

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2025



To submit any material for the bulletin, the deadline is 5pm the day before the next edition is due. Please ensure any information you consult is from a reliable source, including the NHS, or Public Health England. Information should be sent to [ProviderBulletin@bradford.gov.uk](mailto:ProviderBulletin@bradford.gov.uk).

## KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Upcoming events can also be viewed in the **EVENTS CALENDAR** in the Provider Zone.

*If you are aware of any upcoming events and would like to advertise on the Event Calendar, please visit [HERE](#) and post an entry.*

## YELLOW WARNING OF SNOW AFFECTING YORKSHIRE & HUMBER- STORM GORETTI

There are two warnings for Snow across the region.

Particularly for our area - a broader YELLOW snow warning (LOW likelihood of MEDIUM impacts) valid from 1700 on Thursday 08 Jan until 1200 on Friday 09 Jan; and

South of our district - a more targeted AMBER snow warning (MEDIUM likelihood of MEDIUM impacts) focused across the southern Pennines and the Peak District valid from 2000 on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> January until 0900 on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> January.



# CARE HOMES AND HOME SUPPORT PROVIDERS – CAPACITY TRACKER UPDATE

The January compliance window will open on Thursday 8th January and closes on Wednesday 14th January 2026.

Care Homes are reminded that weekly Capacity Tracker updates will ensure the Care Home Brokerage Team have the most up to date information about vacancies. Update before Monday morning each week to ensure details are current for that week.

## CARE HOME BROKERAGE SERVICE UPDATE

Following the BCA Provider Update meeting on 23rd December, you can read our response to the queries and concerns raised about the Care Home Brokerage service under *Guidance and Training Resources* here: <https://bradford.connecttosupport.org/provider-zone/care-home-brokerage/>. We've also uploaded some performance metrics from the team for the first seven weeks of operation.



## TENA VIRTUAL PRODUCT TRAINING

All sessions start at 2pm for 1 hour

SESSIONS COVER -	DATES	INFORMATION
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• TENA product assessments</li><li>• TENA product range</li><li>• Correct fitting of TENA products</li><li>• How to get the best of the TENA products</li><li>• Technology of TENA products</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 13th January</li><li>• 19th February</li><li>• 5th March</li><li>• 14th april</li><li>• 7th may</li><li>• 11th june</li></ul>	<p>The training is delivered via MS TEAMS with Jo Gledhill</p> <p>If you are interested in the sessions please email</p> <p><a href="mailto:Jo.Gledhill@essity.com">Jo.Gledhill@essity.com</a></p> <p>with the dates required</p>

ESSITY INTERNAL

Click [HERE](#) for the TENA newsletter

**IMMEDI CARE TIMETABLE FOR JANUARY 2026**



BSAB is introducing their new priorities for the coming year, alongside newly developing 'golden threads' which highlight recurring themes and key focuses. Below are the golden threads and priorities, alongside a QR code for a survey, that aims to obtain general public and frontline practitioner feedback on the priorities.

### **Golden Threads throughout Priorities**

- Voice and Lived Experience: Shaping decisions, policies, and practice through the voices of adults and the insights of those who support and care for them.
- Evidence-Informed, Data-Driven Practice Decisions are grounded in robust evidence and intelligent use of data in all its forms including facts, experiences, and insights.
- Partnership, Collaboration and Shared Accountability: Agencies work together with clear, collective responsibility for outcomes.
- Learning from Experience: A safeguarding adult's culture that reflects, innovates, and grows continuously
- Inclusivity and Flexibility: Approaches adapt to diverse needs and changing circumstances.
- Robust Assurance and Safety: Strong governance, safeguarding principles, and trauma-informed practice underpin all activity

### **Priorities**

- Priority 1: Improve Awareness of Adult Safeguarding
  - Priority 2: Prevention of Abuse and Neglect
- Priority 3: Engagement and Making Safeguarding Personal
- Priority 4: Stakeholder Collaboration and Workforce Development



Please scan QR code to complete the survey on BSAB priorities.

<https://online1.snapsurveys.com/BSABpriorities>

**TRAINING SCHEDULE JAN-MAR 2026 FREE FOR BDCT  
COMMUNITY TEAMS, CARE HOME AND DOMICILLIARY CARE  
STAFF @KEIGHLEY HEALTH CENTRE**

**0930-12.30 - Palliative care + EOL care**

**13-16.30 BD Bodyguard syringe pump**

09 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2025	Health education room Oakworth Rd, Keighley BD21 1SA
23 <sup>rd</sup> Jan 2026	Health education room Oakworth Rd, Keighley BD21 1SA
6 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	Health education room Oakworth Rd, Keighley BD21 1SA
13 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	Health education room Oakworth Rd, Keighley BD21 1SA
20 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	Health education room Oakworth Rd, Keighley BD21 1SA
27 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	Health education room Oakworth Rd, Keighley BD21 1SA
10 <sup>th</sup> April 2026	Health education room Oakworth Rd, Keighley BD21 1SA
17 <sup>th</sup> April 2026	Health education room Oakworth Rd, Keighley BD21 1SA
24 <sup>th</sup> April 2026	Health education room Oakworth Rd, Keighley BD21 1SA

