DEMOS survey analysis Appendix 2

Breakdown of respondents by gender and age group

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
Female	45	79%	9	16%	3	5%	57
Male	45	71%	8	13%	10	16%	63
Unknown	2	67%		0%	1	33%	3
Grand Total	92	75%	17	14%	14	11%	123

Breakdown of respondents by ethnicity and age group

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
Any other Asian background		0%		0%	1	100%	1
Indian	6	86%	1	14%		0%	7
Pakistani	11	92%	1	8%		0%	12
White & Asian	1	100%		0%		0%	1
White British	73	73%	15	15%	12	12%	100
White Irish	1	50%		0%	1	50%	2
Grand Total	92	75%	17	14%	14	11%	123

Breakdown of respondents by name of council and age group

							Grand
Name of council	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
Blackpool	5	83%	1	17%		0%	6
Blank	28	64%	6	14%	10	23%	44
Chorley	1	100%		0%		0%	1
Hyndburn	1	100%		0%		0%	1
Lancashire County Council	22	85%	3	12%	1	4%	26
Lancaster	4	67%		0%	2	33%	6
Preston city council	28	82%	5	15%	1	3%	34
South Ribble Borough council	3	60%	2	40%		0%	5
Grand Total	92	75%	17	14%	14	11%	123

Q3 What are the major needs that you need help with?

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
Physical impairment	44	80%	5	9%	6	11%	55
Learning disability	39	76%	6	12%	6	12%	51
Older person	8	40%	11	55%	1	5%	20
Sensory impairment	9	69%	2	15%	2	15%	13
Visual impairment	21	91%	1	4%	1	4%	23
Mental health condition	24	89%	1	4%	2	7%	27
Other need	10	33%	2	7%	18	60%	30

Of those who stated "other need" the following were listed: Dyslexia, Epilepsy, Getting dressed, I need help to understand the words that people use. I may need help with my insulin if I am poorly, Incontinence - bowel and bladder, Longterm health condition, Pacemaker, left side affected by stroke, Parkinson disease, Physical disability, Poor balance and Reading & writing.

Q4 If you receive any help to deal with these needs, how do you get it? Please tick all that apply to you.

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
The local council pays for							
support services	29	71%	6	15%	6	15%	41
The NHS pays for support							
services	5	50%	3	30%	2	20%	10
The local council gives me a							
direct payment to pay for support							
	12	71%	2	12%	3	18%	17
The local council gives me a							
personal budget/individual							
budget	2	50%	1	25%	1	25%	4
The local council pays for my							
support services, but I am							
charged for some things	13	68%	1	5%	5	26%	19
I pay for support myself	12	75%	2	13%	2	13%	16
My family or friends pay for							
support	6	60%	2	20%	2	20%	10
People support me, but they are							
not paid to do this	10	67%	4	27%	1	7%	15
Someone else pays for the							
support I use	3	43%	2	29%	2	29%	7
I don't know who pays for the							
support I use	10	77%	2	15%	1	8%	13

Q5 Your local council might have given you a "needs assessment" or a "Community Care Assessment". If they did, what level of eligibility did your local council say you have?

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
Critical	4	67%	1	17%	1	17%	6	5%
Substantial	8	80%	1	10%	1	10%	10	8%
Moderate	22	81%	3	11%	2	7%	27	22%
Low	3	50%		0%	3	50%	6	5%
Don't know	47	80%	8	14%	4	7%	59	48%
Blank	8	53%	4	27%	3	20%	15	12%
Grand Total	92	75%	17	14%	14	11%	123	100%

Q6 What is important for you to achieve in your life? Please tick the three that are most important to you.

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
Health and well-being	65	74%	11	13%	12	14%	88
Making a positive contribution to							
your local community	34	79%	3	7%	6	14%	43
Freedom from discrimination and							
harassment	38	72%	8	15%	7	13%	53
Economic well being	43	72%	6	10%	11	18%	60
Quality of life	57	74%	11	14%	9	12%	77
Choice and control over what you							
do in your life	28	67%	9	21%	5	12%	42
Personal dignity and respect	41	79%	6	12%	5	10%	52
Anything else	4	7%	1	2%	55	92%	60

Anything else listed are as follows: Earning my own money and supporting myself, Having the right to do what I want and More heating allowance needed

Q7 How happy are you with each of these aspects of your life at the moment? Health and well-being

