



Better Care Stronger Communities Funding 2020-2023

Please answer the following questions. They should take no longer than 10 minutes to complete.

Q1 Are you answering as

- An individual/ service user/member of the public [Go to Q10](#)
- On behalf of an organisation [Go to Q2](#)

Q2 Do you receive funding from the Children, Adults and Health Department at South Gloucestershire Council?

- Yes
- No

Q3 If yes, what do you receive funding to do?

- Carers Groups
- Carers Activities
- Carers Support
- Befriending Support
- Stroke Support
- Dysphasia Support
- Dementia Support
- HIV Support
- Post Natal Depression Support
- Mental Health Befriending
- Other

Other

Q4 Can you tell us what % funding would represent a **modest** reduction to this service?

- 0-10% reduction
- 11-20% reduction
- 21-30% reduction

Q5 What would the impact of this level of funding reduction have on your service and organisation?

- No change
- Partial delivery of the service
- Unable to deliver the service

Q6 Please give reasons for your answer below

Q7 Can you tell us what % funding would represent a **significant** reduction to your service?

- Up to 20% reduction
- 21-35% reduction
- 36-50% reduction
- Over 51% reduction

Q8 What would the impact of this level of funding reduction have on your service and organisation?

- No change
- Partial delivery of the service
- Unable to deliver the service

Q9 Please give reasons for your answers below

Q10 Please tell us which of the following services you use (please tick all that apply)

- Carers Groups
- Carers Activities
- Carers Support
- Befriending Support
- Stroke Support
- Dysphasia Support
- Dementia Support
- HIV Support
- Post Natal Depression Support
- Mental Health Befriending
- None/Not applicable
- Other

Other

Q11 What impact would a reduction in the level of this/these services have on your health and well being?

Q12 To what extent do you agree with the proposed reductions to voluntary sector funding?

- Strongly agree
- Slightly agree
- Neither agree nor disagree
- Slightly disagree
- Strongly disagree

Q13 Please give reasons for your answer below

Q14 If you disagree, where do you think the reductions should be made in order for us to meet our savings target?

Q15 Is there anything else you would like to tell us about the proposed funding reductions?

Individuals please go to Q31 About You section

Organisations only

Q16 Would you prefer to submit a proposal to an overarching heading and budget or to a defined list of activities, each with a defined budget?

- Organisations submit proposals to deliver defined services against a set budget
- Defined activities and budget

Q17 Please give reasons for your answer below

Our proposal is that funding submissions are assessed against the following general criteria:

- A. Alignment with the Council's Children, Adult and Health department priorities
- B. Taking active steps to promote the inclusion of protected and vulnerable groups
- C. Demonstrate quality: safe, reliable, effective and well led services
- D. Demonstrate the beneficial impact the proposed service will have in reducing social care expenditure
- E. Demonstrate innovative approaches to improve outcomes
- F. Demonstrate ways of working that align with Making Every Contact Count principles
- G. Demonstrate robust activities and monitoring the impact on social care throughout the life of the proposal
- H. Demonstrable evidence of leverage of external funding into South Gloucestershire
- I. Demonstrate evidence of added Social Value (in line with council policy)
- J. Value for money
- K. Demonstrate how their outcomes will be sustainable in the longer term

There will also be specific criteria relating to the overarching headings or defined activity.

Q18 In your view are the proposed assessment criteria for future funding correct?

- Yes
- No
- Unsure

If no, please give reasons for your answer below

Q19 Would you consider working in partnership with other organisations to jointly deliver a service?

- Yes
- No
- Unsure

Q20 We propose to have a four week window for organisations to make a funding proposal. Do you think this is an appropriate time period?

- Yes
- No
- Unsure

Q21 Will the proposed timetable have an impact on your organisation or staffing?

- Yes
- No
- Unsure

If yes, please give reasons for your answer below

We have co-produced an outcomes framework, which has aims, outcomes, indicator and outputs with the community and voluntary sector. We are introducing an outcomes framework to standardised reporting to better demonstrate the impact that spending in the voluntary sector has on local communities and local health and social care services. A draft version of this framework is included on **page 6** of the consultation background document

Q22 Do you think the funding levels and number of outcomes are reasonable?

- Yes
- No
- Unsure

If no, what options would you propose?

Q23 Please tell us what you think of the proposed framework below

This question is for organisations only To advance equality of opportunity we would like to understand how you support and provide services to people who share a protected characteristic

Q24 Do you support individuals from any of the following protected groups?

- Age (over 50 years of age)
- Gender
- Ethnicity
- Disability
- Sexual orientation
- Religion or belief
- None of the above
- Other

Other (please state)

Q25 Age: What percentage or how many of your clients are from this group?(please state number or percentage)

Q26 Gender: What percentage or how many of your clients are from this group?(please state number or percentage)

Q27 Ethnicity: What percentage or how many of your clients are from this group?(please state number or percentage)

Q28 Disability: What percentage or how many of your clients are from this group?(please state number or percentage)

Q29 Sexual orientation: What percentage or how many of your clients are from this group? (please state number or percentage)

Q30 Religion or belief: What percentage or how many of your clients are from this group? (please state number or percentage)

About You

This section is really important as it helps us to understand more about the people who use council services and may be affected by any changes to the council's budget. Any responses to these questions will remain confidential and individuals will not be identifiable

Q31 Please tell us your full postcode

Q32 Your Age

- Under 16
- 16-25
- 26-35
- 36-45
- 45-55
- 56-65
- 66-75
- 75 and over
- Prefer not to say

Q33 Your Gender

- Female
- Male
- Other
- Prefer not to say

Q34 Do you consider yourself to have a disability?

- No
- Yes- Physical impairment
- Yes- Sensory impairment
- Yes- Mental health condition
- Yes- Learning disability/ difficulty or cognitive impairment
- Yes- Long standing illness or health condition
- Yes- Other

Other

Q35 Your Ethnicity

- Arab/Arab British
- Asian/Asian British Bangladeshi
- Asian/Asian British Indian
- Asian/Asian British Pakistani
- Asian/Asian British Chinese
- Asian/Asian British Other
- Black/ African/ Caribbean/ Black British African
- Black/African/ Caribbean/Black British Caribbean
- Black/African/Caribbean/ Black British Other
- Gypsy or traveller of Irish heritage
- Mixed/multiple ethnic groups/White and Asian
- Mixed/ multiple ethnic groups/White and Black African
- Mixed/multiple ethnic groups/ White and Black Caribbean
- Mixed/multiple ethnic groups/ White Other
- White- English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British
- White Irish
- White Other
- Other ethnic group

Q36 Do you have children of the following age groups living in your household?

- 0-4
- 5-10
- 11-16
- 17-18
- 19-25
- None of the above/not applicable
- Prefer not to say

Q37 Sexual orientation

- Bisexual
- Gay male
- Gay female/lesbian
- Heterosexual
- Other
- Questioning
- Prefer not to say

Q38 Do you identify as transgender?

- Yes
- No
- Prefer not to say

Q39 Your Religion/Belief

- Buddhist
- Christian
- Hindu
- Jewish
- Muslim
- Sikh
- Other
- No religion
- Prefer not to say

Other

Thank you for taking the time to complete the survey, please send your completed survey to: South Gloucestershire Council, Corporate Research and Consultation Team, Council Offices, Badminton Road, Yate, Bristol, BS37 5AF

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