Please email [palliativecareadmin@bdct.nhs.uk](mailto:palliativecareadmin@bdct.nhs.uk) to book a place



# NEW IN 2026 **LEAD TO SUCCEED COURSE**

Exclusive Offer

**Aspiring Managers  
New Managers  
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5 Modules delivered Face to Face  
Fees claimable through LDSS

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Starts  
**15 January 2026**

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# Through out January we have free gentle dance classes

Every Monday 1pm - 2pm  
Wednesday 11am - 12pm

We have a welcome space for all to  
sit and enjoy a chat and drink  
after each session

Start a healthy  
new year with  
our free gentle  
exercise class

Bierley Community Centre,  
102 - 104 Bierley House Ave,  
BD4 6BU



Dementia-friendly

**West Yorkshire Police Cyber Team**  
**Winner of the National Cyber Awards 2025**  
are offering two new learning opportunities to help professionals protect  
people from online abuse and exploitation.

**Cyber Safety Basics for Safeguarding Children and Vulnerable Adults Online**  
**10.00-12.00 on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> January 2026– Virtual**

In today's digitally connected world, cyber safety is an essential component of safeguarding practice, not merely a technical issue. Whether protecting children from online grooming and bullying, or shielding vulnerable adults from scams, coercion, and digital exploitation, understanding cyber safety is vital for anyone in a safeguarding role.

This session is designed to equip professionals, carers, and families with the foundational knowledge needed to identify and respond to digital risks early—before they escalate into safeguarding emergencies. By recognising the signs of technology-facilitated harm, practitioners can take proactive steps to reduce opportunities for abusers to target children and adults at risk, and create safer online environments for those they support.

**Cyber Protect – Clicks to Consequences**  
**10.00 to 11.00 on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2026 - virtual**

Online harm groups are becoming more sophisticated, exploiting gaming platforms and encrypted messaging apps. Early intervention and open conversations are critical. This webinar will give you the tools to spot the signs, start the conversation, and take action.

***“The internet never sleeps—and neither do the risks.”***

From gaming platforms to encrypted messaging apps, online spaces can quickly turn dangerous for children and vulnerable adults. Join our **Cyber Protect – Clicks to Consequences** webinar to uncover the hidden threats, hear real-life cases, and learn **practical steps to safeguard those you care about**.

This isn't just theory—it's actionable advice from experts on the front line. If you work with young people, care for vulnerable individuals, or simply want to stay ahead of online dangers, this session is for you.

**Don't wait for harm to happen—get informed, get prepared, and make the digital world safer.**

**To book your place please login into your Enable account. Once on your account, go to “Events,” “Available Events” and type the training into the search engine and request your place.**

**If you do not have an account please request [Create an account](#). Once you have an account please follow the instructions above.**

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# HOLDING THE SPACE

NEUROSPICY ART SPACES IN BRADFORD



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DEDICATED TO ART AND ARTISTIC EXPRESSION?  
WANT TO HONE YOUR CRAFT, AND MEET OTHER  
ENTHUSIASTIC ARTISTS?

WANT TO SEE WHAT IT COULD BE LIKE TO  
MAKE YOUR OWN WORK IN THE ART WORLD?

WANT TO MEET AND LISTEN TO OTHER N-D  
PROFESSIONAL ARTISTS AND LEARN?

TELL US WHERE YOU ARE AND WE WILL  
COME TO YOU!

**17yrs+ and Adults**



18 SESSIONS AVAILABLE + MORE TO COME IN 2026  
REFERRALS TO: [INFO@UNITEDARTPROJECT.CO.UK](mailto:INFO@UNITEDARTPROJECT.CO.UK)



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**PROJECT SHINE**

A 6-WEEK ARTS PSYCHOTHERAPY GROUP FOR  
NEURODIVERGENT ADULTS WHO ARE NOT IN  
EMPLOYMENT AND WHO WOULD LIKE TO:  
CONNECT, EXPLORE, QUESTION, PLAY, FEEL, THINK  
AND SEE.

DESIGNED TO MAKE FRIENDS, TRY SOMETHING NEW,  
GAIN CONFIDENCE IN SOCIAL SITUATIONS AND  
DEVELOP YOUR COMMUNICATION  
SKILLS

**17yrs+ and Adults**



**STARTING IN FEBRUARY 2026**

FOR MORE INFO / SEND REFERRALS TO:



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