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
Very happy	21	84%	1	4%	3	12%	25	20%
Нарру	36	68%	8	15%	9	17%	53	43%
OK/Neither happy nor unhappy	22	71%	7	23%	2	6%	31	25%
Unhappy	12	92%	1	8%		0%	13	11%
Very unhappy	1	100%		0%		0%	1	1%
Grand Total	92	75%	17	14%	14	11%	123	100%

Making a positive contribution to your local community

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
Very happy	13	72%	1	6%	4	22%	18	15%
Нарру	42	81%	4	8%	6	12%	52	42%
OK/Neither happy nor unhappy	25	69%	8	22%	3	8%	36	29%
Unhappy	7	88%		0%	1	13%	8	7%
Very unhappy	4	100%		0%		0%	4	3%
Blank	1	20%	4	80%		0%	5	4%
Grand Total	92	75%	17	14%	14	11%	123	100%

Freedom from discrimination and harassment

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
Very happy	15	71%	1	5%	5	24%	21	17%
Нарру	32	68%	9	19%	6	13%	47	38%
OK/Neither happy nor unhappy	27	84%	4	13%	1	3%	32	26%
Unhappy	14	88%	1	6%	1	6%	16	13%
Very unhappy	3	75%	1	25%		0%	4	3%
Blank	1	33%	1	33%	1	33%	3	2%
Grand Total	92	75%	17	14%	14	11%	123	100%

Economic well being

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
Very happy	9	60%	2	13%	4	27%	15	12%
Нарру	31	70%	9	20%	4	9%	44	36%
OK/Neither happy nor unhappy	27	82%	3	9%	3	9%	33	27%
Unhappy	16	80%	2	10%	2	10%	20	16%
Very unhappy	8	89%		0%	1	11%	9	7%
Blank	1	50%	1	50%		0%	2	2%
Grand Total	92	75%	17	14%	14	11%	123	100%
Quality of life								

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
Very happy	19	70%	2	7%	6	22%	27	22%
Нарру	35	76%	7	15%	4	9%	46	37%
OK/Neither happy nor unhappy	23	74%	5	16%	3	10%	31	25%
Unhappy	11	79%	2	14%	1	7%	14	11%
Very unhappy	1	100%		0%		0%	1	1%
Blank	3	75%	1	25%		0%	4	3%
Grand Total	92	75%	17	14%	14	11%	123	100%

Choice and control over what you do in your life

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
Very happy	20	74%	2	7%	5	19%	27	22%
Нарру	30	71%	5	12%	7	17%	42	34%
OK/Neither happy nor unhappy	26	90%	3	10%		0%	29	24%
Unhappy	12	63%	5	26%	2	11%	19	15%
Very unhappy	1	100%		0%		0%	1	1%
Blank	3	60%	2	40%		0%	5	4%
Grand Total	92	75%	17	14%	14	11%	123	100%

Personal dignity and respect

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
Very happy	26	84%	2	6%	3	10%	31	25%
Нарру	36	68%	9	17%	8	15%	53	43%
OK/Neither happy nor unhappy	20	83%	3	13%	1	4%	24	20%
Unhappy	6	86%		0%	1	14%	7	6%
Very unhappy	1	50%	1	50%		0%	2	2%
Blank	3	50%	2	33%	1	17%	6	5%
Grand Total	92	75%	17	14%	14	11%	123	100%

Anything else listed is as follows: I am really enjoying going to lessons etc, I have help from my family,More support from social services, My children, Religious beliefs - Islam, Staff & family, The answers denote perspective more than severity and my answers would differ depending on the given day

Q8 Please look at this list of areas of your life. Can you tick each area of your life that you really want to change in the next year?

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
The home I live in	22	73%	5	17%	3	10%	30
The neighbourhood I live in	16	73%	4	18%	2	9%	22
Who I live with	9	75%	1	8%	2	17%	12
The money I get	45	76%	6	10%	8	14%	59
What I do during the weekdays	19	70%	1	4%	7	26%	27
Paid work	24	73%	2	6%	7	21%	33
Volunteering	22	71%	2	6%	7	23%	31
Helping my local community	14	61%	3	13%	6	26%	23
What I do in the evenings	30	91%		0%	3	9%	33
What I do at weekends	24	75%	4	13%	4	13%	32
Holidays	42	82%	5	10%	4	8%	51
Relationships with my family	17	71%	4	17%	3	13%	24
Close relationships	21	78%	1	4%	5	19%	27
Relationships with friends	20	71%	4	14%	4	14%	28
My physical health	33	72%	7	15%	6	13%	46
My mental health	19	83%	2	9%	2	9%	23
The control I have over my life	15	68%	2	9%	5	23%	22
Who supports me to do things	13	62%	4	19%	4	19%	21
Something else important	4	50%	4	50%		0%	8

