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Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2023

# PROVIDER BULLETIN

## KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Upcoming events can also be viewed in the [EVENTS CALENDAR](#) in the Provider Zone!

- Black history month until 31<sup>st</sup> October
- Registered managers webinar 'I'm a technophobe' – 8<sup>th</sup> October
- Cancer screening and welfare event 9<sup>th</sup> October
- Hate crime awareness week – 8<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> October
- Service of Hope and Remembrance – 14<sup>th</sup> October
- Cost of living fund deadline -16<sup>th</sup> October
- New Vision Bradford Launch Event – 17<sup>th</sup> October
- Care Association Alliance Conference 2023 - 18th October 2023
- Registered manager webinar integrated care – 25<sup>th</sup> October
- Dying matters workshop – 26<sup>th</sup> October
- Saying Goodbye Service – 29<sup>th</sup> October
- 'State of...' report – 18<sup>th</sup> November

## Congratulations

to those shortlisted for the  
Celebrate as One Awards



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BIG NEWS! Finalists for the #CelebrateAsOne2023 awards have been announced! 📣

We've been blown away by the number of entries that demonstrate our Act as One ethos – to help keep people happy, healthy at home. 🌟

Congratulations finalists: <https://bdcpartnership.co.uk/awards/>

## FREE INTRODUCTORY OFFER TO 30 BRADFORD CARE HOMES

IMPAQT FOR CARE digital system is a comprehensive, day to day management, performance and quality tool that is designed to support Registered Managers, Nominated Individuals and Quality Leads within care homes, to drive robust governance, evidence compliance, support safety and quality, and demonstrate continuous improvement.

The system provides a range of functions including audits, templates, monitoring and reflective tools, action plans, prompts / notifications, a number of key reports to identify themes and trends, and also connects to other digital systems, including Person Centred Software (PCS) digital care planning records and Skills for Care's ASC-WDS.

IMPAQT FOR CARE has been built and piloted with the support of several Bradford Care Homes and for a limited time is available completely FREE of charge for 12 months.

To request a system demo, please contact Rachael Ross on 07813 321570 or email [rachael@careimpagt.org](mailto:rachael@careimpagt.org)

For further information, visit the website [www.impagtcare.com](http://www.impagtcare.com) or read the flyer [HERE](#).

## SECTOR PULSE CHECK REPORT

Care England and Hft are continuing their partnership to deliver the annual Sector Pulse Check report, which provides a snapshot of the workforce and financial health of the adult social care sector based on a survey for care providers. The Sector Pulse Check helps monitor trends and provides vital data illustrating the nature and scale of ongoing challenges to Government – your involvement is needed to ensure it has the desired impact on Government and other key stakeholders.

**The Sector Pulse Check 2023 survey is now open - please take the time to fill out the survey, accessible [here](#). You can find the list of questions to consult prior to completing the survey [here](#).** We ask that the survey is only completed once per organisation and is aimed at senior leadership or management level.

The deadline for responses is **13 October 2023**.

If you have any questions regarding the completion of the survey or wider report, please get in contact Victoria Hemmingway, Head of Public Affairs and Policy at Hft ([victoria.hemmingway@hft.org.uk](mailto:victoria.hemmingway@hft.org.uk)).

## LOWEST LEVELS OF AIR POLLUTION EVER SINCE INTRODUCTION OF BRADFORD CLEAN AIR ZONE

The Clean Air Zone has been in place for 12 months, to improve illegally high levels of air pollution and improve the health of our residents. Thanks to businesses and transport operators taking advantage of grants and investing in upgrading their vehicles we have seen significant improvements in air quality levels. You can read more about [12 months of the Clean Air Zone in our press release](#).

## NEW GAMBLING RESOURCES FOR ORGANISATIONS

Gambling Understood is a new campaign by the Association of Directors of Public Health Yorkshire and Humber to help plug the knowledge gap on prevalence, harms, tactics and support. The campaign focusses on the facts which will encourage and empower people to talk and seek further information. View and download the materials at [www.gamblingunderstood.co.uk](http://www.gamblingunderstood.co.uk)

