

## Minutes

### Clackmannanshire and Stirlingshire Health and Social Care Forum

<b>Place:</b>	CTSi Connect, Burgh Mews, Alloa.
<b>Date and time:</b>	<b>12<sup>th</sup> December 2017 10-12</b>
<b>Attendees:</b>	Jim Quigley – People First, John Macaloney – People First, Louise Rogers - The Alliance, Duncan Hearsum – Dial-a-journey, Susan High – Strathcarron Hospice, Sheila McGhee – Third Sector Representative, Carol-Anne Barns – Klacksun, Liz Rowlett – CTSi, Chris Sutton – Clacks Council, Tommy McGlynn – LingoFlamingo, Vaughn Jones – Alliance, Gill Wilson – Epilepsy Connections, Anthea Coulter - CTSi
<b>Apologies:</b>	May Chamberlain; Natalie Masterson; Tracey Gibson; Ian McCourt; Nicola Stewart; Graham Reece
<b>Minutes</b>	Polly Rodger SVE

Agenda Item	Discussion	Action
1. Welcome and Introduction	Polly Roger and Liz Rowlett welcomed attendees to the joint Clackmannanshire and Stirlingshire Health and Social Care forum.	
2. Epilepsy Connections	<p>Gill Wilson gave a presentation of the work of Epilepsy Connections. A copy of the presentation is attached to the email.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Epilepsy Connections are an organisation that provide practical and emotional support to improve the quality of life for people living with epilepsy throughout Forth Valley</li> <li>• Services are available to people of all ages who have epilepsy, their families, friends and carers, including; support through home-visits, at ESN clinics, support groups and through meeting clients out in the community</li> </ul> <p>For more information contact Epilepsy Connections Forth Valley Fieldwork Service</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gill Wilson (Mon-Wed)</li> <li>• Ewan Roy (Wed-Fri)</li> <li>• Tel 01324 673750</li> <li>• Email: <a href="mailto:ewan.roy@nhs.net">ewan.roy@nhs.net</a> or <a href="mailto:gill.wilson@nhs.net">gill.wilson@nhs.net</a></li> </ul>	

<p>3. Tommy McGlynn</p>	<p>Tommy gave a presentation on the work of Lingo Flamingo. Lingo Flamingo using foreign language learning to support people with dementia. Research shows that speaking a foreign language can delay the effects of dementia by up to 5 years. Lingo Flamingo delivers interactive, multi-sensory language classes in Spanish, French, Italian and German in care homes and are looking for opportunities to expand into community settings. Click <a href="#">here</a> to see Lingo Flamingo in action</p> <p>For more information:</p> <p><a href="mailto:info@lingoflamingo.co.uk">info@lingoflamingo.co.uk</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.lingoflamingo.co.uk">www.lingoflamingo.co.uk</a></p> <p>0141 2611 608</p>	
<p>4. Carers Act</p>	<p>Chris Sutton gave a presentation on the Implementation of the Carers Act. A copy of the presentation is attached to the email. The group gave feedback on the eligibility criteria and how these could be made more accessible to the general public. If you have comments or suggestions on the implementation of the Carers Act please contact Chris Sutton <a href="mailto:CSutton@Clacks.Gov.Uk">CSutton@Clacks.Gov.Uk</a></p>	
<p>5. Organisation Updates</p>	<p><b>Strathcarron Hospice</b> – Have funding for pop-up stalls giving information about Power of Attorney and end of life planning. These are staffed by volunteers with lived experience of this issue.</p> <p>Susan also showed copied of the All About Me booklet, which complements anticipatory care plans.</p> <p>Strathcarron have a befriending service for people and their carers who are approaching end of life.</p> <p>For more information about any of these contact Susan High HIGH, <a href="mailto:susan.high@nhs.net">susan.high@nhs.net</a></p> <p><b>Health and Social Care Alliance</b> – The Integration support team is now part of the Co-production and Self –Management Hub at the Alliance. Vaughn Jones is also new in post with this team.</p> <p><b>Klacksun</b> – The organisation are in a period of development, looking at the possibility of a wider remit. 2018 looks set to be an exciting year from Clackson.</p> <p><b>Dial-a-Journey</b> – Looking forward to the challenges and opportunities provided by a period of transition due to changing demand.</p> <p><b>People First</b> – John will give a presentation about the work of People First at the next meeting.</p>	

6. Next Meeting	<b>Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> March 10am – 12</b> Stirling	
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