Something else important listed are as follows: Aim to be in a serious relationship with a woman, Better quality of life, Keep my independence, Keeping people out of my bedroom when I'm not there, My finance for quality of life needs improvement, Pushing my wheelchair to church, Would like to understand English and More self esteem with able bodied

Q9 What specific things would allow you to make these changes? Please tick as many as you would

like							
							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
I would like more control over							
what assistance I get	28	82%	4	12%	2	6%	34
Less bureaucracy	42	79%	6	11%	5	9%	53
Improved transport	33	77%	5	12%	5	12%	43
More help from the council to let							
me do things with other people	28	70%	4	10%	8	20%	40
More face-to-face help and advice							
	51	78%	7	11%	7	11%	65
More information about things I							
can do	45	73%	6	10%	11	18%	62
Knowing who I can speak to if I							
need something urgently	38	75%	6	12%	7	14%	51
Help with planning my support							
from other people that have the							
same difficulties as me	27	73%	3	8%	7	19%	37
Other	4	57%	3	43%		0%	7

For other the fololwing were listed: For all laws/policies/procedures to work in practice, Help if your first language is not English for example Punjabi or Urdu speaking staff, It would be good to have "talking" leaflets and tapes to help people who can't read, More information on healthy eating, Someone to take me out in my wheelchair, Way local people leave me and other disabled people out of things

Part 2: You Arrange Your Own Support

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Q10 What services and assistance do you use at the moment? Please tick as many as you would like

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
Short term breaks in a registered							
home	1	17%	2	33%	3	50%	6
Leisure activities	11	58%	4	21%	4	21%	19
Public transport or taxis	18	55%	10	30%	5	15%	33
Day centre	6	43%	5	36%	3	21%	14
Someone to help you in your							
house	13	62%	5	24%	3	14%	21
Family members to help	20	59%	9	26%	5	15%	34
Things provided by the NHS	14	67%	5	24%	2	10%	21
Education or training	9	69%	1	8%	3	23%	13
Holidays	8	53%	5	33%	2	13%	15
Adaptations in your home	7	54%	3	23%	3	23%	13
I live in a residential/care home	3	33%	2	22%	4	44%	9
Personal assistants/home carer	7	58%	2	17%	3	25%	12
Friends to help	10	59%	5	29%	2	12%	17

Anything else - the following were listed: Access to work assist me with transport and equipment for work, Catholic caring and Preston Disc,Help from blind society, My sister takes me on holiday otherwise I would not get a break

Q11 If you had greater choice and more options over what services and assistance you use, would you change what you get?

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
No, I wouldn't change anything	10	56%	6	33%	2	11%	18
Yes, I would change a little	20	74%	4	15%	3	11%	27
Yes, I would change a lot	8	80%	2	20%		0%	10
Don't know	8	67%	1	8%	3	25%	12
Grand Total	46	69%	13	19%	8	12%	67

PART 3: You get some help paid for by the local council but not a personal budget or direct payment

Q12 What services (if any) do you use now? Please tick all that apply to you

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
Short term breaks in a registered							
home	5	63%	1	13%	2	25%	8
Leisure activities	18	72%	2	8%	5	20%	25
Public transport or taxis	14	54%	7	27%	5	19%	26
I use a day centre	17	65%	5	19%	4	15%	26
Someone to help you in your							
house	15	63%	4	17%	5	21%	24
Family members to help	13	57%	4	17%	6	26%	23
Education or training	11	55%	1	5%	8	40%	20
Holidays	8	53%	4	27%	3	20%	15
A car	7	50%	5	36%	2	14%	14
I live in a residential home	6	40%	4	27%	5	33%	15
Personal assistants/home carer	14	70%	2	10%	4	20%	20
Friends to help	3	27%	4	36%	4	36%	11

For other the following were listed: All maintanence/property repairs done by council, D/H Carers, Housing benefit by Preston Council, Resource centre,Social worker, Supported living - independent sector,Thumbprint, Cornerstone, Lancaster

Q13 How much do you feel you know about personal budgets?