## SERVICE OF HOPE AND REMEMBRANCE (NATIONAL HATE CRIME AWARENESS WEEK)

This year's National Hate Crime Awareness Week, starting on Saturday 14 October, is focusing on 'religiously motivated hate' and Bradford Cathedral is hosting an interfaith service to, again, celebrate our city's long and meaningful history of interfaith relationships. Working closely with Bradford City Council and Bradford Hate Crime Alliance, Bradford Cathedral will begin the week by standing alongside people of other faiths and sharing, from our different faith traditions, how we are called to honour and respect people across religious divides. [For more information and to book your place, please visit Eventbrite.](#)

## SAYING GOODBYE SERVICE AT BRADFORD CATHEDRAL

Saying Goodbye is a service for people who have suffered the loss of a baby or have not been able to have children. All are welcome regardless of the type or circumstances of loss they have experienced. The service will take place at Bradford Cathedral on Sunday 29 October from 3.30pm. [Find out more and book your place at the service](#)

## NEW VISION BRADFORD LAUNCH EVENT

New Vision Bradford provides support for people experiencing issues with substance use across Bradford District and Craven. On Tuesday 17 October, New Vision will be holding an official launch event at Victoria Hall in Saltaire from 9.30am - 2.30pm. We will be talking about who we are, how we support people with issues with substances and alcohol and how we can work with you. [Find out more and register to attend.](#)

## NATIONAL EVENT FOR NOMINATED INDIVIDUALS

**Wednesday 29 November | 11:00 – 12:30**

Skills for Care is hosting its third national event for nominated individuals, where the focus will be digital leadership and digital transformation. This event will support you to develop your own digital strategies and help you identify ways to develop the digital capabilities and skills for your workforce. You'll hear from providers about their own digital journey and how they've developed their digital leadership skills. There will also be regional break-out discussions, where you'll discover more about Skills for Care's support and resources aimed at nominated individuals, including our networks and handbook.

Register now [HERE](#) or contact [Denise.baran@skillsforcare.org.uk](mailto:Denise.baran@skillsforcare.org.uk)

## LAST CHANCE TO BOOK!!!

**Both programmes below are fully funded by the Skills for Care Workforce Development Fund (WDF) and BCA.**

### Well Led Programme

The fully funded **Well-led programme** is aimed at experienced **Registered Managers, Clinical Leads and Nominated Individuals**.

It will enable individuals to enhance their skills to lead and transform care services, and develop strategies to lead change, e.g. to **CQC's new single assessment framework!!**

**The programme runs over 4 days (9.30am to 3.30pm), with attendance required on each day, and it starts on 19th October.**

**There is an induction session on 06/10/23 at 10am** (on MS Teams hosted by BCA)

**The dates of the course are: 19/10/23, 14/11/23, 12/12/23, 09/01/24**, and it is being delivered by Leeds Leadership Academy at Keighley College.

**To book a place on the induction meeting & course follow this link -**

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/well-led-course-induction-meeting-tickets-711235633927?aff=oddtcreator>

Find out more - <https://www.skillsforcare.org.uk/resources/documents/Developing-your-workforce/Endorsement/Licenced-programmes/Well-led.pdf>

### Lead to Succeed Programme

The fully funded **Lead to Succeed programme** is aimed at **new Registered Managers (with less than 12 months experience), Deputies, Registered Nurses and Aspiring Managers**. It will enable individuals to develop their leadership skills, plus to learn approaches to manage the soon to come change to **CQC's single assessment framework**.

**The programme runs over 5 days (9.30am to 3.30pm), with attendance required on each day, and it starts on 19<sup>th</sup>October. There is an induction session on 10/10/23 at 11.30am** (on MS Teams hosted by BCA)

**The dates are: 19/10/23, 14/11/23, 12/12/23, 11/01/24, and 15/02/24** and it is being delivered by Leeds Leadership Academy at Scorex House, Bradford and Keighley College.

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<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/lead-to-succeed-induction-meeting-tickets-732048746507?aff=oddtcreator>

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# Dementia Training Modules for Adult Social Care Staff in West Yorkshire

This is an opportunity for Adult Social Care staff across West Yorkshire to attend a range of training webinars to raise awareness, develop knowledge and increase skills when supporting individuals living with dementia.

Webinars will take place on Microsoft Teams and include a range of interactive activities.

There are 3 different modules listed below. Staff can choose to attend one, two or all three sessions dependent on the content that is most relevant to their roles.

