Think about who needs to be part of this development

Work out how to support each other in contributing and making decisions

Work together to understand and agree the issues that need to be addressed

Agree what it is that you want to be different: what success looks like from everyone’s perspective?

Identify the resources needed to achieve these goals: do you have them? How can you get what you need?

Think together about what needs to happen now, in the medium and longer term. Agree who will do what, by when.

Take action - just do it!

Did you achieve the success that you wanted to? What has changed in older people’s lives as a result?

Co-production in action!
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1. Older people are involved throughout the process - from the beginning to the end.

Personalisation don’t just do it - co-produce it and live it!
“I need to feel safe before I can share my concerns and ideas with you.”
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2. Older people feel safe to speak up and are listened to

Personalisation
don’t just do it - co-produce it and live it!
"I know best about my problem, involve me in decisions. Don’t just listen to me, listen to us all: we need to talk about our issues, not yours!"
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3. We work on the issues that are important to older people

Personalisation

don’t just do it - co-produce it and live it!
“Tell me how you make decisions - then I can join in.”
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4. It is clear how decisions are made

Personalisation

don’t just do it - co-produce it and live it!
“We use your services, so use our knowledge and experience.”
Co-production is a simple idea: it’s about individuals, communities and organisations having the skills, knowledge and ability to work together, create opportunities and solve problems.

This is the fifth principle of the 7 key principles of co-production with older people. Further information about these principles and how to make them happen is provided in ‘Personalisation - don’t just do it - co-produce it and live it!’ A guide to co-production with older people’. It is available from www.ndti.org.uk and www.helensandersonassociates.co.uk

5. Older people’s skills and experiences are used in the process of change

Personalisation

don’t just do it - co-produce it and live it!
“Get your strategy right and it will make my life better.”
Co-production is a simple idea: it’s about individuals, communities and organisations having the skills, knowledge and ability to work together, create opportunities and solve problems.

This is the sixth principle of the 7 key principles of co-production with older people. Further information about these principles and how to make them happen is provided in ‘Personalisation - don’t just do it - co-produce it and live it!’ A guide to co-production with older people’. It is available from www.ndti.org.uk and www.helensandersonassociates.co.uk

6. Meetings, materials and venues are accessible for older people

Personalisation
don’t just do it - co-produce it and live it!
“Listen to us, we can tell you if things are changing.”
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7. Progress is evaluated through looking at the actual changes in older people’s lives

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