

Integrated Care Product Description Staying Well Check Tool





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Description	 Purpose: The Staying Well Check Tool developed by Bolton Council's Public Health Team supports to identify client risk factors for future health and social care need. In addition to age, physical health and mental health, risk factors are likely to be linked to lack of social support, physical living environment and economic difficulties. Components: This product includes items from the toolkit:- Project Brief Consent Form Quality Of Life Wheel Staying Well Check Key Principles Visual Communication Cards Triggers Questions Algorithm Example Visit Summary Information Template A training package is currently being developed to coincide with this Staying Well Check Tool.
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Project Brief

Bolton Councils Public Health Team working with local partners, including NHS Bolton Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG), implemented a Staying Well feasibility Project to support adults 65 and over to maintain their independence.

Through the Staying Well Project, partners across the health and social care system are working together to systematically identify individuals at high risk of developing future health and social care need and providing advice and support to enable them to remain as healthy and independent as possible for as long as possible.

The project is led by the Bolton Council's Public Health Team, and also includes the Council's Adult Social Services, Strategic Housing, and Customer Services Department, alongside NHS Bolton CCG.

Staying Well works by using GP practice registers to identify people aged 65 or over who are not yet in receipt of social care but are at high risk of requiring future intervention or support. These patients are contacted proactively and invited to take part in a holistic Staying Well Check in their own home.

Through the Staying Well Check, Staying Well Coordinators undertake a personcentred conversation with individuals, discussing issues they are facing and signposting or referring them to appropriate services, information and support. The focus of the check is on helping individuals to remain healthy, happy and independent at home for longer.

The Staying Well Check Tool developed by the project supports Well-being Coordinators, and other health and care professionals, to work with individuals to identify their personal risk factors for future health and social care need. The Tool has been designed to support a two way open conversation between the Coordinator and individual. The quality of life wheel and visual picture cards developed as part of the tool have proven to be particularly useful with clients who have language and communication difficulties.

The approach is currently being tested in 6 GP practices across Bolton; emerging findings are encouraging both in terms of the feasibility of potential roll out and in achieving positive outcomes. Potential benefits of the project include:

- More people able to maintain health and independence.
- Reduced GP visits.
- Reduced or delay in need for intensive health and social services, including crisis
- Intervention costs
- More efficient targeting and use of resources.

The data analysis enabled by this project will inform future commissioning of preventative health and social care services.

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Consent Form

To be able to support clients with the appropriate timely support, it was vital to gain consent from the clients at the beginning of the process enabling the Staying Well Coordinators to share information with other services. This supported clients not having to re-tell their story every time they come across a new service or not getting the support they need due to different services not being able to talk to each other and share appropriate information.

For the purpose of the service the consent form is adapted to include other parts, where client consent is required.

Staying Well Consent Form

,	•	YES	NO		
1.	I agree to take part in the Staying Well Service and agree to personal information being shared with other organisations/services to ensure I receive the advice and support I need. I understand that this will only be done with my consent.				
2.	I understand that my participation is voluntary and I am free to withdraw consent at any time.				
3.	I agree to being contacted in the future about further studies relating to Staying Well Feasibility Service.				
4.	I consent for you to contact my carer e.g. neighbour, relative or friend.				
5.	I consent to images, videos of me and quotes being used in publication and any other media for the purpose of the Staying Well Service Only. I understand I can change my mind at any time by informing the Service.				
Carers	s Name		-		
Carers	s Telephone/Email				
Client	s Name				
Addre	SS				
Postco	ode				
Telepl	hone				
Email	Address				
Signat	ture of Participant				
To be	completed by the Co-ordinator				
Client	ID				
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Date -----

Quality of Life Wheel

The Staying Well Quality of Life Wheel forms the first stage of the Staying Well Check. It is designed in a visually appealing way to provide a tool to enable the client & Staying Well Coordinator to engage in a holistic conversation about the client's current quality of life, with the view of preparing the client to think about their potential future needs. The Staying Well Check uses this as a basis to identify what is going well & less well for the client. Clients are asked to score themselves on a scale of 0-5, with 0 being "I am very unhappy this is a big concern to 5 being "I am very happy, no issue at all". The Staying Well Check then continues to probe deeper into the areas identified as going less well, with the aim of identifying actions and goals. The check draws & builds on the individual's assets identified by the check.

The Quality of Life Wheel identifies 12 themes for discussion. A literature review was performed before the service started, which sought to identify modifiable factors that were associated with an increased risk of needing specialist health and social care services. The 12 themes are based on the results of this literature review & a focus group with older people likely to be similar to the future Staying Well clients.

The 12 themes include: -

- Health
- Carer Support
- Emotional Well-being
- Getting out and about
- Personal Care and daily tasks
- House and Home
- Managing Medication
- Managing Money
- Friends, Family and People
- Communication
- Volunteering and Work
- Hobbies and Interests

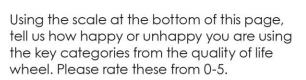
The theory behind this approach is that being 'at risk of future health and social care need' translates into having a deficit on one or more of the 12 themes in the quality of life wheel, and that removing or reducing this deficit, through harnessing of assets, will reduce their risk.

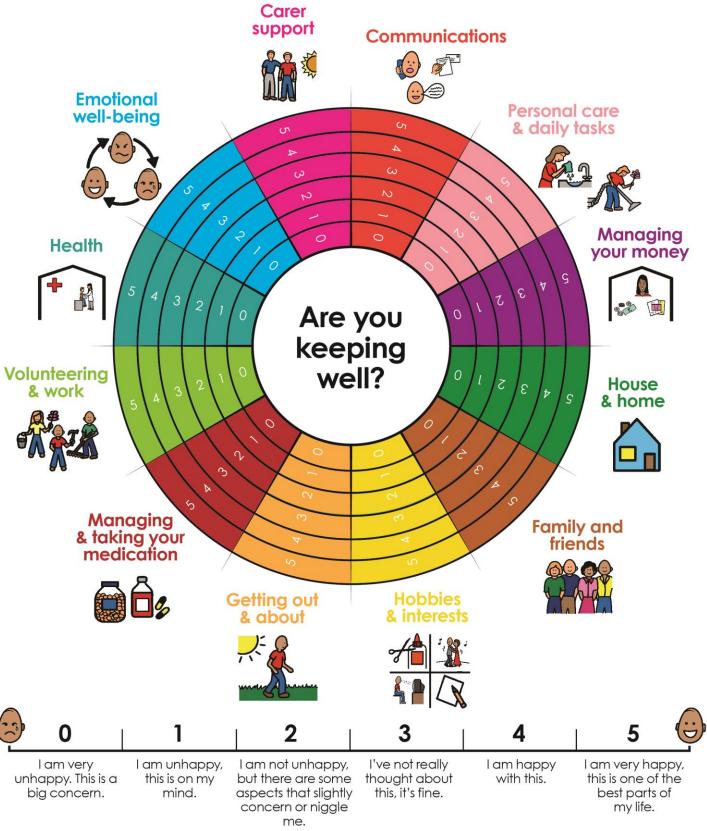
The risk factors that pre-determine the need for intensive health and social care support do not sit in isolation. The interaction between risk factors is very important as certain risks increase the likelihood of other risks and combinations of risks can further increase levels of risk. Some risks can trigger on-going spirals and feedback loops which lead to increasing levels of risk, such as an old person who fears falling may be reluctant to leave their home and so may experience reduced levels of social participation. In turn this may increase the risk of depression which may further decrease the levels of social participation and therefore increase the risk of further depression. Staying Well Co-ordinators identify this deficit & enable person to access services or make changes to reduce this deficit thus reducing their risk.





