

## Appendix 2 – Features of Collaborative Commissioning

<b>Co-production and Participation</b>	<p><b>Involves people with lived experience, unpaid Carers, communities and provider partners in design, delivery and monitoring of services</b></p>
<b>Ethical and Rights Based Approach</b>	<p><b>Moves beyond consultation to shared decision-making</b></p> <p><b>Focuses on human rights, dignity and person led care</b></p> <p><b>Aligns with Self-Directed Support (SDS) principles</b></p>
<b>Trust Based Relationships</b>	<p><b>Emphasises mutual respect and transparency between commissioners and provider partners</b></p> <p><b>Recognises the third sector as equal strategic partners, not just service deliverers</b></p>
<b>Shared Outcomes and Accountability</b>	<p><b>Prioritises wellbeing and community outcomes over outputs or cost-efficiency</b></p> <p><b>Encourages joint accountability across sectors</b></p>
<b>Flexible and Sustainable Funding</b>	<p><b>Advocates for longer-term, fairer funding models to enable innovation and sustainability</b></p> <p><b>Challenges short-termism and competitive tendering where inappropriate</b></p>
<b>Localism and Place-Based Planning</b>	<p><b>Supports local solutions tailored to community needs</b></p> <p><b>Encourages collaborative spend and shared resources at local level</b></p>