











## SOCIAL PRESCRIBING LINK WORKERS



Improving the health and wellbeing of Bassetlaw residents through supported access and navigation into local services and support













Our social prescribing link workers are specialists with a wealth of knowledge and experience about services in Bassetlaw.

Anyone over the age of 16 who is registered at any Bassetlaw surgery can access this service.

The social prescribing link workers will take the time to discuss with patients the many voluntary, community and statutory services that may help to improve a patients health and wellbeing alongside any existing medical treatment.



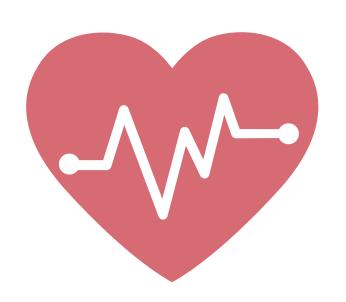














## The link workers can help to:

Identify groups which may offer additional support to help patients understand and manage their medical condition.

Access community social groups by giving a patient a named contact and specific group information

Access benefits, debt and welfare advice

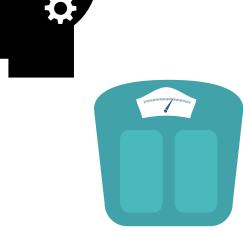
Address loneliness and isolation issues by encouraging participation with local activity groups

Access information and advice on a wide range of services for the whole family













Each Primary Care Network has their own Social Prescribing Link Worker and there is an additional member of the team based at Bassetlaw Community and Voluntary Service.

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