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Scoring of 0-2 will need a further detailed conversation to identify appropriate information, advice and support

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Quality of Life Wheel Score Descriptions



	1	2	3	4	5
l am very unhappy. This is a big concern.	l am unhappy, this is on my mind.	I am not unhappy, but there are some aspects that slightly concern or niggle me.	l've not really thought about this, it's fine.	l am happy with this.	l am very happy, this is one of the best parts of my life.
This worries me a lot and I wouldn't know where to go and who to ask for help.	l'm struggling and aware of my concerns, and trying my best to resolve but need additional support, I don't seem to be resolving this on my own.	I am aware that this could be a bigger problem, if I don't do anything about this. I would need support to point me in the right direction.	l'm fine for now, but thinking and planning for the future will be beneficial to me.	I am confident and have some skills, experiences in this area. I would know where to go and who to ask to access information, support and advice.	I am very confident; I have good skills, knowledge, contacts, training, and experiences in this area. I am fully aware and able to access information, advice and support myself as well as for others.

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Any other services, organisations or individuals wanting to use the Staying Well Tool must adhere to the following:

1.

Gain Permission from Bolton Council - Public Health Team



Bolton Council - Public Health Team must see approve the revised artwork before it is used

3.

Services, organisations, individuals are required to add a line on the bottom of any artwork saying 'Reproduced with kind permission from Bolton Council © Bolton Council'

Staying Well Check Key Principles

- Client centred intervention
- Conversation, not an assessment
- Assets as well as needs
- Not just signposting
- Empowering self-management
- Involved in decision making
- Open & honest communication presented in a way that is understood
- Getting to know client and building trust

Visual Communication Cards

Visual communication cards were developed to form part of the Staying Well Check and aid conversation around the 12 themes of the quality of life wheel. This allows the client to take a moment and reflect on their current quality of life and future risk factors. The cards very much complement the principles of the Staying Well Check by ensuring a client centred conversation allowing the client to identify their own assets, needs, and solutions. The cards have proven to be useful for those clients with communication and language difficulties.

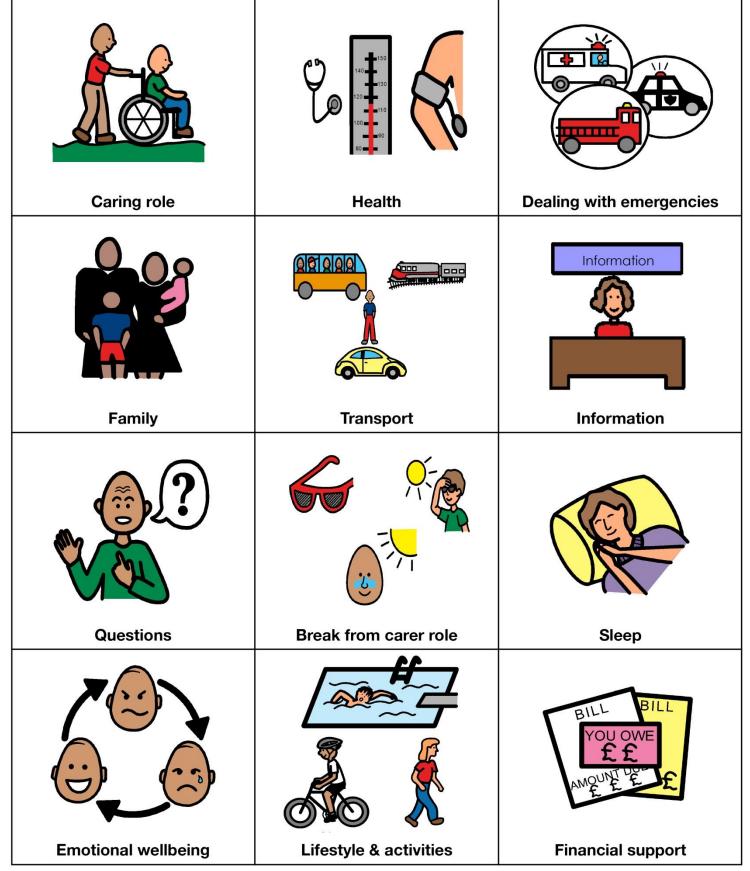
Overall the cards support:-

- Aid a two way conversation
- Gives the service user a moment to reflect
- Allows service user to be in control
- Empowers individual to come up with own their solutions
- Clarifies understanding of each category of the quality of life wheel



