

York drug and alcohol service launch event

Wednesday 26th July, 11am to 1.30pm
Priory Street Centre, 15 Priory Street, York, YO1 6ET

**Changing Lives and Spectrum CIC are proud to be
the new providers of drug and alcohol services in York.**

Our launch event will bring together people with a passion for supporting recovery in York.
Come along and help shape the future of recovery in the city.

Meet key staff involved in the service and give us your views on how we can make
improvements that work for you. We'd value your input and hope you can join us.

**Please RSVP to Ellie.McLaren@changing-lives.org.uk
by no later than Wednesday 19th July.**

See next page for important advance information about the day.

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Format of the day

If you work with people who require drug and alcohol recovery services in York, this event is for you.

By the end of the event, we hope to have achieved the following:

- ✓ Increased awareness and understanding of the partnership and our services
- ✓ Answered any questions you have
- ✓ Developed a shared understanding of co-production and how this will be part of the service
- ✓ Identified next steps and the people who wish to continue engaging with us

It promises to be an interesting and productive day. We hope you're able to attend.

Come as you, not as your job

Our attendees on the day will come from all walks of life.

They will represent a wide range of experiences around drug / alcohol addiction and recovery.

To ensure open discussion – without preconceptions – we'd like everyone to **wear casual clothes and identify themselves by first name only.**

No work clothes or job talk please!

At the end, there will be the opportunity for people to share who they are, should they wish to, but there is no pressure to do so.

What do you want to know?

We know there will be lots of questions about the service, and that people may share common concerns and queries.

We'd like to prepare an FAQ document in advance and provide this to all attendees.

To help us, **please email us with any questions you have in advance.**

We will still welcome questions on the day and each partner will have a staffed stand during the breaks should you want to ask questions one-to-one.

Finding us

The venue is in York city centre and close to public transport. See www.priorystreetcentre.org.uk for venue map and directions. Please note parking is limited.