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
Nothing at all	30	65%	6	13%	10	22%	46	58%
I know very little about personal								
budgets	11	92%	1	8%		0%	12	15%
I know something about personal								
budgets	11	79%	3	21%		0%	14	18%
I am confident I know about								
personal budgets	4	50%	4	50%		0%	8	10%
Grand Total	56	70%	14	18%	10	13%	80	100%

Q14 If you had a personal budget, and could spend the money on anything that would help you in life, do you think you would change the support you have? (please tick one)

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
I would not change my support at								
all	20	77%	3	12%	3	12%	26	33%
I would change my support a little	18	75%	4	17%	2	8%	24	30%
I would change my support a lot	14	78%	4	22%		0%	18	23%
I would completely change my								
support	4	100%		0%		0%	4	5%
Don't know	3	38%	1	13%	4	50%	8	10%
Grand Total	59	74%	12	15%	9	11%	80	100%

Q15 If you were given a personal budget, what would you want to spend it on?

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
Short term breaks in a registered							
home	9	64%		0%	5	36%	14
Leisure activities	26	72%	6	17%	4	11%	36
Public transport or taxis	15	56%	5	19%	7	26%	27
Day care	8	53%	4	27%	3	20%	15
Someone to help you in your							
house	13	68%	3	16%	3	16%	19
Family members to help	7	50%	4	29%	3	21%	14
Education or training	22	76%	2	7%	5	17%	29
Holidays	37	73%	8	16%	6	12%	51
A car	8	62%	1	8%	4	31%	13
Care home	4	67%	1	17%	1	17%	6
Personal assistants/home carer	18	78%	3	13%	2	9%	23
Friends to help	8	57%	4	29%	2	14%	14

Anything else, the following were listed: As long as I will get paid for services, Caretaker, Decorating house and making the house more nice to live in, Make sure home improvements, Personal services on a monthly basis (18+!), Shower and household

Q16 What help might you need if you were given a personal budget and asked to organise your own care? Tick as many as you like

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
I would not need any help	17	74%	3	13%	3	13%	23
I would need help managing the							
money	29	73%	5	13%	6	15%	40
I would need help knowing what							
sort of things I could spend my							
money on	23	72%	5	16%	4	13%	32
I would need help knowing how							
much things cost	19	68%	4	14%	5	18%	28
I would need help to spend the							
money	16	70%	3	13%	4	17%	23

For other the following were listed: Advice and help, Doing the prep work, making sure possible employees are honest and caring, Helping me to my appointment, I would not want to go on Direct payments because of the worry it would cause me managing budgets and the worry that my carer would walk out on me, plus there is too much hassle advertising, My family help with cleaning, shopping and budgeting

Part 4: If you use a personal budget, or a direct payment please answer these questions

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							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
A direct payment	14	78%	1	6%	3	17%	18
An indirect payment	6	100%		0%		0%	6
An individual service fund	1	100%		0%		0%	1
A council-held budget	1	33%	1	33%	1	33%	3
Total	22	79%	2	7%	4	14%	28

Q17 If you have a personal budget, how do you manage it?

Q18 How long have you been using your personal budget or direct payment? (please tick one answer)

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
Less than 1 month	1	50%		0%	1	50%	2
1 month to 6 months	6	86%		0%	1	14%	7
6 months to 1 year	6	100%		0%		0%	6
1 year to 3 years	2	100%		0%		0%	2
More than 3 years	4	50%	3	38%	1	13%	8
Grand Total	19	76%	3	12%	3	12%	25

Q19 Has your local council made it easy for you to:

Find out about personal budgets?

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
Yes	4	50%	3	38%	1	13%	8	24%
Not sure	6	67%	1	11%	2	22%	9	27%
No	14	88%		0%	2	13%	16	48%
Grand Total	24	73%	4	12%	5	15%	33	100%

Do the self-assessment?

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
Yes	6	75%	1	13%	1	13%	8	23%
Not sure	7	64%	1	9%	3	27%	11	31%
No	13	81%	1	6%	2	13%	16	46%
Grand Total	26	74%	3	9%	6	17%	35	100%

Get control over the money?

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
Yes	10	83%		0%	2	17%	12	34%
Not sure	5	56%	2	22%	2	22%	9	26%
No	12	86%	1	7%	1	7%	14	40%
Grand Total	27	77%	3	9%	5	14%	35	100%

Plan the support you want?

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
Yes	6	60%	1	10%	3	30%	10	31%
Not sure	8	73%	2	18%	1	9%	11	34%
No	10	91%		0%	1	9%	11	34%
Grand Total	24	75%	3	9%	5	16%	32	100%

Get the support you want?

