

Progress Report

Changing Futures Coproduction Service

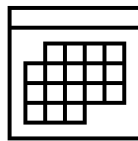
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Coproduction occurs when individuals with lived experience are involved in the design, delivery, and evaluation of services.

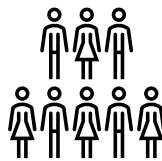
Service Highlights

The service launched in
February 2022



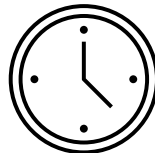
It runs an average of **8 coproduction sessions, events or workshops** each month

The service has **32 coproduction associates** and **70 people** with lived experience are involved with the team



57% are male and **18% are from Black, Asian or Mixed ethnicities**

282 hours spent promoting coproduction with services across the city



Over 1066 hours of coproduction work between services and coproduction associates

We have...

Co-Designed

- New Peer Audit model for services
- Domestic Abuse Community Service specification with SCC Domestic Abuse Commissioning Team
- South Yorkshire Polices new vulnerable adult card
- Delivery model for the Positive Activities Fund co-commissioned with SCC Drug and Alcohol Commissioning Team

Co-Delivered

- Changing Futures Governance Boards
- Positive Activities Fund as panel members
- Drug and Alcohol Substance Misuse Pathway as part of tender process
- Housing Related Support review
- Specialist accommodation

Co-Evaluated

- Positive Activities Fund with SCC Drug and Alcohol Commissioning Team
- Changing Futures citywide System Change event
- Changing Futures Governance board delivery
- National & regional events hosted by Social Finance and the National Expert

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| - BAME Changing Futures marketing approaches & material | review | Citizens Group |
| - Changing Futures citywide System Change Event | - Peer Audits as auditors | - Peer Audits of services in Sheffield |
| - Various training delivered by Project 6 | - Review of remuneration for people with lived experience | |
| - National & regional events hosted by Social Finance and the National Expert Citizens Group | - Personalisation budgets review for Changing Futures | |
| - Women's specialist accommodation with SCC Housing | | |
| - Training for Strategic Board Chairs | | |
| - Review of remuneration for people with lived experience | | |
| - Values & Principles for organisations alongside Voluntary Action Sheffield | | |
| - Personalisation budgets delivery model within Changing Futures | | |
| - Homelessness Prevention Strategy | | |
| - Changing Futures Programme Evaluation Theory of Change | | |

Sustainability and next steps

- The take up and interest in the coproduction service in Sheffield has been fantastic
- The service has quickly reached its capacity, limiting its ability to take on new projects.
- The service has demonstrated that coproduction, when resourced, is achievable even within tight time constraints.
- The service has the ability to pivot so that coproduction can be offered up to groups beyond multiple disadvantage.
- The service is currently coordinating the launch of a new coproduction hub for the city, bringing together any organisations who are interested in or who offer coproduction. This hub will promote collaboration, ensure consistency in practice and further embed coproduction citywide.
- However, beyond March 2024 the service will require further funding to ensure that the learning, resource and ability to undertake coproduction is not lost.