

Protocol between Brighton & Hove Strategic Partnership and the City Inclusion Partnership

Both parties agree that:

- The City Inclusion Partnership (CIP) is commissioned by the Brighton & Hove Strategic Partnership (BHSP) to work closely with other policy partnerships: the City Engagement Partnership and the City Sustainability Partnership. Together these three partnerships will support the other partnerships under the BHSP to maximise the impact of sustainability, engagement and equalities work.
- The City Inclusion Partnership will aim to support the work of the outcome and delivery partnerships addressing equality and inclusion for Brighton and Hove, and will be supported by the BHSP to achieve this.
- The City Inclusion Partnership is the focal point for advice and guidance to help the BHSP develop and implement its equality and inclusion policies as a mainstream part of its activities, recognising that partnership working is essential in order to achieve this.
- Members of the City Inclusion Partnership will be represented on BHSP by the Chair and will promote the need to address equality and inclusion amongst other members. The BHSP will encourage partnerships to approach to the City Inclusion Partnership for support on equality and inclusion.
- Both parties will seek to maximise the impact of the City Inclusion Partnership on the social, economic, health and environmental well-being of Brighton and Hove.
- Relevant information relating to and arising from BHSP activities and plans will be shared with City Inclusion Partnership members.
- The City Inclusion Partnership will identify sections of the Sustainable Community Strategy that it can support and will work with other partnerships, as needed on these as part of their ongoing work.
- The City Inclusion Partnership will also work with the Public Service Board, as the delivery arm of the Brighton & Hove Strategic Partnership, to support development of the priorities held within the Sustainable Community Strategy and other relevant strategies, as prioritised and defined in the CIP Work Plan.
- The City Inclusion Partnership agrees to work with other partnerships on issues of equality and, through this, contribute to the overall performance management framework for the BHSP.

- The City Inclusion Partnership members agree to provide reports on any allocation of resources by the CIP that relate to the achievement of its shared priorities.
- The City Inclusion Partnership agrees to work cooperatively with the Overview and Scrutiny function of the local authority where relevant to their work.

Signed  Date 4/12/12
Chair, City Inclusion Partnership

Signed _____ Date _____
Chair, Brighton & Hove Strategic Partnership