

Micro-grant Feedback  
Report

Social Media Awareness/Safety

ChAD

Choice for All Doncaster

Healthwatch Doncaster

Engage, inform, influence

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# 1 Introduction

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## 1.1 Details of activity

Members of ChAD and Rossington Smile held several meetings to discuss scenarios, which can be used to show people what could occur through social media.

We all visited Lifewise at Ellerby on 16.7.19 to learn about general safety, fire safety and internet scams. In the afternoon, we used the facilities there to film three separate scenarios.

## 1.2 Date (s) sessions took place

April 30<sup>th</sup> –Meeting to discuss Initial ideas at Rossington Smile

May 20<sup>th</sup> meeting with a person with a person with PD regarding music and a role in the filming scenarios at Rossington Smile

June 7<sup>th</sup> planning session at Rossington Smile

June 20<sup>th</sup> planning session at Rossington Smile

July 16<sup>th</sup> Visit to Lifewise for learning and filming

August 20<sup>th</sup> – collect music from Rossington Smile

September 19<sup>th</sup> Filming Scenarios and Song shown at Micro Grant Event

October 24<sup>th</sup> Meeting at Rossington Smile, Filming scenarios and song shown to people involved in the meeting/filming

December 3<sup>rd</sup> – Filming scenarios and song shown art LD partnership Board

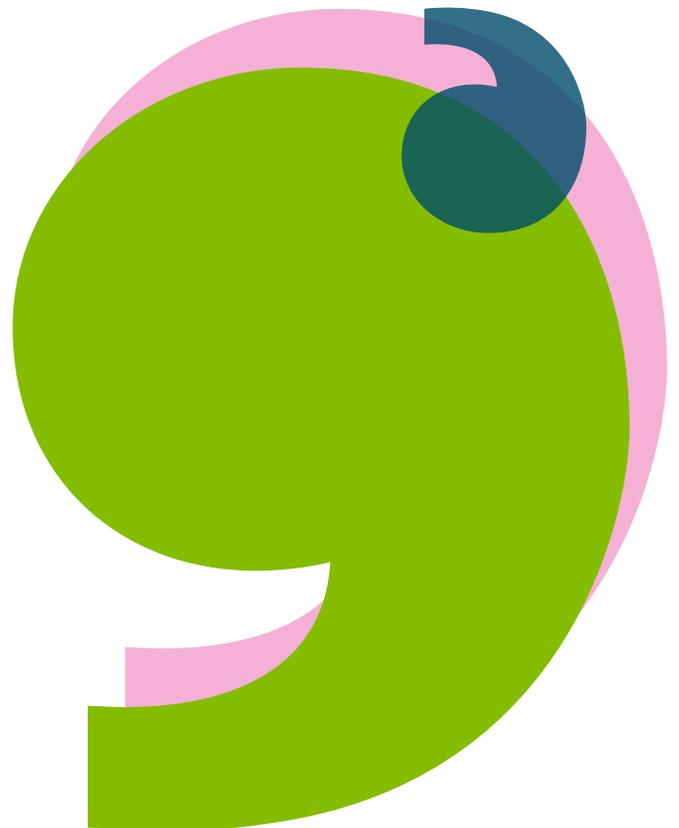
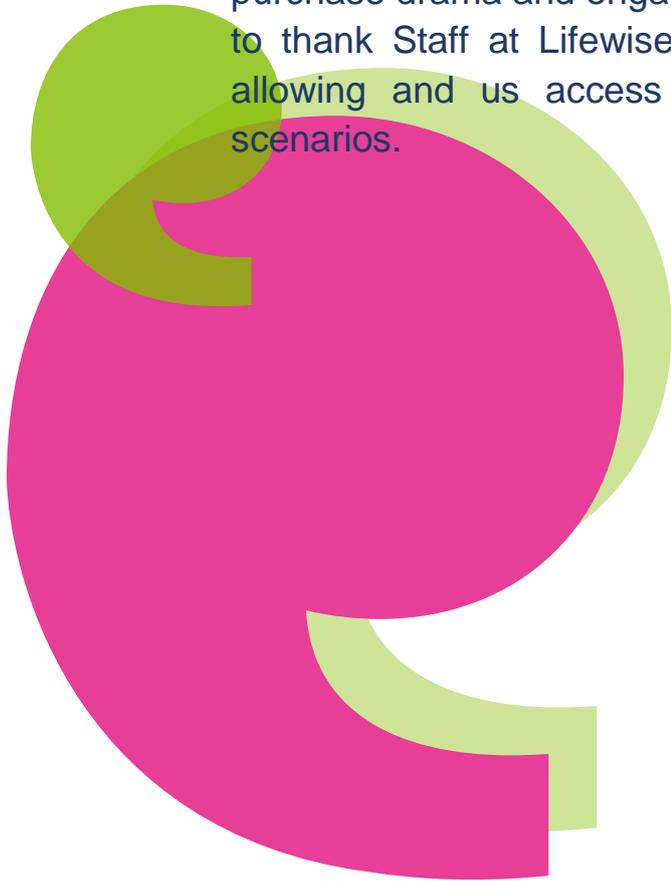
December 12<sup>th</sup> Filming scenarios and song shown at Keeping Safe Forum

To be taken around schools and LD services when rest of training package is complete. Further meetings with Rossington Smile to be arranged

Jan 31<sup>st</sup> Meeting to arrange future planning dates

### 1.3 Acknowledgements

We would like to thank Healthwatch for the Micro grant, which has enabled us to pay for transport to Lifewise to learn, film and purchase drama and engagement materials. We would also like to thank Staff at Lifewise for providing a private session for allowing and us access to rooms for the relevant filming scenarios.



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## 2 What was the purpose of the activity/session?

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### 2.1 Purpose

At a Hate Crime engagement session at Outwood the deputy enquired if, we did anything on social media and scam awareness, which we could present to the school. At the time we didn't have much material on this for any engagement therefore as we had heard that many people with Learning Disabilities had been targeted on social media either by hate crime, bullying, blackmail etc. we decided to put some material together.

We felt that the knowledge could benefit the people with LD we represent as well as young people who may be vulnerable

Our aim is to raise awareness and help more people keep safe.

### 2.2 What did you do?

As for mentioned in 1.2 & 1.2

### 2.3 Results of the activity/session(s)

Engagement sessions will take part in the future when more planning meetings have taken place and decisions actioned.

#### Feedback from people who took part

We have received positive feedback from people who have seen the video clips and song.

### **Feedback from staff/volunteers who took part**

The members and support staff of ChAD and Rossington Smile thoroughly enjoyed the session at Lifewise, acquiring knowledge and taking part in the filming scenarios.

There was however a difficult situation as we were approached by someone outside our groups to assist with some appropriate music which is included in one of the clips. Unfortunately the person in question had their own agenda and totally took apart some of the planning we had spent much time on and demanded the starring role. With this in mind we would should have stuck to our original plans and not given the said person the opportunity to be involved regardless of the pressure we were under from authorities above. It is easier to say this after the event.

## **2.4 Conclusion**

### **E.g., What did your organisation learn from the session/activity/project?**

Many people with Learning Disabilities are extremely vulnerable and quite often need reminders about certain information, which is relevant to them.

By having, the DVD scenarios and other workshop material ChAD and Rossington smile will be able to readdress this at any time with whoever appropriate

Scams and social media can happen to absolutely anyone, we believe that everyone should help each other to keep safe in one way or another.