

ARDS AND NORTH DOWN BOROUGH COUNCIL

Policy Screening Form

1.	Policy Reference (Equality use only)	E 185
2.	Policy Name	Ards & North Down Age Friendly Strategy and Action Plan 2019/2022
3.	Existing / Revised / New Policy	New policy
4.	Responsible Officer	Chief Executive The Age Friendly plan is an initiative from the Big Plan. The Community Planning Manager has overseen the Age Friendly Action Plan drafted by the Age Friendly Coordinator as it was initiated by Ards and North Down Council
5.	Description of policy to be screened	The Age Friendly Action Plan will set out the actions necessary to help council and partner organisations harness the challenges and opportunities that face our increasing ageing population. It is in response to the changing demographic of Ards and North Down Borough Council, along with the opportunities and challenges that exist in a changing demographic structure. Age Friendly Alliance has been established within the Big Plan. The Age Friendly Alliance is made up of key stakeholders from the Voluntary and Community sector along with older people from the community. The purpose of the Alliance is to look at possible actions that will ultimately improve the health and wellbeing of the ageing population in Ards and North Down and report to the Strategic Community Planning Partnership via the Age Friendly structure which has adopted a Terms of Reference. The Action Plan addresses how these initiatives will be delivered within the specified timeframe.
	Aims and Expected Outcomes – what is the Policy expected to achieve?	The Age Friendly Action Plan and Strategy was adopted in October 2016 as an action of the Big Plan. Age Friendly will provide the framework for collaboration among a number of organisations to harness the opportunities and challenge of our ageing population. The Ards and North Down Age Friendly Plan, will work towards the achievement of working collaboratively across partner organisations known as an Age Friendly Alliance.

		The actions are achievable over a 3 year period known as an Age Friendly cycle. The Age Friendly action contributes towards the councils Big Plan. This Action Plan develops achievable actions to be delivered by a range of the Age Friendly Alliance members.
6.	Section 75 categories which might be expected to benefit and how they may benefit.	All section 75 dimensions are expected to benefit from the range of actions and intended outcomes.
7.	Factors which could contribute to / detract from the intended aims / outcomes of the Policy when being implemented	If the actions are not successful or the delivery is not as intended to achieve the intended outcomes of the Action Plan and strategy.
8.	The main stakeholders on whom the policy will impact. For example, Employees, Potential Service Users and Community Groups Consider the internal and external impacts (either actual or potential) and comment, or list, information where appropriate	The Council, Elected Members , employees, residents of the Borough, visitors to the Borough, businesses and employees within the Borough, Statutory partners , community and voluntary organisations.
9.	Please provide details of other policies which have a bearing on this one.	
	<p>E 14 Sustainability and Environmental Policy</p> <p>E 15 Ards and North Down Borough Council - Corporate Plan</p> <p>E 16 Good Relations Strategy and Action Plan</p> <p>E 66 Safeguarding policy for children, young people and adults who may be vulnerable</p> <p>E 85 Draft Volunteer Policy</p> <p>E 91 Annual Civic Awards - 2017</p> <p>E 130 Integrated Tourism, Regeneration and Development Strategy</p> <p>E 154 Provision of an inclusive beach</p> <p>E 162 Integrated Arts and Heritage Development Strategy (IAHDS) 2018-2023</p> <p>E 163 Community Development Game Plan</p> <p>E 172 Local Development Plan – Preferred Options Paper</p> <p>Active Ageing Strategy</p>	<p>Ards and North Down Borough Council</p> <p>Department of Communities</p>

