

All in one or muddled mess

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The Great Debate

Context

- Live Well centres are encouraged to adopt a 'single front door' or 'right door first time' approach
- Also, a space to cluster a broad range of VCSE and statutory provision that supports living well
- Provision across all elements of Live Well, and for all residents
- Do these 'all in one' approaches work?

Supportive case

- Jennifer-Anne Smith, Salford Loaves and Fishes
- Already operate a centre that acts much like a Live Well centre, find this single front door approach works very well
- A key way of supporting all residents and avoiding them being 'bounced around' the system
- So much provision under one roof puts support on everyone's doorstep

Sceptical case

- Simone Spray, 42nd Street
- Question the scalability of these centres, with significant duplication between them
- Many demographics, such as young people, don't want to go to places like this (particularly in their own local area)
- Out of area support actually works better sometimes

Debate time



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Thank you