Carer Support

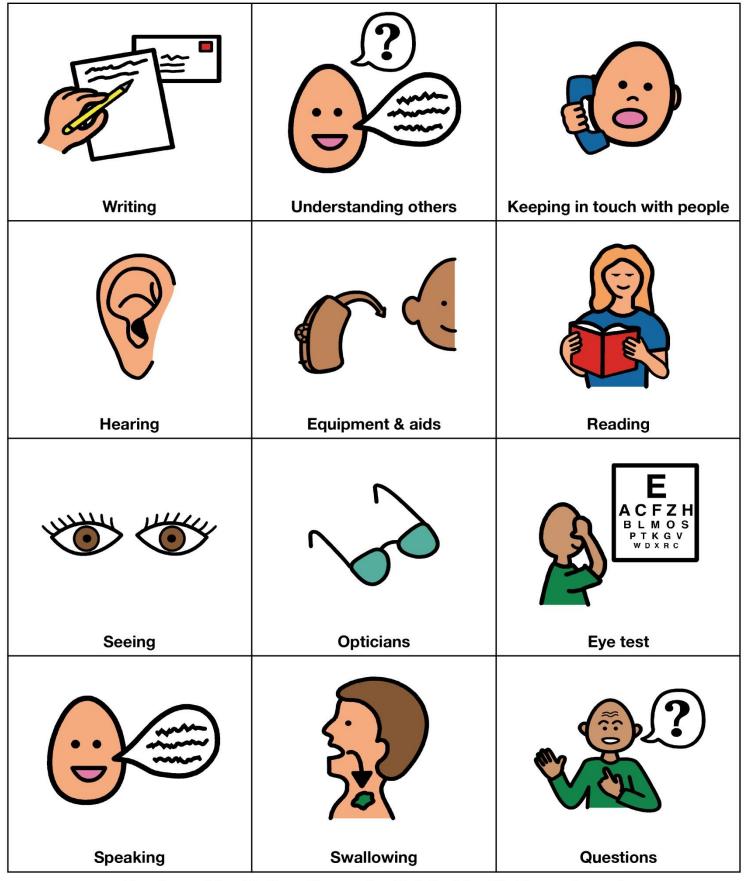






Communication









Personal Care & Daily Tasks



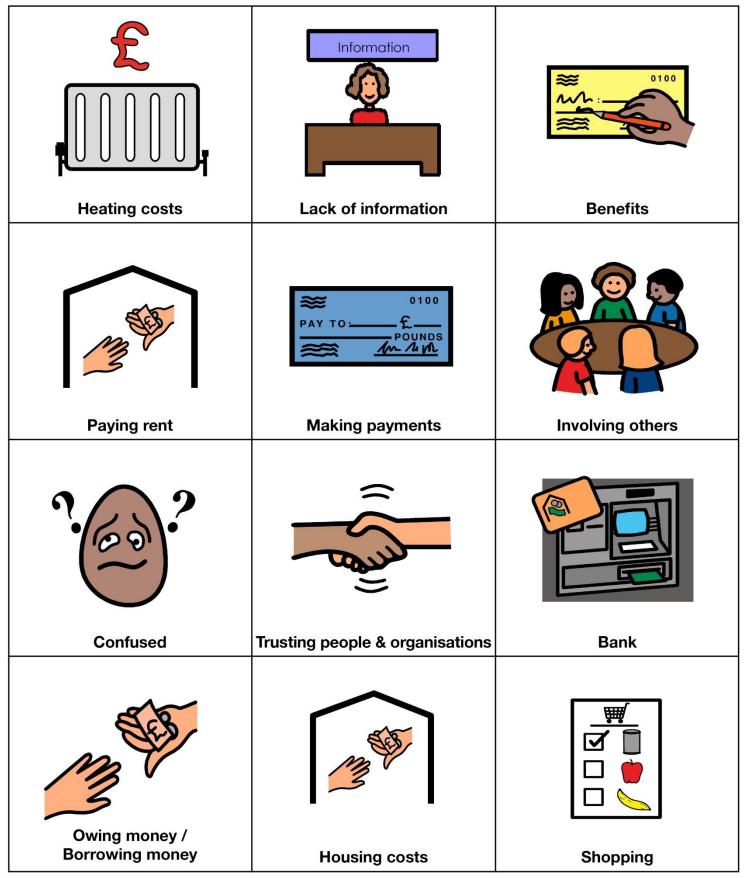






Managing Your Money

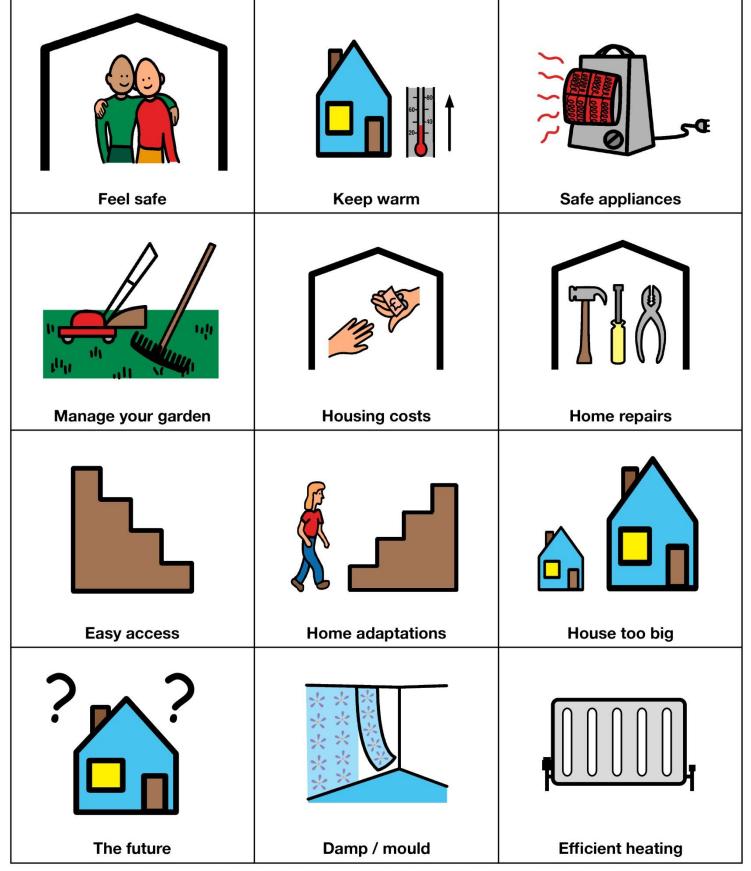






House & Home

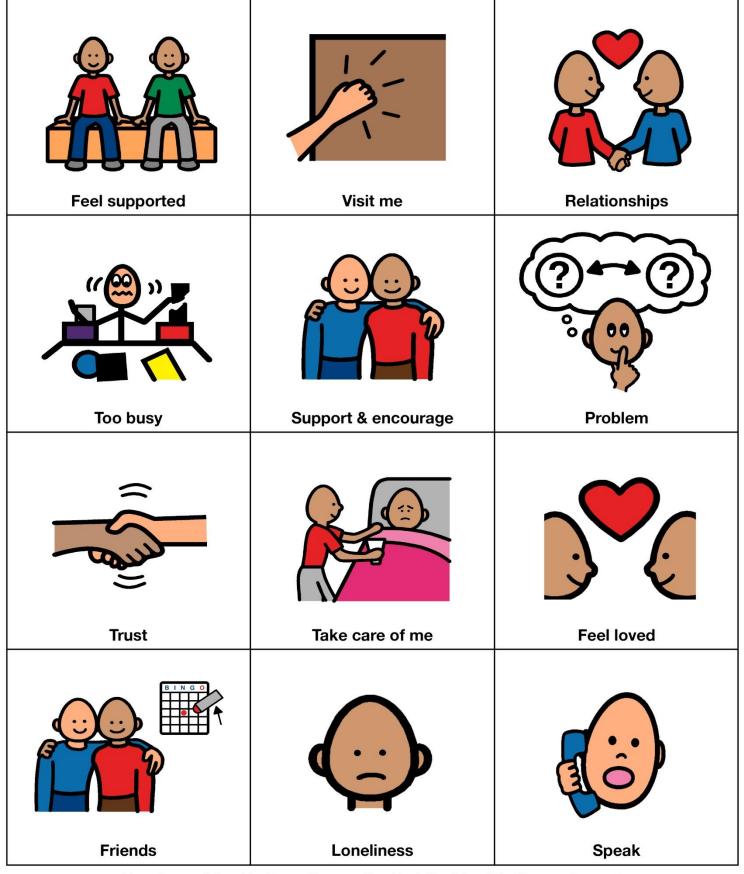






Family & Friends







Hobbies & Interests



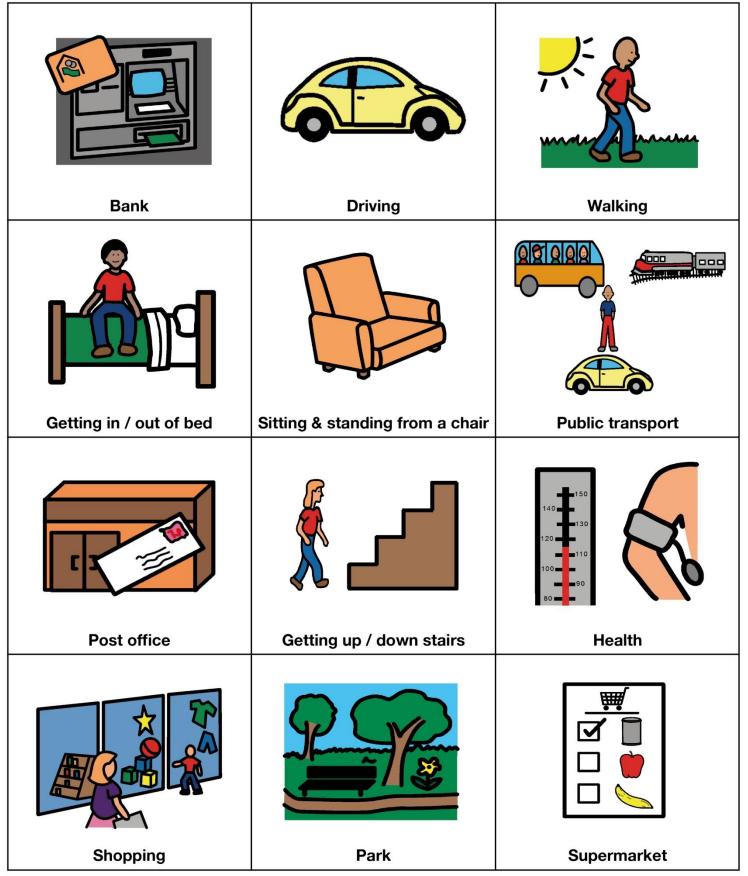






Getting Out & About



