



Good Relations Strategy 2023 – 2028

Promoting Good Relations amongst people of different race, religion or political opinion





Introduction

This is the Belfast Health and Social Care Trust's third Good Relations Strategy 'Healthy Relations for a Healthy Future 3'.

It covers the period 2023 – 2028 and demonstrates our ongoing commitment to build on the work outlined in our previous strategies to promote good relations amongst people of different races, religions or political opinions. We engaged widely with key stakeholders and our partners through focus groups and meetings before we developed our draft third good relations strategy and then issued it for formal public consultation between October 2022 until early January 2023.

During the formal consultation, the Trust received 4 responses – one handwritten and three submitted via Citizenspace online consultation. The Trust has responded to all the named respondents to thank them for their valuable and positive feedback on our strategy and to further explain the context, where necessary. The Trust will also take cognisance of recommendations in a recent report -

"Inequalities Experienced by Black, Asian, Minority Ethnic and Traveller People residing in Belfast."

This valuable research was jointly funded by Belfast City Council, Belfast HSC Trust and the Public Health Agency and launched in December 2022.



Click the video above to hear from our Equality Lead



Achievements

Our Trust Values & Corporate Objectives are an essential part of our Good Relations Strategy. The promotion of good relations specifically contributes to the Vision for Belfast Trust to be the safest, most effective and compassionate organisation. As part of our corporate management plan our strategy will be an integral part of the strategic agenda and will evolve with the population health plan and the new integrated care system.

Here we have mapped out some of our achievements over the life of our 1st and 2nd strategies against our Corporate Objectives.



- Safety, Quality and Experience
- Service Delivery
- > People and Culture
- Strategy and Partnerships
- Resources

Click on each objective for more information ↑





Our Journey

- Good Relations Defined
- Our Starting Point
- Partnership Working
- Statistics

- Developing the Strategy
- What you told us: What is working well
- What you told us: Measuring success
- What you told us during the consultation
- Our Action Plan





Our Action Plan 2023-2028

Challenging Racismand Sectarianism

Respect, Fairness & Dignity for All

Shared, Welcoming
and Safe Spaces for
Service Users and Staff

