

Reference: AF1048011

Please fill this form to provide details of an upcoming consultation that is in your service.

All fields marked with an asterisk \* are mandatory.

## About the consultation

What is the consultation title?\*

Consultation on the Development of Northamptonshire Adult Social Services.

What is this consultation about?\*

Northamptonshire County Council's (NCC) Council Plan (2015/16 – 2019/20) establishes the strategic direction for the Council and the concept of a Next Generation Council.

The NCC core functions will be supported by a number of delivery vehicles that are separate from, but remain connected and accountable to NCC through appropriate governance arrangements.

The delivery vehicles will be commissioned by the NCC as a group of interdependent organisations. They will focus on key strategic outcomes for Northamptonshire communities.

NCC are in a period of consultation to inform and ascertain views on the new delivery organisation for adult social care. It is called Northamptonshire Adult Social Care Services (NASS).

NASS will be a company limited by guarantee and it will be a wholly owned subsidiary of the Council. NASS will directly deliver services, unless there is a need for highly specialist provision that is best provided by others. This will reduce the time and cost of external commissioning, removing the duplication of management costs, and give flexibility for swift change.

There will be a Trading Company which will retain the name and brand of Olympus Care Services (OCS). This will provide opportunity to generate income and build on the already good foundation built by OCS for traded services. The Council can sell these services to other authorities to maximise income and incentivise the market.

NASS will provide opportunities to form joint arrangements with health partners for services to specific customer groups or cohorts.

The Council will commission NASS to deliver specified outcomes within a financial envelope. NASS' performance will be monitored and be reported to the Council.

This arrangement will not transfer the accountability held by the Council to deliver its statutory and regulated functions for services to vulnerable or eligible adults and their carers, nor will it remove the statutory accountabilities of the lead member for adult services, nor the Director for Adults Social Services (the DASS).

It is essential that all existing and potential stakeholders - including current and future customers and their families and carers - are engaged with and have a chance to have their say on the design and future plans of NASS.

The outcomes of this consultation and engagement will inform final NASS modelling and/or NASS service development, as well as provide an opportunity to establish on-going dialogue.

The results of the consultation findings will be considered and presented to Councillors ahead of the

## Consultation dates

Start date\* 05 Jan 2017

End date\* 16 Feb 2017

Results expected by? Please leave a reasonable amount of 14 Mar 2017 time after your consultation has concluded.\*

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What is the subject of the consultation?\*

- Academies and Free Schools
- Adults
- Advertisement
- Airports
- Animals
- Anti social behaviour
- Archives
- Armed Forces
- Arts
- Aviation
- Births
- Black Minority Ethnic (BME) Communities
- Boats and Shipping Vessels
- Budget
- Building
- Bus
- Business
- Bylaws
- Campaigns
- Canal and Rivers
- Care
- Carers
- Central Government
- Charity
- Children and young people
- Children's Rights
- Coastguard
- Communication
- Community safety
- Conservation
- Construction
- Consumer Affairs
- Council Tax

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- Countryside
- Courts
- Credit
- Crime and Law Enforcement
- Culture
- Cycle Ways
- Deaths
- Deregulation
- Development
- Discrimination or Harassment
- Distribution
- Economic Development
- Education
- Elections
- Emergency
- Emergency Planning
- Employment
- Energy
- Entertainment
- Environment
- Equality, Equal Opportunities and Diversity
- Evaluation
- Facilities
- Families
- Faith and belief (including non-belief)
- Finance
- Fire and Rescue Services
- Firearms
- Food
- Footpaths
- Freedom of Information
- Gambling and Lottery
- Gender Identity
- Governors
- Grants
- Health and Safety
- Heritage

