

Appendix 1. Older People's Day Opportunities: the overall approach

Service	Type of activity	Aims / Outcomes	Potential Partnerships
1. Individual choice	Supporting service users in using mainstream services such as libraries and leisure centres. Enable users to remain part of their own friendship groups and keep up with their interests. Use of Direct Payments and Personal Budgets/ volunteers to support this.	Access to the same opportunities as other members of the community. Enhancing choice and flexibility.	Voluntary Sector. Other Council services.
2. Community based	Involvement of service users in local opportunities, particularly Neighbourhood Networks. Provides companionship but also contributes to health and well being. For example, through gentle exercise and dance. Opportunities to learn new skills for example using a computer.	Engagement in activities catering for needs and interests of older people. Stimulating mix of activities.	Voluntary Sector. Environment and Neighbourhoods.
3. Day Service: Resource Centre and Recovery and Enablement Service	Collaboration with partners to provide a variety of information and preventative services under one roof. Use of centre base for work with service user and for going out into different situations. Individual, time limited programme to support recovery and enable the older person to be as independent as possible. Rebuild confidence after a difficult time. Help user to develop skills and maximise coping ability. Support carers.	Achieving optimum degree of independence. Support to access satisfying day opportunities.	Voluntary Sector. PCT Leeds Partnership Foundation Trust Council services
4. Day Service: Specialist – physical frailty and long term conditions	More intensive personal support. Use of centre base and outreach. With input from health professionals assist service user in managing their health problems. Respite and Carer support.	Achieve optimum management of long term conditions. Support to access satisfying day opportunities.	PCT Hospitals
5. Day Service: Specialist – dementia	Dedicated specialist provision for older people with dementia Respite and Carer support	Achieve optimum management of dementia. Support to access satisfying day opportunities.	Leeds Partnership Foundation Trust