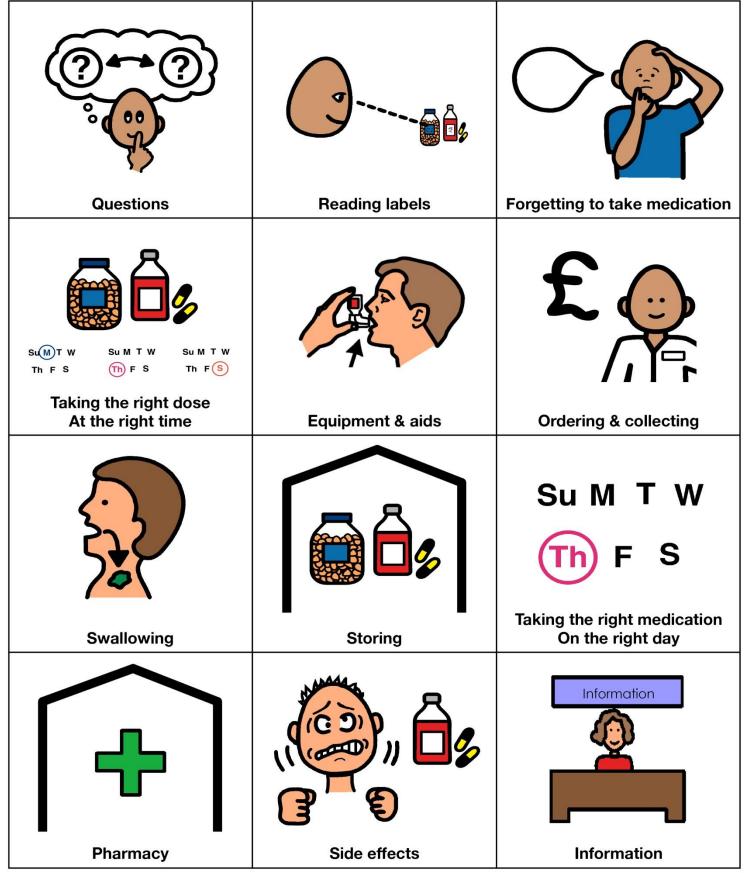




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Managing & Taking Medication

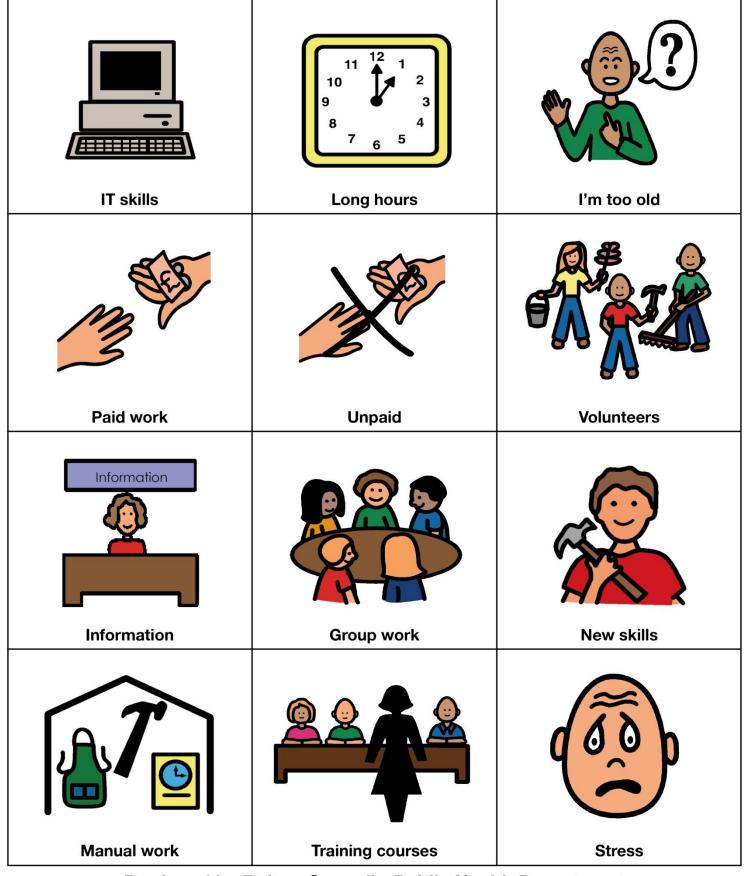






Volunteering & Work



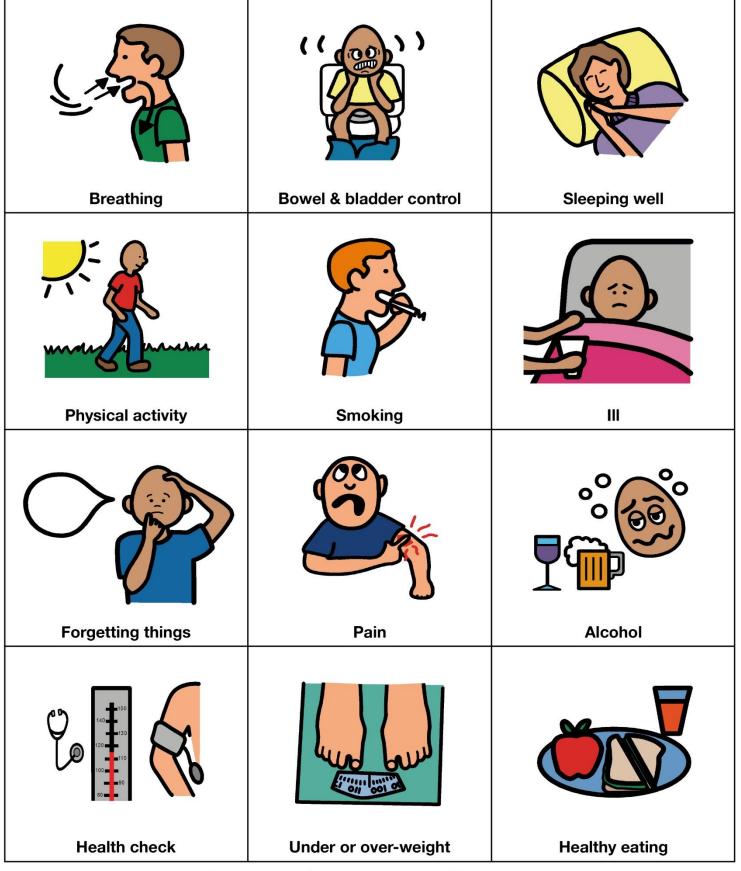






Health

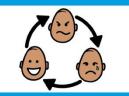


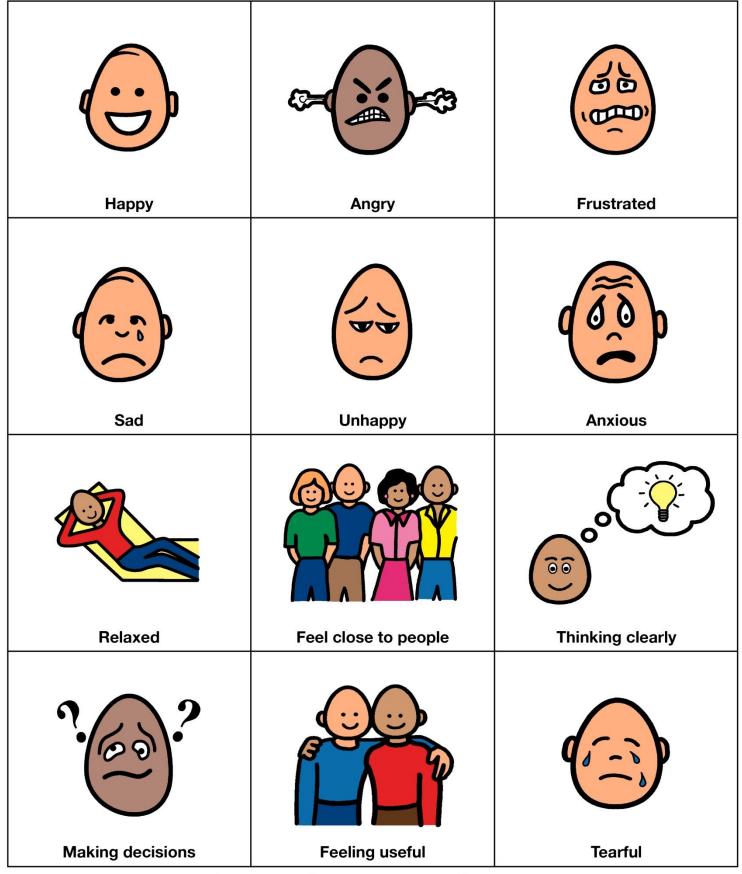






Emotional Well-being





Staying Well Client Demographic

(To complete for all clients)

