

# Supporting Adult Social Care Innovation (the SASCI project)

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To build evidence about how to support the adult social care sector to start-up, implement and spread affordable innovations that work well for everyone

Phase 1: Characterising and Conceptualising innovation

Learning for survey

Phase 2: Investigate the practice of innovation

Innovation mapping

Literature review

Stakeholder discussions

Usefulness of studying organisational capabilities and conditions for innovation

Avoid focus on distinguishing types of innovations

Case studies

Survey of organisations

Witness seminars

Relationship-oriented approach to drawing out insights for policymakers, insights for the practice, theoretical insights, messages for a wider audience

# Aims of the survey

- Get a picture of the “state of play” of innovation in ASC
- Understand:
  - How innovation and innovative capacity is distributed across the sector
  - What capabilities organisations in ASC have that can help them innovate
  - What organisations in ASC see as challenges to innovation
  - What support is available and what support is missing
- Explore how contextual factors influence innovation by linking the data we get to other data sources.

# How can you take part?

- Complete the survey (link in chat / email us)
- Ask others to complete the survey!
- Help us to test the Local Authority version of the survey (email us)
  
- Results will go on our website and blogs
- We will come back and tell you what we found (if we're invited and if enough of you participate!)

# Thank you!

Please get in touch

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