10.	Available evidence (quantitative and qualitative) considered as important to encourage completion in relation to :																		
Religious Belief	<p>Summary: The Northern Ireland Census 2011 (NISRA) statistics for the Borough area showed that 75% are or have been brought up in Protestant and Other Christian (including Christian related) religions. While this varied across the borough from 17% in Portaferry ward to 87% in Carrowdore ward this does not have any relation to this policy. These compared to 48% for Northern Ireland as a whole.</p> <p>See table below</p> <p>Data: Religion or Religion Brought up in (Numbers with % in brackets)</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="464 558 1422 1066"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>All usual residents</th> <th>Catholic</th> <th>Protestant and Other Christian (including Christian related)</th> <th>Other Religions</th> <th>None</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Northern Ireland</td> <td>1,810,863 (100%)</td> <td>817,385 (45%)</td> <td>875,717 (48%)</td> <td>16,592 (1%)</td> <td>101,169 (6%)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Ards and North Down Borough Council</td> <td>156,672 (100%)</td> <td>20,550 (13%)</td> <td>117,589 (75%)</td> <td>1,729 (1%)</td> <td>16,804 (11%)</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Source: Religion or religion brought up in. Census 2011, NISRA</p> <p>NICOLA is the first large scale longitudinal study of ageing in Northern Ireland, providing a basis for future government policy by following the lives of 8,500 men and women aged 50 and over as they grow older</p> <p>76% of participants reported that religion is very or somewhat important in their lives; and that they get comfort and strength from religion. Age Friendly Initiative has taken into account the NICOLA report as a key piece of evidence based research.</p>		All usual residents	Catholic	Protestant and Other Christian (including Christian related)	Other Religions	None	Northern Ireland	1,810,863 (100%)	817,385 (45%)	875,717 (48%)	16,592 (1%)	101,169 (6%)	Ards and North Down Borough Council	156,672 (100%)	20,550 (13%)	117,589 (75%)	1,729 (1%)	16,804 (11%)
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Political Opinion	<p>Summary: Electoral Office data from recent Local Government elections detail the political representation on Ards and North Down Council, The Stormont Executive for this electoral area and Westminster election. This data is an approximate measure of political opinion of the voting electorate within the Borough. Turnout to vote in North Down and Strangford constituencies tend to be lower than the rest of NI suggesting less strong political opinions. Of those who do turn out, the results show preferences for voting Unionist parties.</p> <p>See table below</p> <p>Data: Council Election results</p> <p>The local council election 22nd May 2014 showed:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="464 1728 1573 1774"> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>Elected Candidate</td> </tr> </table>				Elected Candidate														
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	Eligible Electorate	Votes Polled (% Turnout)	DUP	Sinn Féin	UUP	SDLP	Alliance	Independen	TUV	Green
Northern Ireland	1,243,649	638,332 (51.3%)	130	105	88	66	32	15	13	4
Ards and North Down Borough Council	112,077	47,161 (42.1%)	17		9	1	7	2	1	3
Ards Peninsula (DEA)	16,656	7,369 (44.2%)	3		1	1	1			
Bangor Central (DEA)	17,194	6,678 (38.8%)	2		2		1			1
Bangor East and Donaghadee (DEA)	16,956	6,915 (40.8%)	3		1		1	1		
Bangor West (DEA)	13,479	5,448 (40.4%)	2		1		1			1
Comber (DEA)	13,681	6,272 (45.8%)	2		1		1		1	
Hollywood and Clondeboye (DEA)	14,158	6,229 (44.0%)	2		1		1			1
Newtownards (DEA)	19,953	8,250 (41.4%)	3		2		1	1		

Source: [The Electoral Office, NI](#)

Since the election in 2014 for local Councillors changes to the political make-up of the Council took place. In December 2017 it was:

18 DUP, 8 UUP, 3 Independents, 2 Greens with 7 Alliance, 1 SDLP and 1 TUV.

In May 2019 a local government election was held and the outcome for the make up of the Council is:
 14 DUP, 10 Alliance, 8 UUP, 3 Independents, 3 Greens with 1 SDLP and 1 TUV
 The breakdown of data in relation to turnout and %age votes is currently not available for the province or Borough.
 A large proportion of older people take part in the local council elections and general elections. Older people throughout the community conversations. The Community Conversations were a wide ranging engagement process with the community of Ards and North Down which was a council wide consultation and engaged with many older people and groups from around the council area. However although many people will have a political belief they were not asked about their political opinions.

