

Adult Social Care Commissioning Strategy

Our Vision

We are proud of our vibrant and diverse city.

Our vision is that all of us in Bristol city will have the support that we need to live in a place that we call home, with the people and things that we love, in communities where we all look out for one another, doing the things that matter to us.

Sometimes, **we or the people that we care about need help** to achieve this because of a disability or health condition.

This is the role of Adult Social Care.

People in Bristol have worked in partnership to understand what this vision means for our diverse community and what we need to do to help our vision become a reality.

Our Vision builds on the work of Social Care Future

Operating Principles

The team have developed **8 key operating principles**. These principles set out how to support and facilitate the delivery of a quality and sustainable local care market.

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| One: Targeted | Five: Innovative |
| Two: Sustainable | Six: Integrated |
| Three: Co-produced | Seven: Funded |
| Four: Locally Delivered | Eight: Efficient |

Service Outcome

Bristol's Commissioning Team is split across two service areas, Accommodation and Complex Care and Community Based Care and Support.

The team, work towards the following shared service outcome:

To have sufficient supply of good-quality services, interventions and accommodation, now and in the future, which enable people to optimise their independence in their own home and thrive within their communities of choice.

How will we work to achieve our service outcome?

 Focus on maintaining good quality services	 Support a sustainable market through transparent value for money discussions	 Embed co-production and user voice into commissioning practice
 Take positive action on equality and inclusion issues	 Explore joint commissioning or collaboration that supports positive outcomes for people	 Establish strategic partnerships with providers to address chronic gaps in provision
 Encourage innovation, promoting a shift away from traditional forms of care	 Create a better environment for SME's and the VCSE to grow their local offer	 Improve our prevention offer, to prevent, reduce and delay need for long term care and support
 Increase supply of housing for people who draw upon care and support		