Dementia Awareness  
(1 hour)

Person-centred Dementia Care  
(2 hours)

End of Life Dementia Care  
(2 hours)

Delivered in partnership with St Gemma's Hospice Academic Unit of Palliative Care



## Who is eligible?

Places are fully funded and open to staff working within the Adult Social Care sector, including Personal Assistants, based in West Yorkshire.



## How do I book a place?

For more details and to book a place using the Eventbrite page, please click [this link](#) and follow the instructions.

If you have any questions, please contact [AHOWDTrainingCalendar@leeds.gov.uk](mailto:AHOWDTrainingCalendar@leeds.gov.uk).

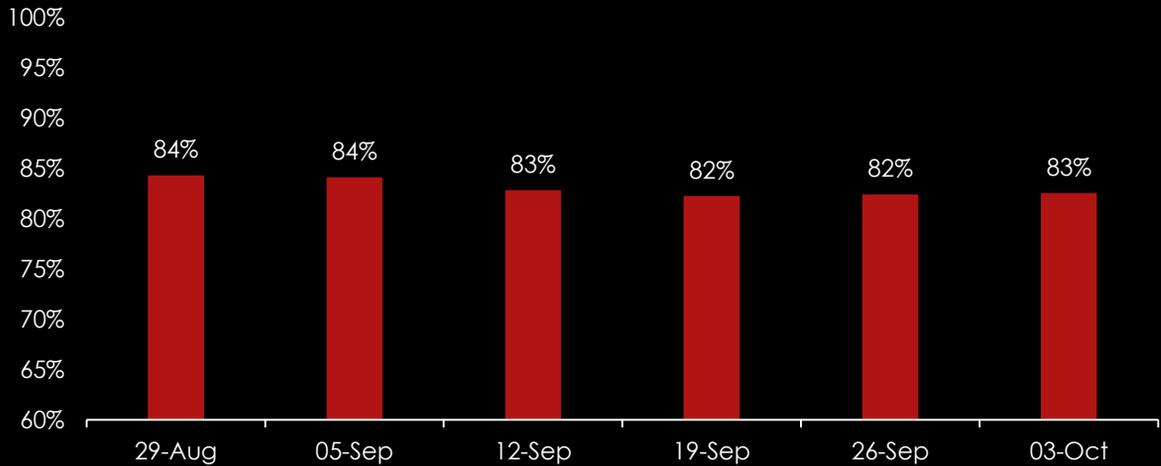
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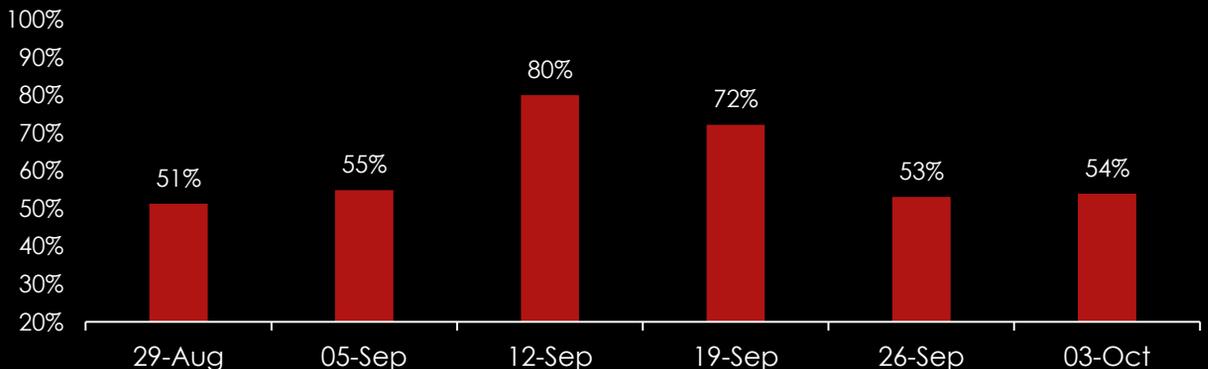
# BRADFORD CARE HOMES WEEKLY UPDATE

Please find the data below on Care Homes in the Bradford District for your information. The following data has been provided by the Council's Senior Management Team in the Contract and Commissioning Team.

## Bradford Care Home Occupancy Rate



## Bradford Care Home Completed Tracker in last 7 days



### Data Sources:

Weekly Deaths, Office National Statistics.

Covid Infections, Occupancy and Tracker, NESC Capacity Tracker. Bradford

Outbreaks,  
HPT