

# Leading - Linking - Learning

## The challenge of citizen leadership

This event is a follow up to the successful one held in Moray House in January. On that course participants very definitely agreed that Citizen Leadership was everyone's business and had lots of ideas to take this forward in South East Scotland.



We hope to bring people together again and welcome some new allies to the Citizen Leadership cause. We plan to build on the excellent foundations laid in January's meeting. This second event will also be based on participative workshop sessions. In the morning these will give people tasters from the national training programme. In the afternoon

we will work in geographical groups to plan next steps to take this forward in our areas.



**Please come and join the Discussion - your ideas matter!**

## Who is the event for?

This event is a follow up to January's one but people who use services and their carers who did not make this event are equally welcome. It would also be great if workers and managers who wish to work together with people who use services and their carers to develop Citizen Leadership in their area joined us in Musselburgh.

**This event is relevant to people using all social work services**

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**To book a place  
Deadline for bookings  
15 April**

Lunch will be provided

**Places are free but limited**

## Venue and Date

**Brunton Hall Musselburgh, East Lothian EH21 6AW  
Thursday 29 April 10.30 - 3pm**

# Programme



**10.00 Registration and tea/coffee**

**10.30 Welcome from Chair**

**Speaker: Mary Dempster, Peer Group**

**Facilitator - "One phone call is all it takes!"**

**11.00 Morning Workshops** - each will include taster exercises from the national training programme

## **1 Standards and Principles of Citizen Leadership**

Find out more about them and work on an exercise about how your services measure up to each one

## **2 Preparing for change - working together**

Learn more about the Citizen Leadership training programme and practice sharing ideas

## **3 Growing Citizen Leaders - we all have something to offer**

Think about your gifts and skills and where they might help you to be a leader. Get your Leadership Audit up to date!

## **4 Beyond tokenism - participation not an afterthought**

Discover what genuine participation means in the Snakes and Ladders game. Come up with your top 10 tips!

**12.30 Lunch**

## **1.15 Afternoon sessions**

These sessions will include graphic facilitation and allow each local area to consider how to take things forward where they are. Each group will agree some individual and group action steps before we finish.

**2.45 Final Words** - Wendy Paterson and Paula Aldin-Scott from the Learning Network will pick up on key themes from the day and bring the event to a close.

**3.00 Close**

**This event is organised by a partnership of people who use services, carers and professionals and is supported by the organisations below.**

**We all believe that Citizen Leadership is everyone's business!**

