

# AGE FRIENDLY COMMUNITIES

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### STORIES

#### **1. Age Friendly Island:**

- ***Celebrating Age Festival 2019 – Programme Itinerary***  
Programme itinerary from the Celebrating Age Festival on the Isle of Wight, providing over 100 diverse events and activities for people aged 50+ in October 2019.

### TOOLS

#### **1. Age Friendly Island:**

- ***A) Age Friendly GP Surgeries Framework***  
In 2016 the Age Friendly Island team carried out a project in partnership with a local GP surgery to look at creating a blueprint for Age Friendly GP practices that can meet the needs of older patients. The Age Friendly Island team worked with a GP from Tower House Surgery in Ryde and their Patient Participation Group, (PPG) and Public Forum members to hear their views on what the practice was doing well for older people, and what could be improved. This led to the development of the Age Friendly Surgeries framework, which enabled surgeries to develop their own action plans.
- ***B) Making Age Friendly GP Surgeries work for you***  
This toolkit is aimed at all staff working within GP Surgeries and those based within Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs). It provides ideas and suggestions for simple steps which can be taken to involve your patients, staff and local community groups in making your surgery Age Friendly.