White				
White English/Wel	sh/Scottish/N	orthern	Irish/British	
White Irish				
White Gypsy or Iris	sh Traveller			
Any other White ba	ackground			
Mixed/ Multiple e	thnic groups	i -		
Mixed White and E	lack Caribbe	an		
Mixed White and E	Black African			
Mixed White and A	sian			
Other Mixed/Multip	le ethnic bac	kground	d, please describe	
Asian/Asian Briti	sh			
Asian Indian				
Asian Pakistani				
Asian Bangladesh	i			
Chinese				
Any other Asian ba	ackground	(Plea	se describe)	
Black/ African/Ca	ribbean/Blac	k Briti	sh	
Black African				
Black Caribbean				
Any other Black/At	rican/Caribbe	ean bac	kground	
Other ethnic grou	ıp			
Arab				
Any other ethnic g	roup			
Gender	Male		Female 🗌	

Date of Birth:	ххххх	
Age:	хххххх	
Has access to er	mail Yes 🗌	No 🗌
Carer	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
Cared For Yes	Yes	No 🗌
Who do you live	with?	
Live alone		

With Partner Only	
With family	
Other	

Housing Tenure:

Owner Occupied	
Living rent free	
Private rented	
Social Housing	
Other	

Occupation:

Employed	
Self Employed	
Retired	
Volunteering	

Consented to share information Yes

I currently receive help with the following by:- (Please tick)

	Friends	& Family	Provided by Council		Paid for	Paid for privately		Other	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Personal									
Care									
Eating or									
drinking									
Being part of									
a community									
Running									
your home									
Attending									
day activities									

Trigger Questions

Behind each of the themes of the quality of life wheel, a set of trigger questions have developed to breakdown identified need. A one to one meeting is undertaken with a range of preventative key services who offer support and services around the 12 key themes of the quality of life wheel. Meeting and working with the key services is very valuable and supported the following points:-

- Avoid duplication-, the trigger questions designed were very much about spotting early warning signs and being able to provide and target appropriate and timely access to information, services and support.
- Ensure consistency in referral/access pathways to support clients effectively.
- The need and asset data has particular been very useful to commissioner's regards future commissioning of services and supporting delivery of key national priorities. This data also supports the development of tailored service provision in response to client's needs, assets and gaps.

Overall the triggers questions support

- To identify actual need/concern/worry
- To effectively target appropriate support
- Spotting/picking up on early warning signs
- · Identify current gaps in service provision

Standard Set Questions to be answered by all clients

Lifestyle
Smoking
Do you smoke? Yes 🗌 No 🗌
Or use any form of tobacco? Yes No Cigarettes Cigarettes Chewing tobacco Cigar Shisha Pipe
How many do you smoke on average daily? 1-5 🗌 6-10 🗌
10-20 🗌 20-30 🔲 30-40 🗌
Would you like support to stop smoking? Yes 🗌 No 🗌 (reason)
Do you live with someone who smokes? Yes No
Any other comments

Alcohol

No No	
	🗌 No

Question	Scoring	Scoring System				Score
	0	1	2	3	4	
How often do you have a drink containing alcohol?	Never	Monthly or less	2-4 times a month	2-3 times a week	4+ times a week	
How many units of alcohol do you drink on a typical day when you are drinking?	1-2	3-4	5-6	7-9	10+	
How often have you had 6 or more units if female, or 8 or more if male, on a single occasion in the last year?	Never	Less than monthly	monthly	weekly	Daily or almost daily	

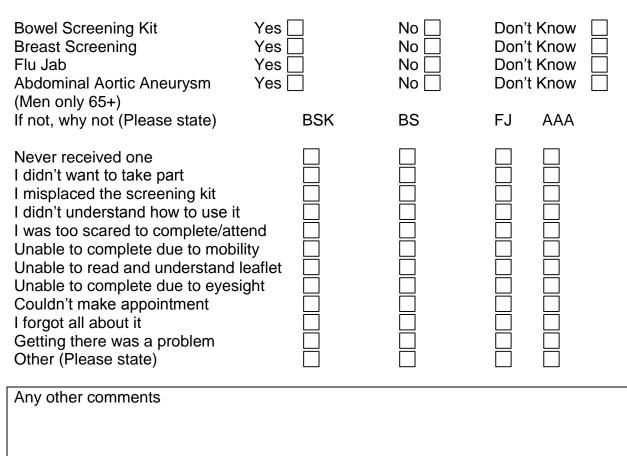
A total of 5+ indicates increasing or higher risk drinking.

Any other comments
Physical Activity
Do you exercise or undertake activities for at least 150 minutes per week? (Please note this can be in bouts of 10 minutes or more).
Yes 🗌 No 🗌
Time per activity How many times per week?
Any other comments

Do y	ou tak	e Vita	amin D Su	pplements	? Yes		No 🗌 (Give	e out vitamin D leaflet)
Foo	d and	Healt	h					
1.	Do yo	u eat	3 meals a	day, includin	g a drink?)	Yes 🔲	No 🔲
2.	Do yo	u thinl	k you eat a	balanced d	iet?		Yes 🔲	No 🔲
3.	Do yo	u enjo	y your foo	d/have a goo	od appetite	e?	Yes 🔲	No 🔲
4.	Has y	our ap	petite cha	nged recentl	y?		Yes 🔲	No 🔲
5.	How r	nany o	cups of flui	d do you hav	ve each da	ay? E.g.	water, tea, co	ffee, squash
	0-1		2-3 🔲	4-5 🔲	6-7		8+	
	Please use the below 'Food and Health follow on questions' if:							
	Any of the grey boxes for the above questions are marked							

Routine screening

Have you completed/had any of the following?



Emotional well-being

Standard Question

Tell me about your emotional well-being? (Ask questions below, using the eleven point scale from 0-10 where 0 is 'not at all' and 10 'completely'

Q1- Overall, how satisfied are you with your life nowadays?

Q2- Overall, to what extent do you feel the things you do in your life are worthwhile?

Q3- Overall, how happy did you feel yesterday?

For the above three questions e.g. life satisfaction, worthwhile and happiness questions, ratings are grouped in the following way:

		Q1 SCORE	Q2 SCORE	Q3 SCORE
0 to 4	Low			
5 to 6	Medium			
7 to 8	High			
9 to 10	Very high			

Q4- Overall, how anxious did you feel yesterday?

For the anxiety question, ratings are grouped differently to reflect the fact that higher anxiety is associated with lower well-being. The ratings for anxiety are grouped as follows:

0 to 1	very low	Q4 SCORE
2 to 3	Low	
4 to 5	Medium	
6 to 10	high	

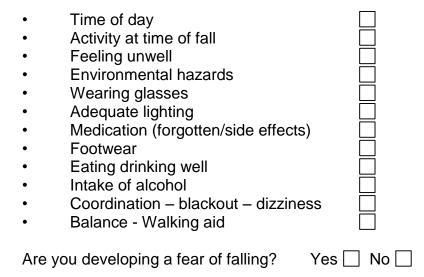
If the client scores low to medium for questions 1, 2 and 3, please complete further questions below using the Warwick-Edinburgh Mental Well-being Scale (WEMWBS)

If the client scores medium to high for question 4, please complete further questions below using the Warwick- Edinburgh Mental Well-being Scale (WEMWBS)

Falls

Have you fallen in the last year? Yes 🗌 No 🗌

What were the potential causes of your fall?



Memory

Have you been more forgetful in the last 12 months to the extent that it has significantly affected your daily life?

