

AGE CONCERN SUNDERLAND

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Area covered: Local Authority

Organisation type: Other Organisation with Older People's Advocacy Project

SHA: Northumberland, Tyne & Wear

Region: North East

Why advocacy for older people is needed:

The changing world can be a daunting place for anyone, but especially older people. Advocacy can help people to cope with changes and problems in their lives, and will ensure that they understand what is happening to them and why, and how they can feel happier with situations and make differences to their lives themselves.

Number of older people receiving one-to-one advocacy: 50

Projects specifically for older people:

Project Name: Advocacy Service

Funder: Local Authority

Started: Jun 2004

End date: Apr 2006

Staff and volunteers working in these projects:

Staff: 1

Volunteers: 6