- Housing
- Human Rights
- Identity Cards
- Immigration and Asylum
- Imports and Exports
- Infant
- Information
- Interest Groups
- International
- IRMP
- Jobs
- Junior
- Land
- Learning Disability
- Legislation and Law
- Leisure
- Letting
- Libraries
- Licences
- Livestock
- Local
- Local Government
- Maintenance
- Manufacturing
- Markets
- Marriage
- Measures
- Medical Care and Advice
- Mental Health
- Mineral Extraction
- Mining and Minerals
- Modernisation
- Money flows
- Motor Vehicles
- Neighbourhood Renewal
- Nursing
- Older People
- Parking

- Parks
- Parliament
- Partnership working
- Partnerships
- Pavements
- Physical Disability
- Planning
- Police
- Political Structure
- Pollution
- Pregnancy and maternity
- Premises
- Primary
- Privacy and Data Protection
- Procurement
- Promotion
- Property
- Protection
- Public Consultation
- Public Funding
- Public Rights of Way
- Public Safety
- Public Transport
- Publications
- Quakers
- Quarrying
- Rail
- Rates
- Records
- Recreation
- Recruitment
- Recycling
- Regeneration
- Registration
- Regulation
- Rescue Services
- Reservoirs

- Residents survey
- Retail
- Roads and Highways
- Rubbish and Waste
- Rural Communities
- Salvation Army
- Schools
- School Admissions
- Scrap Metal
- Secondary
- Secular Societies
- Self Employment
- Sensory Impairment
- Service planners or deliverers
- Services
- Sexual Orientation
- Shops
- Social Clubs
- Social Inclusion
- Social Policy
- Sports
- Stakeholders
- Standards
- Stations
- Strategic framework
- Street Trading
- Sustainability
- Taxi and Minicab
- Teaching
- Tourism
- Town Centre
- Trade
- Trading Standards
- Training
- Transport
- Travel
- Twinning
- Unemployment

- Unions
- Urban
- VAT (Value Added Tax)
- Village Halls
- Voluntary Organisations
- Voting
- Waste
- Wealth check
- Welfare and Welfare Services
- Weights
- Wildlife

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## Area

What area of the county does this consultation affect?\*

- Corby
- Daventry
- East Northamptonshire
- Kettering
- Northampton
- Northamptonshire Countywide
- South Northamptonshire
- Wellingborough

How can I take part? How can people engage? Please add any links to previous consultations and relevant consultation documents\*

There are a variety of ways for local people and organisations to have their say about NASS during the six-week consultation period. These channels include:

By online questionnaire.

- By emailing the address at the bottom of this page.

- In writing: NASS Consultation, Engagement, Participation and Involvement Team, Northamptonshire County Council, County Hall, PO Box 177, Northampton, NN1 1AY.

- Social media: tweeting @mycountycouncil or posting comments on our Facebook page.

- By coming to a meeting.

To help us manage the meeting register your attendance by emailing the address at the bottom of this page with your name, organisation (if relevant), contact details, specific requirement (if relevant) and which meeting you would like to attend. Please note that one date of these meetings is specifically for providers/partners only.

For providers/partners only:

•27th January 2017, 2.15pm to 3.15pm – Council Chamber, County Hall, Northampton NN1 1ED.

•27th January 2017, 3.30pm to 4.30pm – Council Chamber, County Hall, Northampton NN1 1ED.

For public, customers and carers:

•2nd February, 4.30pm to 6.30pm - Patrick Road Resource Centre, Patrick Road, Corby, NN18 9NP.

•8th February, 4.00pm to 6.00pm - Riverside Resource Centre, Islington Road, Towcester, NN12 6AU.

•\*\*\* 10th February 2017, 10:00am to 12:00 noon – Gladstone Resource Centre, Gladstone Road, Northampton, NN5 7EJ. \*\*\* Please note this venue has since changed from what was initially advertised \*\*\*

Customer and service user groups will also be able to hold their own discussions. Please email the address at the bottom of this page if you would like a slide pack to help.

Please contact us, by emailing the address at the bottom of this page, if you would like a copy of this questionnaire in another version, including a paper copy or in an easy read format.

## **Who can I talk to about this consultation?**

First name

Last name

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