Yes No (If yes please complete further memory questions from health section below)

Accessing Dental Care

Have you seen a dentist in the last 2 years? Yes \Box No \Box

If no, why have you not seen a dentist in the last 2 years?

Not needed too	
Couldn't find a dentist	
Dentists not taking any more patients	
Too scared	
Cost	
Transport	
Managed by medication	
Mobility problems	
Other	

Any other comments		

House and Home

Have you ever had an accidental fire in your home? Yes 🗌 No 🗌						
Do you have a smoke alarm fitted in your home? Yes 🗌 No 🗌						
Carers Support						
I the client care for someone else						
Friends Family and People	Friends Family and People					
Do you feel lonely or isolated?		Yes		No		
Reasons:						
Loss of someone close to me						
Confidence						

Leaving workplace	
Disability or illness	
Other	

What do you think would help? (refer to hobbies and interest section)

Follow on questions: please use questions below when a client scores 0-2 using the quality of life wheel

Health

Physical Health

Do you feel your physical health is?

Good	
Varies	
Quite bad	
Very bad	
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Have you been diagnosed with a physical health condition? Yes 🗌 No 🗌

Are you receiving support from services for your health condition? Yes 🗌 No 🗌

Any other comments		
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Sleeping

Always

Do you have trouble slo	eeping? Yes 🗌 No 🗌
Sleep Well Occasionally Always	

Why do you think you have trouble sleeping? (Refer to quality of life wheel)

Health	
House and Home	
Managing Money	
Communication	
Friends, Family and People	
Emotional Well-being	
Personal care & Daily tasks	
Carer support	
Volunteering and Work	
Hobbies & Interest	
Getting out and about	
Managing and taking your medication	
Other	

Any other comments

Sexual Health

Do you have any concerns about your sexual health? Yes 🗌 No 🗌

Is your concern to do with?

Sexual/Physical Health	
Relationships	
Emotional Health	

Pain

Do you experience any pain?

Yes 🗌 No 🗌

Where is the pain?

Head	Upper back	
Eyes	Lower back	
Nose	Arms	
Mouth	Chest	
Ears	Hands	
Teeth	Fingers	
Thigh	Neck	

Legs
ThrobbingBurningAchingAchingNaggingShootingCopingFrightfulUnbearableNauseatingSpreadingOther
Any other comments

Breathing

Are you more breathless than friends or colleagues of a similar age to you? Yes No

Do you get breathless doing everyday activities such as :			
Walking alone the street at your of	wn pace? Y	′es 🗌 No	
Climbing stairs	Y	′es 🗌 No	
Dressing an undressing	Y	′es 🗌 No	
Walking up an incline or hill		es 🗌 No	
Washing and Drying	Y	es 🔲 No	
Occasionally	When walking During the day On exertion		

Do you avoid doing	certain activitie	s altogether	because t	they leave	you feeling
breathless? Yes 🗌	No 🗌				

Have you go	ot a diagnosed	breathing problem?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
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If you answer yes to any of the above, then it's time to do something about it.

- Visit your GP
- Speak to you British Lung Foundation respiratory nurses on 03000 030 555
- Visit <u>www.blf.org.uk.breathless</u> for more information

Any other comments
y
Skin
SKII
Do you have any problems with your skin? Yes 📃 No 📃
Sore areas/red sore areas
Wounds
Bruising
Rash
Other (Please state)
Any other comments
Any other comments

Teeth

Are you having problems v	with your teeth? Yes 🗌 No 🗌
Pain Injury Eating and drinking Sensitive teeth Broken or chipped Dentures Redness or swelling Gum Problems Bleeding	
Other	

Food & Health (Further questions following on from standard questions)

General Healthy Eating:

1.	Do you have	breakfast	everyday?
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	Yes No
	If 'Yes' – What types of foods?
2.	Do you eat some starchy carbohydrates at every meal? E.g. potatoes, rice, bread, pasta
	Yes 🔲 No 📕
3.	Do you eat some portions of fruit & vegetables each day?
	Yes 🔲 No 📕 Sometimes 📕
4.	Do you have any dairy products in your diet? E.g. milk, yoghurt, cheese
	Yes 🔲 No 📃 Sometimes 📃
5.	Do you have any protein in your diet? E.g. meat, fish, eggs, beans, nuts, quorn
	Yes 🔲 No 📃 Sometimes 📃
6.	Do you have much fat in your diet? E.g. oil, butter, crisps, pastry
	Yes No 🗋 Sometimes 📃
7.	Do you have much sugar in your diet? E.g. in drinks, chocolate, sweets, cakes
	Yes 📃 No 🔲 Sometimes 📃
8.	Do you cook with and/or add salt to your food?
	Yes 📕 No 🔲 Sometimes 📕
٨	ss & Cooking:
ALLES	ss & cooking.
1.	How confident are you at preparing/cooking meals for yourself?
	Very confident 🔲 Quite confident 🔲 Unconfident 📕 Very unconfident 📕
2.	Do you usually cook meals each day from scratch? E.g. using raw/fresh ingredients
	Yes 🚺 No 📕
3.	Do you consume ready/microwave or takeaway meals?
	Yes No Sometimes
	If 'Yes' or 'Sometimes' – How often?
4.	How confident are you in planning and shopping for food?
	Very confident 🔲 Quite confident 🔲 Unconfident 📕 Very unconfident 📕
5.	How easy is it for you to access shops to buy food and drink? E.g. bus, walk, car
	OK 🖸 Good 🖸 Poor 📕

Nutrition:

1.	Do you think you suffer from constipation?
	Yes 📕 No 🔲 Sometimes 📕
2.	Do you have difficulties chewing/swallowing food and drinks? E.g. is it painful to chew?
	No 🔲 Yes - gets stuck 🔲 Yes - sore mouth 🔲 Yes – poor dentures 🔲
	Yes 🔲 – Other:
3.	Do you have a wound that is not healing or any pressure ulcers?
	Yes 🔲 No 🗖
4.	Do you take any vitamin supplements?
	Yes 🖸 No 🗖
	If 'Yes' – Which?
<u>Other</u>	<u>.</u>
	In terms of additional support, would you be interested in either:
	1:1's 🔲 Groups 🔲 Both 🔲
Any o	ther comments
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Bladd	ler & Bowel Control
Do yo	u experience any problems controlling your bladder? Yes 🗌 No 🗌
Leaka	sional leakageLeakage (night)uge (day)Other (please state)uge at all timesImage at all times

Do you experience any pr	roblems contro	olling your bowels? Yes 🗌	No 🗌
Occasional leakage Leakage (day)		Leakage (night) Other (please state	

Leakage at all times	
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In relation	to the previous	questions,	have you been	assessed	previously?
Yes 🗌	No 🗌]			

Yes, it's been less than three months Yes, it's been more than three months No, never been assessed	
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How are you managing at the moment?

Incontinence pads- I/carer buy my own	
Incontinent pads- these are provided for me	
I am not coping	
Support from carer/family	

Any other comments

Memory (if client answered yes in the standard memory question, please complete the questions below)

If yes how often?

Occasionally	
Getting worse	
Other	

How does this have an impact on your day to day life? (Please tick those that apply)

Forgetting important tasks
Forgetting appointments/dates
Going out
Managing your money
Forgetting to take medications
Ability to communicate
Impact on cooking
Feeling lonely
Loss of choice & decision making
Losing things
Other

Any other comments

Emotional well-being (further questions)

Below are some statements about feelings and thoughts. Please tick the box that best describes your experience of each statement over the <u>past two</u> weeks.

Statements	None of the time	Rarely	Some of the time	Often	All of the time
l've been					
optimistic about					
the future					
l've been feeling useful					
l've been feeling relaxed					
I've been dealing					
with problems					
well					
I've been thinking					
clearly					
I've been feeling					
close to other					
people					
I've been able to					
make up my own					
mind about					
things					
Scoring	1	2	3	4	5

(Source (Warwick-Edinburgh Mental Well-being Scale)

If total score falls below 20, refer back to quality of life wheel to identify how this impacts on other aspects of the individual's quality of life and follow Emotional Well-being action section.

