N/P/None)
There is not expected to be any positive or negative impact upon customers or staff.			None	None
Details of Impact	<i>Can negative impacts be justified?</i>	Reason/Action	Lead Officer	Completion Date

Community of Identity: Pregnancy / Maternity

Evidence		Quality of Life Indicators	Customer Impact (N/P/None)	Staff Impact (N/P/None)
There is not expected to be any positive or negative impact upon customers or staff.			None	None
Details of Impact	<i>Can negative impacts be justified?</i>	Reason/Action	Lead Officer	Completion Date

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Community of Identity: Race				
Evidence		Quality of Life Indicators	Customer Impact (N/P/None)	Staff Impact (N/P/None)
There is not expected to be any positive or negative impact upon customers or staff.			None	None
Details of Impact	<i>Can negative impacts be justified?</i>	Reason/Action	Lead Officer	Completion Date

Community of Identity: Religion / Spirituality / Belief				
Evidence		Quality of Life Indicators	Customer Impact (N/P/None)	Staff Impact (N/P/None)
There is not expected to be any positive or negative impact upon customers or staff.			None	None
Details of Impact	<i>Can negative impacts be</i>	Reason/Action	Lead Officer	Completion Date

	<i>justified?</i>			

Community of Identity: Sexual Orientation

Evidence		Quality of Life Indicators	Customer Impact (N/P/None)	Staff Impact (N/P/None)
There is not expected to be any positive or negative impact upon customers or staff.			None	None
Details of Impact	<i>Can negative impacts be justified?</i>	Reason/Action	Lead Officer	Completion Date