Purpose	 To help providers share experiences, reduce overlaps in services and enable us to work more effectively together to meet the needs of older people in Westminster. To promoting a better understanding of the development of the health and wellbeing agenda and its impact on the voluntary sector. To explore initiatives that might lead to joint bidding for funding and contracts.
Membership	 Members are representatives of voluntary organisations and community groups consisting of or providing services for older people (aged 50 plus). Members are asked to send apologies if they are unable to attend a meeting.
Frequency of Meetings	The Network will meet at least four times a year, generally for about two hours.
Chair	 The Chairperson will be elected by the group for a period of two years Their responsibilities include: Guiding the meeting according to the agenda and time available. Ensuring agenda items end with a decision, action or possible outcome where appropriate. Review and approve the agenda and draft minutes before distribution.
Meeting Admin.	 Meeting agenda and previous meeting minutes will be circulated at least a week in advance. Emma Plouviez from One Westminster will do this and any other administration of the Network. Network members will approve the minutes of the previous meeting at the start of each meeting.
Monitoring and review	The Network's Terms of Reference will be reviewed annually. The Network will undertake an annual review of its performance, via self-assessment/survey by its members.
These Terms of Reference for Older People Network (OPN) to be circulated for responses by Sept 21 st and agreed at the meeting on that date.	