							Grand	
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
Yes	7	54%	3	23%	3	23%	13	36%
Not sure	8	80%	1	10%	1	10%	10	28%
No	11	85%	1	8%	1	8%	13	36%
Grand Total	26	72%	5	14%	5	14%	36	100%

Q20 What do you spend your money on? Please tick all that apply to you

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
Short term breaks in a registered							
home	2	40%	1	20%	2	40%	5
Leisure activities	13	81%	2	13%	1	6%	16
Public transport or taxis	10	63%	3	19%	3	19%	16
Day care	2	50%	1	25%	1	25%	4
Someone to help you in your							
house	5	63%	2	25%	1	13%	8
Family members to help	5	50%	3	30%	2	20%	10
Education or training	6	75%		0%	2	25%	8
Holidays	7	58%	3	25%	2	17%	12
A car	5	63%	1	13%	2	25%	8
Residential/care home		0%	1	33%	2	67%	3
Personal assistants/home carer	10	77%	2	15%	1	8%	13
Friends to help	3	50%	2	33%	1	17%	6

Activities listed are as follows: Clothes, DVDs, shopping, trampolining, Cooking, cleaning, laundry and driving long distances, Shopping, washing and cleaning

Anything else that your personal budget is spents on: DVDs, Furniture, Keeping garden and hedges in order and also any repairs to my home, Personal items, Physiotherapy whilst I am waiting for NHS treatment and special food due to dieting requirements and extra heating both of which increase my bills due to my health condition

Q21 Since your personal budget or direct payment started, have you changed the things you u	use?
(please tick one)	

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
No I have not changed my							
support at all	8	67%	3	25%	1	8%	12
Yes I have changed my support a							
little	8	100%		0%		0%	8
Yes I have changed my support a							
lot	5	71%	1	14%	1	14%	7
Yes I have completely changed							
my support	3	75%	1	25%		0%	4
Grand Total	24	77%	5	16%	2	6%	31

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
Short term breaks in a registered							
home		0%	1	50%	1	50%	2
Leisure activities	4	57%	2	29%	1	14%	7
Public transport or taxis	6	55%	3	27%	2	18%	11
Day care	5	71%	1	14%	1	14%	7
Someone to help you in your							
house	4	57%	2	29%	1	14%	7
Family members to help	6	55%	2	18%	3	27%	11
Education or training	2	67%		0%	1	33%	3
Holidays	2	33%	3	50%	1	17%	6
A car	3	60%	1	20%	1	20%	5
Residential/care home	1	33%	1	33%	1	33%	3
Personal assistants/home carer	7	70%	2	20%	1	10%	10
Friends to help	4	50%	3	38%	1	13%	8

Q22 What support did you use before your personal budget or direct payment? Please tick all that apply to you

Please write the activities these people help you with: Before I received direct payments I had help with food only, General cleaning, tidying and washing around the house, Shopping, vacuming and cleaning

Anything else: My family member is helping me and I prefer this and I feel better, Personal care, Shopping my mum takes me. My sister visits me at weekends and helps me with cleaning and

Part 5: These final questions are for everyone

Q25 How did you answer the questions?

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	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total	%
I answered the questions myself	39	80%	8	16%	2	4%	49	40%
I answered the questions with								
help from someone else	42	75%	7	13%	7	13%	56	46%
Someone else mainly answered								
the questions for me	3	60%	1	20%	1	20%	5	4%
Blank	8	62%	1	8%	4	31%	13	11%
Grand Total	92	75%	17	14%	14	11%	123	100%

Q27 Additional questions

Q27 a Have you heard of Help direct?

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
No	60	76%	10	13%	9	11%	79
Yes	24	83%	3	10%	2	7%	29
Blank	8	53%	4	27%	3	20%	15
Grand Total	84	78%	13	12%	11	10%	108

Q27b Have you heard of Telecare?

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
No	71	77%	11	12%	10	11%	92
Yes	12	86%	1	7%	1	7%	14
Blank	9	53%	5	29%	3	18%	17
Grand Total	83	78%	12	11%	11	10%	106

							Grand
	18 to 64	%	65+	%	Unknown	%	Total
No	68	77%	10	11%	10	11%	88
Yes	16	73%	3	14%	3	14%	22
Blank	8	62%	4	31%	1	8%	13
Grand Total	84	76%	13	12%	13	12%	110

Q27c Have you been the victim of a disability hate crime?