

## East Lothian Plan 2026-2036 November 2025 Partners' Update

East Lothian Partnership are engaged in the coproduction process for the Local Outcome Improvement Plan (LOIP) 2026-2036. You might know this as the [East Lothian Plan 2017-2027](#). This plan concentrates on what we as partners can achieve by working together on specific issues, to reduce inequalities, and improve outcomes for East Lothian's people.

East Lothian Partnership are currently engaging on what the community want to see from their LOIP. We ask **all** Partners to support this engagement process. Past updates can be downloaded via our [Community Planning pages](#).

Co-design logic models for each theme with officers group

Developing actions under each of the themes and priorities in subgroups

Realign of LOIP timeline to complete by Feb 2026

### What we've undertaken

- The Officers Group has continued to develop logic models and 1 and 3 year actions for the new Local Outcome Improvement Plan in three sub groups focussing on Living Well, Keeping Safe and Money Matters.
- The Logic Models for themes of Keeping Safe and Money Matters are nearing completion, with a specific meeting around Substance Use actions being arranged.
- Under Living Well, the NHS Lothian Partnership and Place are taking over the lead in this area, which partners identified required a bit more targetted work.
- Officers have met with ELC Sports, Countryside and Leisure; Climate Change, Emergency Planning, Transport and Active Travel and HSCP colleagues working on Dementia and Carers Strategy, QMU and NHS Lothian Partnership and Place team.
- Presented on the development of the LOIP to the Community Safety Group and discussed the draft actions and overarching statement of intent under Keeping Safe.
- Attended the Scottish Community Planning Network online session where there were updates from the Community Planning Improvement Board, Scottish Government on Public Sector Reform and a discussion on ways the network can support colleagues across Scotland in 2026
- Officer included in partner panel and facilitated a stall at the VCEL Conference focused on Collaborative Working.
- Meeting with Communications team around the design and accessibility of the new plan
- Following work undertaken over the last month and with staff absence, the timeline for the development of the new Local Outcome Improvement Plan, has been extended to February 2026.

### What we're planning now

- The Living Well subgroup is meeting on 4<sup>th</sup> December to continue the work to develop a logic model and actions.
- The NHS Lothian Partnership and Place team are dovetailing data from HSCP Joint Strategic Needs Assessment within the East Lothian Partnership Strategic Needs Assessment.
- The next Governance Group is on 17<sup>th</sup> December, with an update on the LOIP and discussion on rebranding.
- Due to the extension on the timeline for the development of the Local Outcome Improvement Plan we have postponed the pre-publication Integrated Impact Assessment and Children's Rights Wellbeing Impact Assessment due to take place on 1<sup>st</sup> December, to January 2026.
- Rearranging the Community Self-Assessment Session for January.

### How you can get involved

- Would you like us to attend your network or group? Would you like to attend an IIA session? Please get in touch [elp@eastlothian.gov.uk](mailto:elp@eastlothian.gov.uk)