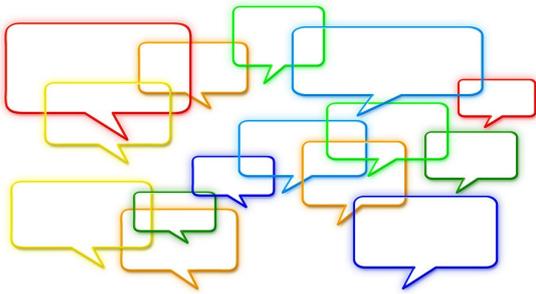




Newsletter



Share your thoughts for our planning day

Headway Devon Trustees and staff have been busy discussing their hopes for the future of Headway Devon. As part of this, we are consulting our stakeholders about how they see our organisation and their hopes for the future. As a result, we are asking you to please let us know your thoughts about Headway Devon's strengths and weaknesses, the threats and opportunities that you feel could be on the horizon for us, what you believe our values to be, and any new projects or areas of work you would like to see us exploring in the future. The opinions of our supporters are hugely important to us so we would welcome your input. Thoughts can be submitted by emailing ruth@headwaydevon.org.uk, in writing to the address below or by calling us on 01392 211822.

Dear Friends and Supporters,

Please allow me to introduce myself, my name is Ruth Wells and I am the new Chief Executive of Headway Devon. Since joining the charity in April I have received a very warm reception from clients, volunteers, supporters, Trustees and staff, and I would like to say a huge thank you for making me feel so welcome. I am so excited to have become a part of the Headway Devon team and have been enjoying finding out more about the organisation and the important work that it does. Headway Devon has a proud history of making a difference to people affected by brain injury and I am looking forward to working with you as we strive to build a brighter future for people with acquired brain injuries and their families.



Ruth Wells, Chief Executive

SUPPORT



New Carers Group in Exeter

Headway Devon now offers carers drop-in sessions at the XCentre in Exeter on the first Tuesday of every month. These sessions offer space for carers of people with brain injuries to meet each other and chat over a tea or coffee, at the same time as being able to access information, support and advice from a Headway Devon manager. The sessions are free to attend and run from 10am-12pm. There is no need to register to attend, just come along on the day.

Upcoming event...

Exeter's
great west run

We are appealing for people to support us by taking part in Exeter's Great West Run.

Taking place on Sunday 14th October, the run takes in varied scenery and is a great opportunity to raise awareness and funds for your favourite local charity!

To sign up, or find out more, visit www.thegreatwestrun.co.uk/route

And last but not least, a heartfelt thank you to ...

The generous fundraisers, supporters and donors who have helped us in recent months, including RundleWalker LLP, Torbay County Bowls Club, Diptford C of E Primary School, Puerto Lounge, Tamar Valley Butchers and Wilcombe Stores.

Connect with us on social media to stay up-to-date with the latest news and events



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I would like to support Headway Devon with a donation



Name:

Date:

Signature:

Address:

Postcode:

Telephone:

Email:

Every donation that we receive supports people with acquired brain injuries here in Devon

Cheques should be made payable to "Headway Devon".

Please return this form to: Headway Devon, The XCentre, Commercial Road, Exeter, EX2 4AD

Gift Aid: Tick here if you are a UK taxpayer and you will pay income tax in one year that is at least equal to the amount that all charities will reclaim on your donations (currently 25p in every £1 donated).

Would you like to receive our newsletter? Yes please, by email by post No thank you

A statement on how Headway Devon uses your information.

Headway Devon is required to hold personal information of those who donate to us and support us. This is in order to satisfy our auditing requirements. Your data will be held on a password protected database on a secure server, and in paper records kept in a cabinet in a locked office. This data will only be accessed by our finance team and fundraiser. Your data will be shared with our auditors and the provider of our database, but we will ensure that these parties are responsible and legally compliant with your data. We would never sell your data to any third parties. Your data will be held for seven years from the end of the financial year in which your most recent support is given to comply with auditing requirements, after this it will be destroyed. A full Privacy Policy including details of how to complain if you are unhappy with any aspect of how your information is handled, can be found on our website.