Racial Group

Summary: NISRA, NINIS and Northern Ireland Strategic Migration Partnership data provide up to date data. The 2011 census showed that 32,000 (1.8%) of the usually resident population in Northern Ireland is from a minority ethnic background. Within the borough, the 2011 Census showed that 1.5% (2,300) were from a minority ethnic background. Across the borough this ranged from 5.2% in Loughview ward to 0.3% in Lisbane ward.
 See table below

Data: Ethnic Group (Numbers with % in brackets)

	All usual residents	White	Chinese	Indian	Bangladeshi	Other Asian	Black African	Black Other	Mixed	Other
Northern Ireland	1,810,863 (100%)	1,778,449 (98%)	6,303 (0%)	6,198 (0%)	540 (0%)	6,089 (0%)	2,345 (0%)	1271 (0%)	6,014 (0%)	3,654 (0%)
Ards and North Down Borough Council	156,672 (100%)	154,365 (99%)	406 (0%)	283 (0%)	177 (0%)	415 (0%)	139 (0%)	132 (0%)	556 (0%)	199 (0%)
Ards Peninsula	156,672 (100%)	23,367 (99%)	26 (0%)	19 (0%)	5 (0%)	19 (0%)	6 (0%)	2 (0%)	51 (0%)	29 (0%)
Bangor Central	23,524 (100%)	24,469 (98%)	105 (0%)	43 (0%)	17 (0%)	43 (0%)	26 (0%)	32 (0%)	119 (0%)	38 (0%)
Bangor East and Donaghadee	24,892 (100%)	22,648 (99%)	56 (0%)	27 (0%)	10 (0%)	91 (0%)	11 (0%)	2 (0%)	82 (0%)	19 (0%)
Bangor West	22,946 (100%)	17,763 (98%)	19 (0%)	135 (0%)	2 (0%)	116 (0%)	3 (0%)	26 (0%)	73 (0%)	15 (0%)
Comber	18,152 (100%)	18,216 (99%)	30 (0%)	8 (0%)	9 (0%)	35 (0%)	4 (0%)	8 (0%)	55 (0%)	17 (0%)
Hollywood and Clondeboyne	18,382 (100%)	20,061 (98%)	65 (0%)	31 (0%)	23 (0%)	81 (0%)	81 (0%)	56 (0%)	101 (0%)	61 (0%)

Newtownards	20,560 (100%)	27,841 (99%)	105 (0%)	20 (0%)	111 (0%)	30 (0%)	8 (0%)	6 (0%)	75 (0%)	20 (0%)
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Source: [Ethnic Group, Census 2011, NISRA](#)

There are members of the council area from different ethnic and racial backgrounds living in the Ards and North Down area. Throughout the community conversations, which was a council wide consultation engaged with many people and groups from around the council area who were from a wide range of BME groups.

Age
NISRA have published population projections for the Borough which show that the proportion of those aged 85 and over are expected to more than double within the next 25 years.
ANDBC has the highest % population of older people in Northern Ireland.
See table below

Data: Age Groups (Numbers with % in brackets)

	0-15	16-39	40-64	65+	Total
Northern Ireland	385,200 (21%)	583,116 (31%)	591,481 (32%)	291,824 (16%)	1,851,621 (100%)
Ards and North Down Borough Council	29,801 (19%)	43,239 (27%)	54,094 (34%)	31,663 (20%)	158,797 (100%)

Sources: [Demography and Methodology Branch, NISRA](#)
[World Health Organization](#)

The Age Friendly Plan contains specific reference to making Ards and North Down a great place to grow old. Ards and North Down has an aging population. This trend is projected to increase beyond 2030. Evidence shows that if you plan for older people you in effect plan for everyone. The intention of the Age Friendly Plan is therefore to improve wellbeing outcomes for people of all ages, by giving them the support they need in later life, therefore impacting in all of society.

Marital Status
The 2011 Northern Ireland Census showed that 48% of adults (those aged over 16 years of age) in Northern Ireland were either married or in a registered same-sex civil partnership. Within the borough, 54% of adults fell into this category. This varies across the borough from 36% in Central (Ards) ward to 64% in Lisbane ward.
See table below

Data: Marital Status (All aged 16+) (Numbers with % in brackets)

All usual residents	Single (never married or never registered a same-sex civil partnership)	Married	In a registered same-sex civil partnership	Separated (but still legally married or still legally in a same-sex civil partnership)	Divorced or formerly in a same-sex civil partnership which is now legally dissolved	Widowed or surviving partner from a same-sex civil partnership

