

Life Rooms Advisory Group

Minutes

18.10.17 1pm Walton Life Rooms

1. Welcome	
2. Present	<p>CR; AP; AC; JH; JS; JR; JM; CM; NR; AN; SA; VR; YW; ZD</p> <p>(Michael Crilly, Jane Holland and Neil Tunstall came for the beginning of the meeting)</p>
3. Apologies	DA; AT; DW
4. Terms of reference – why are we here?	<p>The Life Rooms Advisory Group will work co-productively to fulfil and develop the aims of the Life Rooms. We plan to develop the Life Rooms by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optimising the service available; • Improving engagement and awareness; • Ensuring equality of opportunity; • Responding to need; and • Developing an evidence base.
5. Role description	Attached – comments by email
6. Community engagement feedback	<p>Initial priorities for LRAAG agreed as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community events • Carer support • Recovery College developments (including earlier timetables, opportunities outside of term time, more social groups and greater opportunity for volunteer involvement) • Improving awareness • Out of hours opportunities • Improving access • Café improvements <p>Improving awareness was agreed as something</p>

	<p>the group could work on first. The group agreed that in order to do this we would focus on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visits to clinical services CR to link group in with Life Rooms clinical liaison • Promotional opportunities including flyers, stories, linking with EFC/LFC, videos CR to link group with Life Rooms Events manager • Speaking at relevant meetings • Linking with universities • Linking with talking therapy services
7. Life Rooms evaluation work	CR and AP gave an overview of current evaluation work
8. AOB	LRAG to have sight of LR aims and objectives before next meeting – CR to email
9. Date of next meeting	Wednesday 24 th January 1pm Southport Life Rooms