



Local Delivery Pilot – funding available for Wigan Borough!

Greater Manchester was selected as one of 12 [Local Delivery Pilots](#) by Sport England in December 2017 following a competitive 12 month application process, with Wigan borough being one of those 12 areas.

The Pilot will test and explore what it takes to secure population scale change in physical activity behaviour whether this be the behaviour of an individual or family, an organisation or the whole system.

Wigan borough has £1million over the next 2 years

The work is focused on three key audiences:

- **Children and young people** - Children and young people aged 5-18 in out-of-school settings.
- **People out of work** - People out of work, and people in work but at risk of becoming workless
- **People with long term conditions** - People aged 40-60 with, or at risk of, long term conditions: specifically, cancer, cardiovascular disease and respiratory disorders.

Examples of ideas to date:

- **Employment Programme** – make changes to your health and wellbeing whilst finding work
- **Set Up costs** – establish a new group that targets at least one of the key audiences
- **GP Services** – connecting the different elements of the health care system into wider support network

If you have engaged with a Health and Wellbeing Service (either through work or as a service user) and have an idea how to improve the service using physical activity, then we would like to hear from you!

For more information and details about how to apply for the fund or purely because you have an idea how to improve the system, contact Chris Essex-Crosby, Programme Manager - Local Delivery Pilot Chris.Essex-Crosby@wigan.gov.uk

<https://www.greatersport.co.uk/what-we-do/gm-moving/local-delivery-pilot>