

## **Forums and Boards**

Rainbow Services represents the VCSE in Harlow on a diverse range of Boards and Forums, both at District and regional level. Our aim is to ensure that the voice of the local sector is heard, and to bring back any news, views, and opportunities for consultation to the sector. Current meetings which we attend are:

Harlow Health and Wellbeing Board – including all three sub groups: Start Well; Age Well; Live Well, Work Well (Rainbow Services' CEO is Chair).

WECCG Professional Leaders group

Dementia Action Alliance -meets bi-monthly

Essex Loneliness and Isolation Forum

Essex Independent Living Collaborative (Digital Boomers)

Future Essex

West Essex Digital Innovation Zone

Harlow Neighbourhood Core (WECCG and local health services forum)

Essex Social Enterprise Network

Local funding panels on which we sit: Harlow Recreation Trust (meets twice a year), CIF (once a year), Youth Social Action Fund (regular meetings)

ECVYS

Blue Watch meetings (local fire service)

Discover Harlow (Rainbow Services is an Ambassador)

WECCG CEPN (education network)

West Essex Mental Health Forum

Gangs Awareness Group

Crime and Anti-Social Behaviour Group

Domestic Abuse Group

Hate Crime Group

Safer Harlow Partnership

West Stay Safe

Essex Child and Family Wellbeing Service Harlow District Advisory Board

Harlow and Gilston Garden Towns Development – Health Group