

Older People's Housing Taskforce

Extra Care Housing Conference 2023

Friday 10th November 2023

Taskforce mission

To understand the market in England for older people's housing today and into the future; the enablers for older people when seeking to move into appropriate or specialist housing; opportunities and benefits of broadening provision and choice for older people, including continuing to live in their own home if they wish to do so; and to develop a viable and implementable approach for enhancing choice for older people in the housing market.





DLUHC & DHSC

Taskforce Members

Academics, All Party
Parliamentary Group,
Architects, Older people
charities, Housing operators,
Investment, Learning &
Improvement Network, Legal
experts, Lived experience,
Local councils, National
representative bodies





Workstream 1: People

Co-leads: John Galvin and Kathryn Smith

Caroline Abrahams

Geeta Nanda

Judith Phillips

Sarah McClinton

Sunena Stoneham

James Jamieson

Jeremy Porteus

Paavan Popat

- *Building the evidence*
- *Listening to voices of older people*
- *Information advice and advocacy*
- *Diversity (including dementia)*
- *Integrated housing, health, and social care*

Workstream 2: Products

Co-leads: Nick Sanderson, Ben Rosewall, & Jeremy Porteus

Richard Moreton

Les Mayhew

Stewart Baseley

Kathryn Smith

Paavan Popat

Sunena Stoneham

- *Supporting people to be healthy in their own homes*
- *Technology and Smart Housing*
- *Building regulation, design, and accessibility*
- *Consumer protections and building consumer confidence, including information and advice*
- *Consumer finance and financial products*

Workstream 3: Places

Co-leads: Jon Rouse & Andrew Surgenor

Damian Green

James Jamieson

Les Mayhew

Stewart Baseley

Paavan Popat

(Judith Phillips)

(Sunena Stoneham)

(Richard Moreton)

(Jeremy Porteus)

- *Planning Supply*
- *Assembling Land and Making Decisions*
- *Designing Age-Friendly Places*
- *Investment and Fiscal Measures*

Timescales

Launch: 1st May 2023

Call for evidence closed: 18th September

Direction of flow to Ministers: 19th September

Report interim findings to the Ministers: Early November 2023

Surveys, Focus Groups, Roundtables, Research: Autumn 2023

Workstreams will feed back their findings to the Taskforce Chair: Early March 2024

Update Ministers with the likely findings and recommendations: 31st March 2024

Share an independent report, with a set of final recommendations, to the Ministers: May 2024:

Publication: July 2024

