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Area covered: Somerset and North Somerset

Organisation type: Mental Health Advocacy Project & Older People's Advocacy Project

SHA: Dorset and Somerset

Region: South West

Why advocacy for older people is needed:

To provide independent and impartial help and support to deal with problems and issues affecting older people's lives.

Number of older people receiving one-to-one advocacy: 125

Projects specifically for older people:

Project Name: General Advocacy in North Somerset

Funder: Local Authority

Started: Sep 2005

End date: Ongoing

Project Name: General Advocacy

Funder: County Council

Started: Apr 2003

End date: Ongoing

Staff and volunteers working in these projects:

Staff: 3

Volunteers: 60