



# Local Area Coordination in the Sinfin Ward



Supporting vulnerable people to  
get a life not a service.



Derby City Council





# What is Local Area Coordination?

Local Area Coordination supports people in Derby City who are vulnerable as a result of physical/learning disability, mental health issues, sensory impairment or age related difficulties to:

## **1. Think about their vision for a good life**

Time to talk and think about what would make life better

## **2. Identify their strengths, skills and gifts**

Help finding volunteering opportunities

## **3. Access a range of information**

Support to find information or help navigating the internet

## **4. Develop relationships and community networks**

Support to meet new people or connect with old friends

## **5. Get their voice heard**

Help to speak to services and professionals

## **6. Take actions to make their life better**

Help with planning practical steps to make changes

## **7. Be more involved in their community**

Information about activities and groups in their area

## **8. Get the right help from services**

Help to organise support to live life

A Local Area Coordinator will take the time to get to know you, your family and your community.





## What the people we support have said

“It’s really nice to be able to come and talk to the same person face to face.”

“The Local Area Coordinator must have done a lot of talking to a lot of people because they were a mine of information...which was very good.”

“The Local Area Coordinator has spent their time getting to know people. Word spreads. Word of mouth is really important. They come to you, you don’t have to try and get to them.”





## Your Local Area Coordinator:



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Sinfin Community Centre, 50 Swallowdale Road

Our team currently support people living in the following wards: Abbey, Alvaston, Arboretum, Darley, Derwent, Normanton and Sinfin. We are recording requests for support in other wards as we may be able to help in the future. If you don't live in these wards but you think you may benefit from the support of a Local Area Coordinator, please contact:

**Neil Woodhead - LAC Team Manager**

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We can give you this information in any other way, style or language that will help you access it. Please contact us on: 01332 642565  
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Polish

Aby ułatwić Państwu dostęp do tych informacji, możemy je Państwu przekazać w innym formacie, stylu lub języku.

Prosimy o kontakt: 01332 642565 Tel. tekstowy: 01332 640666

Punjabi

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Urdu

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