		Northern Ireland	1,431,540 (100%)	517,393 (36%)	680,831 (48%)	1,243 (0%)	56,911 (4%)	78,074 (5%)	97,088 (7%)												
		Ards and North Down Borough Council	126,945 (100%)	36,730 (29%)	67,866 (53%)	123 (0%)	4,328 (3%)	8,548 (7%)	9,350 (7%)												
		<p>Source: Northern Ireland 2011 Census, Marital Status</p> <p>Ards and North Down has an aging population and statistics show that women live longer than men (78.9 male, 82.7 female), Older people who may have lost a spouse can be at risk of becoming very isolated and become lonely, living alone and poor especially older males.</p> <p>Social connections are as bad for your health as smoking 15 cigarettes a day. (Holt-Lunstad, 2010) particular aspects of the Age Friendly Action plan looks to tackle loneliness.</p>																			
	Sexual orientation	<p>Summary: It should be noted that no reliable data is available on sexual orientation-NISRA are currently examining methodology on how to measure this. However, the 2011 census indicates that less than 1% of the Northern Ireland adult population (those aged 16 years and over) were in a registered same-sex civil partnership. This was similar to the borough as a whole. The Continuous Household Survey in Northern Ireland estimated this figure between 0.9% and 1.9% in 2015-2016. The Office for National Statistics estimates a similar range for the United Kingdom (1.7%).</p> <p>Source: Northern Ireland 2011 Census, Marital Status ONS 2015 Sexual Identity</p> <p>Not applicable – The Action Plan will have no differential impact on this section 75 group.</p>																			
	Men & Women generally	<p>According to census (NISRA) almost half of the population of Northern Ireland were male (49%) and this was similar throughout Ards and North Down Borough Council (48%). See table below</p> <p>Data:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>Males</th> <th>Females</th> <th>All</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Northern Ireland</td> <td>887,323 (49%)</td> <td>923,540 (51%)</td> <td>1,810,863 (100%)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Ards and North Down Borough Council</td> <td>75,920 (48%)</td> <td>80,752 (52%)</td> <td>156,672(100%)</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Source: Age Structure, Census 2011, NISRA Review of statistical classification and delineation of settlements, NISRA</p> <p>Not applicable – The Action Plan will have no differential impact on this section 75 group.</p>									Males	Females	All	Northern Ireland	887,323 (49%)	923,540 (51%)	1,810,863 (100%)	Ards and North Down Borough Council	75,920 (48%)	80,752 (52%)	156,672(100%)
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	Disability	<p>The 2011 Census (NISRA) showed that 20% of the population in Ards and North Down area had a health issue or disability (including those related to old age) which has lasted or expected to last at least 12 months. (This was similar to the Northern Ireland figure of 21%.)</p> <p>Disability Living Allowances, 2015</p>																			

		2015 (Disability Living Allowance Recipients)	2015 (Multiple Disability Benefits) *MDB is aggregated data from Attendance Allowance, Disability Living Allowance, Incapacity Benefit and Severe Disablement Allowance data, and data for Employment and Support allowance
	Northern Ireland	209,280	251,490
	Ards and North Down Borough Council	13,840	18,080
	Ards Peninsula	2,920	n/a
	Bangor Central	2,250	n/a
	Bangor East and Donaghadee	1,740	n/a
	Bangor West	1,650	n/a
	Comber	1,270	n/a
	Holywood and Clandeboye	1,180	n/a
	Newtownards	2,840	n/a

[Northern Ireland Census 2011 Long-term health problem or disability by long-term problem or disability](#)

On Census Day 2011, there were 27,692 people aged 65+ years living in Ards and North Down 52.9% stated they had very good or good health 35% had fair health and the remaining 11% had bad or very bad health.

Some of the Quality and Outcomes Framework (QOF) registers are for diseases that tend to affect an older population and cause people to live with a disability. In Ards and North Down there were 1,567 people on the Dementia Register (all ages) and 413 people on the Osteoporosis Register (aged 50+ years), Long term mobility or dexterity issues (35%), Long-term pain or discomfort: 65+ (25%), Long-term deafness or partial hearing loss: 65+ (36%) and long-term shortness of breath or difficulty breathing: 65+ (16%)

