

Terms of Reference – Leeds Green Activity Provider Network (LGAP)

Purpose

To bring together both large and small organisations that deliver nature-based activities to improve health and well-being. The group has links to Social Prescribing structures and to other Health Commissioners in Leeds.

Our shared aims are

- to share good practice
- to provide a collective voice to the commissioners and other funders
- to more effectively promote our offer to Linkworkers (Primary Care) wellbeing workers (Linking Leeds) and others to increase their understanding of green social prescribing

Membership

Membership is open to any provider whether an environmental organisation or a health/community organisation running Green Social Prescribing (e.g. conservation projects, healthy walks, community gardening etc)

Other people with an interest in the work of LGAPN can be associate members.

Working together as LGAPN we

Collaborate in providing training sharing in-house resources and pooling funds for external input.

Pool resources in attending meetings relevant to the group

Explore evaluation methods to best record our impacts.

Promote common values and aspects of delivery

Maintain a single collective directory of services – the map at www.lgap.co.uk

Champion the sectors achievements

Provide a single point of contact for funders

Avoid duplication of services and reduce competition for funding

Interdependencies

- All eligible providers
- NHS (at various levels)
- LCC notably Public Health and Adult Social Care
- The Public
- NHS & other Policy on Green Social Prescribing

Accountability & Reporting

This provider group is accountable to its members
Officers of members will represent LGAP at relevant sector events.

Meeting Frequency

Quarterly meetings if possible, others as required.

Last approved on April 27th 2022 (review annually)

Last updates May 15th 2023

Members & Associates

Activity Alliance	Mafwa Theatre
Age UK Leeds	Man About Town
Better Leeds Communities	Meanwood Valley Urban Farm
Canal and River Trust	Men's Health Unlocked
Canal Connections	Move Mates Leeds
Catch	Public Health
Community Links	RHS
Cross Green Growing Together	RSPB St Aidan's
Feel Good Factor	Running Seeds
Forum Central	Seasonwell CIC
Friends of Gledhow Valley Woods	Sense
Groundwork Yorkshire	Space 2
Horsforth Community Garden	TCV
Hyde Park Source	The Old Fire Station
Incredible Edible Garforth	Touchstone
Incredible Edible Leeds	Univ of York
Kirkstall Valley Development Trust	Voluntary Action Leeds
Leeds & York Partnership	Walking on Together
Foundation Trust	Yorkshire Dales National Park
Leeds District Gardeners	YourBack Yard CIC
Federation	
Leeds Mindfulness Coop	
Linking Leeds	
Living Potential Care Farming	
Love Leeds Parks	

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