Any other comments

Phq-2-gad-2 screening

Note:-

Only Use Phq-2-gad-2 screening, if you are unsure where to send the client for support.. This screening is mainly used for clinical depression.

	Over the last 2 weeks(or other agreed period) how often have you been bothered by any of the following problems?	Not at all	Several days	More than half the days	Nearly every day
1	Little interest or pleasure in doing things	0	1	2	3
2	Feeling down, depressed, or hopeless	0	1	2	3
3	Feeling nervous, anxious or on edge	0	1	2	3
4	Note being able to stop or control worrying	0	1	2	3

- Questions 1 & 2 screen for depression, with a total score of 3 or more for these two items suggesting the strong possibility of clinical depression.
- Questions 3 & 4 screen for anxiety (GAD, panic, PTSD & social anxiety), with a total score of 3 or more for these two items suggesting the strong possibility of clinical anxiety.

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Communication

How do you view your ability in relation to the following?

Talking

Do you struggle talking?	Yes	No 🗌
Do you struggle to find the	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
right words?		
Does your talking sound	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
different (e.g. slurred		
speech)		
Is this a new problem or	New 🗌	Old 🗌
longstanding problem?		
Have you or do you see a	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
speech and language		
Therapist?		

Any other comments		

Understanding others

Do you find if difficult understanding others?	Yes	No 🗌
Do you find it difficult to answers questions when asked	Yes	No 🗌
Is this a new problem or longstanding problem?	New 🗌	Old
Have you or do you see a speech and language Therapist?	Yes	No 🗌

Any other comments

Hearing

	Yes	No
Do people seem to be mumbling?		
Do you have to strain to hear when someone talks or whispers?		
Do you have difficulties hearing someone call you from behind or from another room?		
Do you need to watch a speaker's lips more closely to follow the conversation?		
Do you find it hard to keep up in meetings, in restaurants, or in lectures?		
Do you have to turn up the volume on the TV or radio?		
Do you find it hard to hear clearly on the telephone?		
Do you have difficulties hearing at the theatre, cinema or other entertainment venues?		
Do you find it hard to hear in noisy environments like in the street or in a car?		
Do you tend to limit your social activities because it's difficult to hear and communicate?		
Do family, friends, or colleagues mention that they often have to repeat themselves?		

Any other comments

Reading and Writing

Do struggle to read or write	Yes (Please tick below)	No
Do you struggle to see the words	Yes	No
Do you struggle to hold a pen	Yes	No
Is this a new problem or longstanding problem?	Old	New
Is this from difficulty from childhood	Yes	No
	Yes	No
Have you or do you see a speech and language Therapist?		

Any other comments			

Swallowing

Do you find it difficult to swallow food and drinks?	Yes (Please tick below)	No
Do you cough when you eat & drink	Yes	No
If yes, how often do you	Every time I eat/drink	
cough	Once per day	
	Once per week	
	Not often	
Is this a new problem or	New	Old
longstanding problem?		
Do you suffer from regular	Yes	No
chest infections		
Have you or do you see a	Yes	No
speech and language		
Therapist?		

Any other	comments
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Seeing

Do you have concerns	Yes (Please tick below)	No
about your eyesight		
Do you struggle to see	Yes	No
things that are far?		
Do you struggle to see	Yes	No
things that are near		
Is this a new problem or	New	Old
longstanding problem?		
Have you seen anyone	Yes	No
about this?		
Have you had an eye test	Yes	No
in the last 2 years?		

Any other comments		

Personal Care & Daily Task

In your day to day activities, do you have any difficulties with any of the following? Yes No Fine with help

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Personal Hygiene Managing the toilet Dressing yourself food and drink (Preparing) Feeding yourself Carrying out household tasks Medication		
Any other comments		

Getting out and about

In your day to day activities, do you have any difficulties with any of the following?

	Yes	No	Fine with help
Walking indoors Walking outdoors Getting up/down the stairs Getting in/out of bed Moving from Chair to bed Driving a car Getting in/out of car Using public transport Visiting shops, banks/post Office Other			
Any other commente			

Any other comments		

Managing and Taking your Medication

What are your main concerns in managing and taking your medication (Please tick below)

Remove packaging Reading labels Using equipment/aids	
Taking the right dose at the right time Swallowing tablets/liquids	☐ (Are you able to swallow food
	drink? Yes/No)
Storing and/or display of safely Ordering & collecting your medication	

Do you take your medication as advised? that apply)	Yes 🗌	No 🗌 (Please tick
Not effectiveSide effectsUnsure of reasonConfused/ mixed upUnable to collectI forget toOther		
Any other comments		

Family Friends and People

Other

Do you speak	to or see family & friends	as often as yo	ou like to?
Yes 🗌		No 🗌	Reason
Are there peo	ple you can rely on to help	o if you had a l	problem?
Yes 🗌		No 🗌	Reason
Are you happy	y with the relationships yo	u have with fa	mily & friends or others?
Yes 🗌		No 🗌	
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Looking after them Cleaning up after them Taking them for a walk Feeding them Other			
Do you have any concerns ab	out sexual relationships?	Yes 🗌 No	

Hobbies & Interest

Do you take part in hobbies/interest? Yes No (Please state)

If no, what stops you from taking part in hobbies/interest?

Illness	
Time	\Box
Lack social support	\Box
Access	
Age	\Box
Religious/Culture	\Box
Transport	\Box
Cost	\Box
Suitable activities for me	\Box
Confidence	\Box
Safety	\Box
Lack of information	\Box
Other (Please state)	
What hobbies/interests wou	uld you like to take part in?
Religious & faith groups	
Knitting & sewing	
Physical activity & exercise	
Arts/Craft	
Cooking	
Shopping	
Eating out	
Games	
Puzzles/Crosswords	
Gardening	
Cinema/Bingo	
Listening to music	
Reading & writing	
Visiting family/friends	
Going on Holiday	
Luncheon Clubs	
Other	
Befriending groups	
Self Help groups	
Mutual support groups	

Any other comments

Volunteering/Work

Do you carry out any type of voluntee	ering activities/em	ployment?
Yes (Please state below)	No 🗌	
Туре	Hours worked	b
Volunteering activities		_
Paid employment		_
Self employed		_
Do you have any concerns regards to	o volunteering/wo	vrk?
Yes Please state	No 🗌	
	Volunteering	Work
Hours of work Job role & capacity Work/life balance Restrictions due to physical health Stress Skills Age Lack of information/knowledge IT Skills Other Would you like further information/su		-
Would you like further information/su	pport on employr	nent? Yes 🗌 No 🗌
Have you applied for a volunteering	opportunity before	e? Yes 🗌 No 🗌
If yes, please state outcome		
Any other comments		

House and Home

What type of property/accommodation	on do you live in	?
Social rented Private rented Owner occupied with mortgage Owner occupied without mortgage Living rent free with family Living rent free with other (please sta	ate)	
Do you live with others? Ye	es 🗌	No 🗌
How many	Т	heir relationship to you.
Do you look after any pets?	Yes	No 🗌
If yes, are any of the following a con Looking after them Cleaning up after them Taking them for a walk Feeding them Other	cern for you?	

Have you any concerns about living arrangements in your house/home? \square

Yes			Ν	C
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Can you easily access and get around your home? Would you benefit from any adaptations being made to	
your home?	
Do you need help making repairs and improvements to your home?	
Does your home suffer from damp or mould?	
Can you keep your home warm?	
Are you able to manage your housing costs? Have you thought about what your housing requirements	
might be in the future?	

Any other comments

Managing your Money

What are your main concerns regarding your finance or ability to manage your money?