Dependents	<p>Summary: In considering this dimension the following have been included: persons with responsibility for the care of a child, children, a person with a disability and or an older person. According to the Continuous Household Survey, 2013-2016, 37% of Ards and North Down claimed to have a dependent (This did not differentiate on the type of dependent).</p> <p>According to the 2011 Census, 7,474 households in Ards and North Down had a dependent child under the age of 4 (This might give an indication on the numbers who would have buggies or prams).</p>
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	<p>Sources: Continuous Household Survey</p> <p>Age Friendly Initiative will aim to enhance older people's health and wellbeing throughout the life span of the initiative. With an ageing population a new term has risen called the 'Sandwich generation', in that people are now have living parents and children. It is hoped that AF will provide an opportunity for older people to maintain health to ensure that there can be reciprocal support between them and their family members.</p>
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11.	Based on data previously provided what are the needs, experiences and priorities for each of the following categories, in relation to this policy/decision?	
	Religious Belief	Older people who indicated from the NICOLA report which informs the Age Friendly statistics and findings shows that 76% of participants reported that religion is very or somewhat important in their lives.
	Political Opinion	Not applicable – The Action Plan will have no differential impact on this section 75 group
	Racial Group	Not applicable – The Action Plan will have no differential impact on this section 75 group
	Age	<p>The Big Plan contains specific reference to making Ards and North Down a place for “our children and young people to have the best start in life”. It also refers to people living “healthy, fulfilling and long lives”.</p> <p>Ards and North Down has an aging population. This trend is projected to increase beyond 2030. Evidence shows planning for older people in effect plans for everyone. The intention of the Age Friendly Action Plan is therefore to improve wellbeing outcomes for people of all ages, by giving them the support they need in early and later life.</p> <p>The number of older people aged 65+ is projected to rise in Ards and North Down, from around 31,000 from 2014 to around 50,000 by 2030. The numbers of older people aged 85+ years is anticipated to more than double from under 4,000 residents from 2014 to about 10,000 residents by 2039.</p>
	Marital Status	Older people who may have lost a spouse can be at risk of becoming very isolated and become lonely. Living alone and poor social connections are as bad for your health as smoking 15 cigarettes a day. (Holt-Lunstad, 2010) with females having a longer life expectancy as older men may be more prone to isolation and loneliness.
	Sexual orientation	Not applicable – The Action Plan will have no differential impact on this section 75 group
	Men & Women generally	Women live longer than men and may require different services.
	Disability	The Age Friendly Alliance is made up of people living with a disability and their views have been recorded in the Age Friendly workshops that took part in the Age Friendly

		workshops a voice that would inform the Age Friendly Action plan. The Age Friendly workshops were informed by the Community Conversations that took place in 2015.
	Dependents	Many retired grandparents are now fulfilling child-care roles for their grandchildren as the cost of child care rises. This vital role unifies the extended family and allows parents to work and contribute to the economy. The Age Friendly plan aims to deliver services and opportunities to enable older people to take control of their health and wellbeing ensuing healthy connections can be maintained with dependants for as long as possible.

Does this Policy require an Equality Impact Assessment?

1.	What is the likely impact on equality of opportunity for each of the Section 75 categories?		
		Detail of Impact	Level of Impact Minor/Major/None
	Religious Belief	The Action Plan will have no differential impact on this section 75 group	None
	Political Opinion		
	Racial Group		
	Age	The Age Friendly Plan contains specific reference to making Ards and North Down a great place for people to grow older. Ards and North Down has an aging population. This trend is projected to increase beyond 2030. Evidence shows if you plan for older people you plan for everyone. The intention of The Big Plan is therefore, to improve wellbeing outcomes for people of all ages, by giving them the support they need in early and later life.	Minor
	Marital Status	Ards and North Down has an aging population and statistics show that women live longer than men (79.4 years for men and 83.2 years for females)	Minor
	Sexual orientation	The Action Plan will have no differential impact on this section 75 group	None
	Men & Women generally	The Action Plan will have no differential impact on this section 75 group.	Minor
	Disability	A recurring finding from <i>The International Longevity Centre – UK (ILC-UK)</i> is that older people living with a disability are at particular risk of not knowing what services exist, how to	Minor

		start accessing them and have no say in how programmes and initiatives are developed or adapted. Through the Age Friendly Action Plan the needs of older people living with a disability will have a direct input into how the Age Friendly Action Plan is delivered by promoting opportunities to contribute to how services are accessed, knowledge of services improved and have a direct input into how services may be adapted, thus promoting equality of opportunity among this particular section 75 group.	
	Dependents	The Action Plan will have no differential impact on this section 75 group	None

