















<u>Ageing Well Targeted Falls Prevention – Strength and Balance Programme March – September 2022</u>

City-wide delivery, as agreed by Ageing well Board, to support residents to improve their strength and balance to reduce falls and social isolation

Delivery	Area of	Additionality	Activity	Contact details
partner	the city			
Pallion Action Group 5 Eastmoor Road, Pallion SR4 6QW	Pallion, Barnes, St Anne's, and Millfield areas		Weekly yoga and Pilate's sessions specifically targeting, vulnerable older residents at risk of falling, to improve their strength and balance.	Karen Noble 0191 5142011 www.pallionactiongroup.co.uk
St Luke's Neighbourhood Trust Merle Terrace, Pallion SR4 6SF	Pallion area, Millfield, and Ford Estate	Transport will pick up and drop off from people's homes who need to have this option.	Falling on Your Feet (FOYF) is a contemporary high quality dance programme for people aged 65+. FOYF's aim is to improve balance and coordination to help prevent falls	Lian Maltas 07522372881 lukescentre@gmail.com
Active Families NE CIC Ryhope Community Centre Pennywell Community centre	Pennywell, Usworth and Ryhope and surroundings areas		Mission 2 Mobility for Active Families - YouTube Active Families have been devising a new intervention with the aim of improving the physical and mental wellbeing of older people with a particular emphasis on increasing levels of fitness, strength, and balance to reduce the risk of falls and further deterioration of their mental health.	Kelly Brougham 07946269005 kelly@activefamiliesne.co.uk















Everyone Active Sunderland Sunderland Aquatic Centre	Silksworth, Sandhill, Hendon	Parkinson's UK have access to funds to provide transport around the City	Working in partnership with Parkinson's UK, Sunderland Parkinson's UK branch and NHS Parkinson's physiotherapists Everyone Active will host and deliver an exciting new health and wellbeing pilot and project	Craig Buchanan 07920292367 craigbuchanan@everyoneactive.com
Foundation of Light Beacon of Light Stadium Park Sunderland SR5 1SN	Houghton, Redhill, Ryhope	Burn Promenade, DH4 5EJ Pembroke Court, SR5 4DF Wadham Court, SR2 0AP,	Strength and Balance' will target those residents who are at risk of frailty and will support them in a group exercise programme in their communal areas. The 12-week programme will be predominately seated advancing to standing and some balance challenge exercises. All sessions involve weekly homework tasks and confidence building and support. The participants will receive a workbook to support their participation in the programme.	Keith Brazier 0191 563 4757 Keith.brazier@foundationoflight.co.uk
Sunderland Culture National Glass Centre, Liberty Way, Sunderland	Washington central and East, Hendon, Hetton, Shiney row and Copt hill		The Dementia Friendly swim sessions will be held in Everyone Active venues in both Washington and in Raich Carter in Hendon Dance Dance Dance will be held in Washington Art Centre which is in the Washington East ward. This corresponds with a high proportion of people over 65 that have a recorded support need in that area.	Vicki Kennedy 0191 5155555 7904781228 vicki.kennedy@sunderlandculture.org.uk

















			Dance and Aerial Programme will be held at Everyone Active and Tempest Dance Studio, both in Washington	
			Central, the fifth highest area with	
			people over the age of 65 with a health	
			recorded health need.	
			Gentle Walking Programme can	
			practise a flexible delivered project	
			base and has the ability to utilise green spaces across the City. A total of ten	
			walks can be programmed in a	
			specifically targeted area such as	
			Hetton/Shiney Row/Copt Hill Coalfields	
			residents (all with high numbers of	
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Southwick Altogether Raising Aspirations	Southwick	Guildacre Fields, Lord Gort Close,	Propose to work together to deliver a project that supports older residents at	Vicki Neal/ Graham Wharton 07867156667
(SARA) and the		Albany House	risk of falling to improve their strength	Vicki.neal@sunderland.gov.uk
Salvation Army p		and St Columba	and balance and reduce their social	Graham.Wharton@salvationarmy.org.uk
		Court.	isolation. The project will involve four	
			sheltered housing schemes in the	
			Southwick ward Qigong classes will be	
			delivered to participants aged 65+.	
			Qigong is a gentle exercise which can be undertaken in a seated position if	
			required, it improves balance, posture,	
			endurance, flexibility, and coordination.	
			The activities will be based at	
			Guildacre Fields (10 weeks) Lord Gort	
			Close (10 weeks) and Austin House	

















	(20 weeks) residents from Albany House and St Columba Court will be offered free transport to and from the activities. Residents from the Southwick ward will also be welcome to the classes. Advertising for activities will be via sheltered housing scheme managers, posters in housing schemes, doctors' surgeries, community centres etc, social media and leaflet drops.	
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