

Thursday 1 May 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.

PROVIDER BULLETIN

KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

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

- BITESIZE TRAINING SESSION: DIGITAL INCLUSION AND THE DIGITAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH – 7th May
- CENTRE OF EXPERTISE ON CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE - ROADSHOW EVENT 2025 – 7th May
- FREE ONLINE WEBINAR FOR IDENTIFYING AND ADDRESSING BARRIERS TO BETTER OUTCOMES – 21st May
- PSYCHOLOGY AND PSYCHOLOGICAL PROFESSIONAL'S WEBINAR – 12th June
- INFORMATION SHARING CONFERENCE – SAFEGUARDING WEEK 2025 – 25th June

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

IMPORTANT MESSAGE FOR CARE HOME PROVIDERS

Bradford Council is in the early stages of planning for a new Care Home Brokerage team. The team will support people assessed as needing a care home and their families / carers in identifying suitable placements using a formal brokerage approach. The aim is to standardise how care home placements are made in Bradford and to improve people's experiences of finding a care home. It is important that the new process works well for care homes as well, so we are setting up a Provider Advisory Group to input into the development of the new brokerage team. If you are interested in being involved in the group, please email holly.watson@bradford.gov.uk by 15th May.

For the May **Immedicare timetable**, please click [HERE](#).

LIVING WELL: WALK TO SCHOOL WEEK

Please access and download a toolkit of resources to promote walk to school week (19th -23rd May). [The communications toolkit can be downloaded from the Living Well website](#)

[Making the most of funding for training in 2025-26: the Adult Social Care Learning and Development Support Scheme](#)

JOIN US AT THE BRADFORD SAFEGUARDING ADULTS BOARD PRACTITIONER FORUM

Bradford Safeguarding Adults Board (BSAB) is inviting you to join our upcoming practitioner forum, designed to promote collaboration and communication between safeguarding partners and frontline practitioners. The next online event, taking place on Microsoft Teams, will be on Tuesday 20th May from 12pm to 1pm or you can book on to a session being held on Tuesday 15th July from 1pm to 2pm. Led by Terry Hudson, the Independent Chair of BSAB, this is an opportunity for dedicated professionals from across the district to directly get involved with the Safeguarding Adults Board. For further information regarding the practitioner forums, how to signup and get involved, [please visit the Safer Bradford website.](#)

HAVE YOUR SAY ON THE DRAFT LIBRARIES STRATEGY 2025-30

Consultation is underway with local people to get views and feedback in order to shape the final Libraries Strategy.

You can find out more about the draft strategy and how you can have your say here <https://www.bradford.gov.uk/libraries/services-in-our-libraries/survey-on-the-draft-libraries-strategy/>

The new strategy will ensure libraries remain vibrant, impactful, and accessible to all. This strategy builds on the successes of the previous five years, adapting to changing needs, economic challenges, and emerging opportunities while staying true to the vision of delivering outstanding library services that make a real difference to people's lives.

[Find out more](#)

For the **Comprehensive Guide to the New Immigration Rules** click [HERE](#)

The benefits of hosting student placements – information for adult social care providers click [HERE.](#)

For the **DASV training calendar 2025-2026** click [HERE](#)

Please find the link to CQC's **Brief Guide: Crisis Response Lines – NHS 111 'select mental health option',** [HERE.](#)