2.	Are there opportunities to better promote equality of opportunity for people within the Section 75 equality categories?		
		If "Yes", provide details	If "No", provide details
	Religious Belief	Yes	
	Political Opinion	All actions are devised to promote equality of opportunity. The ageing population in Ards and North Down sit among all the Section 75 groups and the area has a diverse range of older people living. Older people are not a homogenous group and are multidimensional with their unique political opinions, religious beliefs, racial groups, age, single, in a civil partnership or married, have their unique sexual orientation and live with or with or without disabilities and or dependents. The Age Friendly Action Plan for Ards and North Down will have a positive impact across all section 75 groups.	
	Racial Group		
	Age		
	Marital Status		
	Sexual orientation		
	Men & Women generally		
	Disability		
Dependents			

3.	To what extent is the Policy likely to impact on Good Relations between people of different religious belief, political opinion or racial group?		
		Details of Impact	Level of Impact Minor/Major/None
	Religious Belief	None as the Action Plan contains an overarching ambition to promote good relations. It promotes respect, equality and tolerance between different people who live in Ards and North Down and those visiting or working in the Borough.	
	Political Opinion		
Racial Group			

4.	Are there opportunities to better promote Good Relations between people of different religious belief, political opinion or racial group?		
		If "Yes" provide details	If "No" provide details

Religious Belief	No The Age Friendly Action Plan is designed to ensure older people are facilitated to expand experience and friendships across religious belief, political opinion and racial groups.
Political Opinion	
Racial Group	

Additional Considerations

Multiple Identity Considerations	Details of Impact or potential impact (Positive/Negative)
<p>Are there any potential impacts of the policy decision on people with multiple identities? (e.g. disabled minority ethnic persons). Where appropriate provide details of data on the impact of the policy on people with multiple identities. Specify relevant Section 75 categories concerned.</p>	<p>The Age Friendly Action Plan recognises older people are not a homogenous group. The Age Friendly Action Plan aims to engage groups and individuals whilst accepting no individual is exclusive to any one S75 group and therefore 'multiple identities' has been given consideration at this time with respect to this policy.</p>

Disability Discrimination Order (NI) 2006

Does this proposed policy provide an opportunity to:	Yes / No	Explain your reasoning:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>better promote positive attitudes</u> towards disabled people - <u>increase participation</u> by disabled people in public life 	Yes	<p>This Action Plan addresses the needs of all individuals who have a disability and considers how their specific needs can be met in relation to engagement and participation to ensure an inclusive environment for all.</p>

Monitoring Arrangements

Section 75 places a requirement on the Council to have equality monitoring arrangements in place to assess the impact of policies and services, help identify barriers to fair participation and to better promote equality of opportunity.

Outline what data you could collect in the future to monitor the impact of this policy / decision on <u>equality, good relations and disability duties</u>	Comments and complaints from the consultation period and all actions in planning their delivery and the delivery itself.
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I can confirm that the proposed policy / decision have been screened for:-

X	Equality of opportunity and good relations
X	Disabilities duties

On the basis of the answers to the screening questions, I recommend that this policy / decision is:-

X	Screened Out – No EQIA necessary (no impacts)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Screened Out – Mitigating Actions (minor impacts)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Screened In – Necessary to conduct a full EQIA
	Please detail actions to be taken:

Screening assessment completed by:-

Name: Gareth McCausland
 Title: Age Friendly Coordinator
 Date: 14 June 2019
 Signature:

Director/Head of Service decision approved by:

Name: Patricia Mackey
 Title: Community Planning Manager
 Date: 14 June 2019
 Signature:

If an Equality Impact Assessment is required

Priority Rating for Timetabling an Equality Impact Assessment. (1-3)	Priority Criterion	Rating
	Effect on equality of opportunity and good relations	
	Social need	
	Effect on people's daily lives	
	Relevance to a public authority's functions	

Is this Policy Affected by Timetables established by other relevant Public Authorities?	
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Monitoring Recommendation	
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	Approval and Authorisation	Position/Job Title:	Date:
	Screened by:	Age Friendly Coordinator	14 June 2019
	Approved by:	Community Planning Manager	14 June 2019