

## **Roundtable Discussion – Co-production**

## Thursday 5 February, 10.00 – 12.00 Kaposvar Room, Guildhall, Bath

Co-production has been described as:

"A way of working where... people who use services, family carers and service providers, work together to create a decision or service which works for them all. The approach is value driven and built on the principle that those who use a service are best placed to help design it."

"A relationship where professionals and citizens share power to plan and deliver support together, recognising that both have vital contributions to make in order to improve quality of life for people and communities."

This meeting will be a chance to have a discussion about co-production. We would like people to share experiences of local co-production projects. It will be a chance to learn about what has worked and what are some of the challenges and how we could deal with them. By the end of the meeting we would like to develop a shared definition of what we think co-production in B&NES should be like.

We would also like to talk about next steps including sign up to 'Making it Real' in B&NES. Think Local Act Personal (TLAP) is a commitment to transform adult social care through personalisation and community-based support. To help check progress towards personalisation a framework called 'Making it Real' has been coproduced. Making it Real is built around "I" statements that express what people want to see and experience; and what they would expect to find if personalisation is really working well.

We want to hear from people who use services, family carers and service providers about what has worked for them in co-producing projects and what they would like to see happening locally.

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