	Yes (Reason)	No
Change in circumstances Buy necessities Paying household bills Housing costs Involvement of others Trusting people/organisations Lack of information Having to borrow money Benefit entitlement Budgeting Power of Attorney Repaying debts Heating cost Other		

Any other comments			

Feeling Safe

Do you feel safe in your home? Do you feel safe out doors?	Yes 🗌 Yes 🗌	No 🗌 No 🗌
If no, what is causing you to feel unsafe?	?	
Nuisance neighbours Abandoned cars Vandalism Graffiti Drunken or rowdy behaviour Harassment/intimidation/threats. Burglaries in your neighbourhood		

Bogus Callers
Pressurized doorstep selling
Rogue traders
Other

Comments

FREE Carers Fact-Sheets – Order Form

Number	Title	Yes I want a copy Please
1	New to Caring	
2	Carers Assessments	
3	Financial Help and Support	
4	Hospital Discharge	
5	Working and Caring	
6	Transport	
7	Emotional Support	
8	Education and Leisure	
9	Bereavement - When Caring Ends	
10	How to Complain	
11	Emergencies	
12	Meals	
13	DIY / Gardening / Practical Support	
14	Stroke	
15	Parkinson's Disease	
16	Dementia	
17	Luncheon Clubs and Community Cafe's	
18	Aids, Adaptations and Equipment	
19	Finding and Paying for Care through a Private Agency	
20	Caring for a Child with a Disability	
21	Watch Your Back	
22	Getting the most from your GP	
23	Cancer	
24	Wheelchairs	
25	Technology can help you care	
26	Wills and Trusts	
27	Falls	

28	Get Active	
29	Look after your heart	
30	Dealing with debt	
31	Multiple Sclerosis	
32	Raising Funds for Bolton Carers Support	
33	Visual Impairment	

Algorithms

Algorithms form part of the toolkit to identify appropriate support and services for the client. An example of one of the algorithms for "house and home section" has been included in this product. Developing the algorithms would very much be dependent on the service provision available in your geographical area, hence would have to be developed locally.

The algorithms have particular been useful in targeting and tailoring appropriate support to individual needs and taking the following into consideration:-

- Eligibility criteria's
- Referral and access pathways
- Key contacts details

For the purpose of the service, the Staying Well Team would ensure the algorithms are updated as and when a change in service provision occurs.

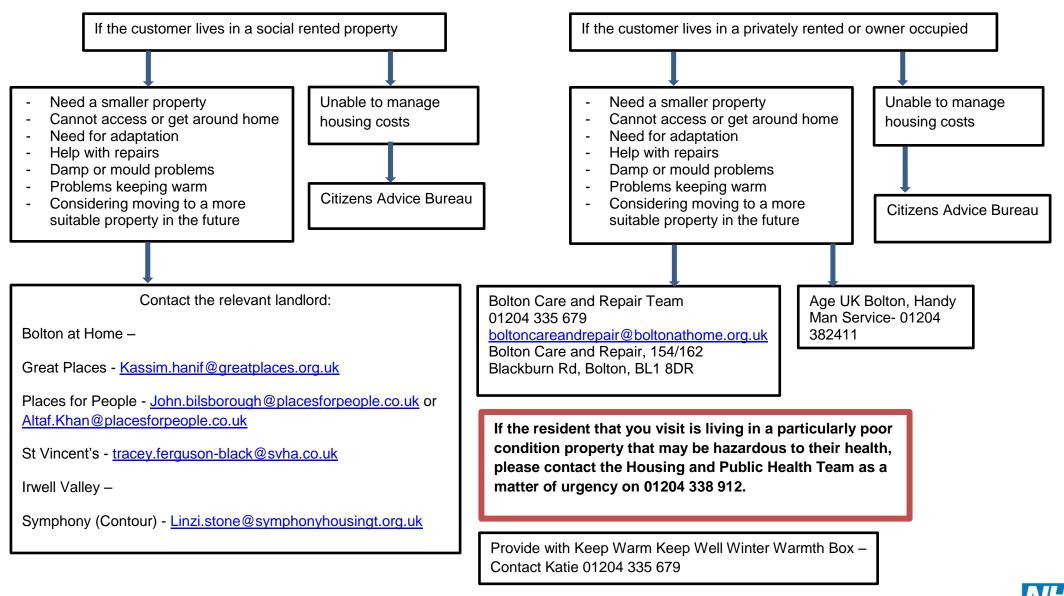
Overall the algorithms support the following:-

- Resource of information and services to hand
- Effectively and timely source appropriate information, advice & support
- Opportunity to identify gaps in service provision

• Not an exhaustive list, but a base of information to build on and update as and when



House and Home Actions









Staying Well Visit Summary Information

The purpose of the visit summary is to record the findings from the home visit. The summary details the following:-

- Summary of support identified
- What's going well (assets)
- What's going less well (needs)
- Any observations by the Co-ordinator
- Action and next steps for the Co-ordinator
- Actions and next steps for the client
- Action and next steps for the GP Practice/onward service provider/organisation
- Sign off progress update

Once a home visit has been completed the Staying Well Co-ordinator would write up a summary of the visit within 24 hours following the visit. A copy is then sent to the client and the GP Practice to be scanned into the clients records. A copy is also kept for the purpose of the project.

Overall the Staying Well Visit Summary supports:-

- Summarises and records overall visit and actions agreed
- Useful information for services/organisations when referring clients
- Client has their own record and kept in the loop
- GP's have access to information and outcome of the visit







Staying Well Visit Summary Information

Patient ID	Date of visit
Patient Name:	Carer's Name &Contact)
Address:	
Patient email:	Patient
	Telephone
Co-ordinator name	Practice ID
Co-ordinators Signature:	D.OB
Language Spoken:	Interpreter required:

During our visit we jointly identified some support in relation to the following areas:

Health	House & Home	Managing your Medication
Emotional well-being	Friends, family and	Getting out and about
	People	
Personal care and daily	Hobbies & Interest	Communication
Tasks		
Managing your money		Volunteering and work
Carer support		

Summary of support identified: (Client Perspective)
What's going well?
Health
Carer Support
Emotional Well-being
Getting out and about
Personal Care and Daily Tasks
House and Home
Managing Money
Friends Family and People
Communication
Volunteering and Work
Hobbies and Interests
Managing Medication
What's going less well?
Health
Carer Support
Emotional Well-being





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Getting out and about		
Personal Care and Daily Tasks		
House and Home		
Managing Money		
Friends Family and People		
Communication		
Volunteering and Work		
Hobbies and Interests		
Managing Medication Co-ordinators Observation		
Actions and next steps for the Staying Well Co- ordinator	Date Completed: SWC.	Date Completed: Client.
Health		
Carer Support		
Emotional Wellbeing		
Getting Out and About		
Personal Care and Daily Tasks		
House and Home		
Managing Money		
Friends, Family and People		
Communication		
Volunteering and Work		
Hobbies and Interest		
Managing Medication		
Actions and next steps for the Client		Date Completed: Client.







Health	
Carer Support	
Emotional Wellbeing	
Getting Out and About	
Personal Care and Daily Tasks	
House and Home	
Managing Money	
Friends, Family and People	
Communication	
Volunteering and Work	
Hobbies and Interest	
Managing Medication	
Actions and next steps for the GP Practice/Service Provider	Date
Organisation	Completed:
Cover Support	
Carer Support	
Communications	
Personal Care and Daily Tasks	
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Getting out and about	
Managing and taking your medication	
Volunteering & Work	
Health	
Emotional Well-being	







With your consent a copy of this summary will be automatically sent to your GP and services involved in your care, providing you with appropriate support, advice and information. A copy will also be sent to you for your records.

Sign off in	formation
Client sign off date	
Date	Progress update
	Comments/other actions/considerations









Helping you to get the right support at the right time to remain healthy, happy and independent.





