

The Age Friendly London Action Plan 2017 - 2020

Age Friendly London Progress









June 2<u>016</u>

2013 – 2016 Action Plan Completed

- 97% of strategies
 completed or ongoing
- Network membership grew by 100 people

October 2016

Impact Assessment

- Progress on indicators across 8 domains
- · High rating of QoL
- Areas for further work identified

Dec 2016 – May 2017

Developed

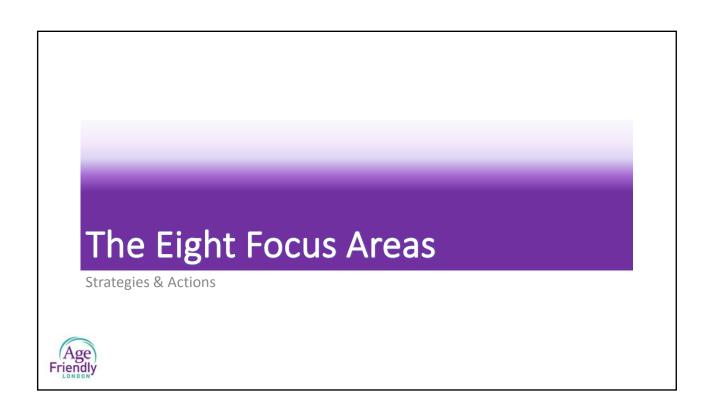
- Community conversation
- Action Planning Sessions
- Public Feedback
- Focus Groups

May 30 2017

AFL Action Plan 2017-2020 endorsed by AFLN

- Contains strategies across eight focus areas
- Also has five overarching Network Strategies







Outdoor Spaces & Buildings

Strategy 1: Influence neighbourhood design to support aging in place.

Strategy 2: Increase the age friendliness of parks, pathways, and trails.

Strategy 3: Promote existing age friendly programs and amenities.



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Transportation

Strategy 1: Engage older adults in the planning and development of transportation initiatives.

Strategy 2: Improve the accessibility of city roads & sidewalks.

Strategy 3: Increase engagement of older adults within neighbourhoods to develop and promote active transportation initiatives.

Strategy 4: Improve accessibility of public transit.

Strategy 5: Improve transportation options for older adults across the city.

Strategy 6: Enhance access to transportation information.

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Housing

Strategy 1: Raise awareness of housing options available for older adults.

Strategy 2: Support and empower older adults to age in place with dignity.

Strategy 3: Educate housing providers about the need for increased appropriate housing stock for older adults.









Social Participation

Strategy 1: Build strong partnerships among organizations to enhance social opportunities.

Strategy 2: Reduce barriers to participation in recreation and social opportunities for older adults.

Strategy 3: Promote the benefits of older adults participating in meaningful activities.









Respect & Social Inclusion



Strategy 1: Reframe how older adults are portrayed and celebrate their contributions in our community.

Strategy 2: Increase and promote quality intergenerational opportunities that are mutually beneficial.

Strategy 3: Empower older adults to have a voice in their own advocacy.

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Employment & Volunteerism

Strategy 1: Improve access to information about employment opportunities for older job seekers.

Strategy 2: Increase meaningful volunteer opportunities for older adults.

Strategy 3: Increase skill building opportunities for older adults.







Communication & Information

Strategy 1: Communicate and promote the work and accomplishments of the Network.

Strategy 2: Promote resources and tools that support our community to better serve older adults.







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Community Supports & Health Services

Strategy 1: Reduce barriers that older adults experience with finding and using healthcare services and community supports.

Strategy 2: Improve awareness of existing programs and services that support healthy aging.

Strategy 3: Improve awareness and availability of services and supports for caregivers.



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