



PEACE PLUS

Health Sector



PEACE PLUS Programme



The PEACE PLUS Programme is a **€1bn investment** in the social, economic and environmental development of Northern Ireland and the border counties of Ireland.

It comprises **six themes**, which encompass **21 individual investment areas**.



Health Sector and PEACE PLUS



- Health and social care is an area in which collaborative cross border approaches are proven to deliver considerable benefits to the citizen and the Programme area.
- Therefore, PEACE PLUS includes a dedicated measure for Health within **Theme 4: 4.1 Collaborative Health & Social Care €80m**
- There are other investment areas within PEACE PLUS, which although not exclusively for the Health Sector, will provide significant opportunities for sectoral involvement **(Themes 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6).**

4.1 Collaborative Health & Social Care

€80m



- will build upon existing ***cross community and cross border collaborative approaches*** to health and social care delivery models (within specified treatment areas), to ***deliver an increased number of episodes of care***.
- will support the development of **innovative community based health care interventions**, which complement statutory provision (including social enterprise models).
- will contribute to ***improved population health and wellbeing*** and ***reduced health inequalities***.

4.1 Collaborative Health & Social Care €80m



Supported actions will include:

- Cross border collaborative approaches to health and social care service delivery.
- Cross border healthcare intervention trials.
- Social equality approaches to promote social inclusion and better life outcomes for disabled people and those with complex needs.
- Cross border health and social care services delivered by local community and voluntary organisations.
- Early authoritative interventions within vulnerable families.

4.1 Collaborative Health & Social Care

€80m



Supported actions will include:

- Primary care and older people services, supporting caring communities and independent living.
- Initiatives designed to address the trauma of the Troubles on the health and mental wellbeing of citizens and communities, using strengths-based, cross community and cross border mental and emotional resilience and recovery models; to include the development of addiction treatment facilities and programmes.

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PEACE PLUS includes other investment areas which not exclusively for the Health Sector, provide significant opportunity for sectoral involvement as follows:

THEME	INVESTMENT AREA
1: Building Peaceful and Thriving Communities	1.1 Co-designed Local PEACE Action Plans 1.2 Empowering Communities 1.3 Building Positive Relations 1.4 Re-Imaging Communities
2: Delivering Economic Regeneration and Transformation	2.3 Programme Area Skills Development Programme
3: Empowering and Investing in Our Young People	3.3 Youth Mental Health and Wellbeing
4: Healthy and Inclusive Communities	4.2 Rural Regeneration and Social Inclusion 4.3 Victims and Survivors
6: Building and Embedding Partnership and Collaboration	6.2 Managing and Forging Relationships Between Citizens

Theme 1: Building Peaceful and Thriving Communities



INVESTMENT AREA	HEALTH SECTOR ALIGNMENT
1.1 Co-designed Local Community PEACE Action Plans (€90m)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • will enable the creation of Local PEACE PLUS Partnerships across all parts of the Programme area to co-design PEACE Action Plans. • will support local projects, including those with a health and wellbeing focus, providing opportunities for engagement for suitable Health Sector organisations.
1.2 Empowering Communities (€30m)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • will support the delivery of people-to-people projects by local Community & Voluntary Sector organisations, including those with a Health focus through the provision of a small grants programme.
1.3 Building Positive Relations (€30m)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • will present opportunities for Community & Voluntary Sector organisations with the capacity to deliver large, strategic peace and reconciliation projects, including those of a health and wellbeing nature.
1.4 Re-Imaging Communities (€60m)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • will support the development of new and transformed existing spaces into shared environments for use by all, including those with a health and wellbeing focus, thus will provide opportunities for engagement by the Health Sector

Theme 2: Delivering Economic Regeneration and Transformation



INVESTMENT AREA	HEALTH SECTOR ALIGNMENT
2.3 Programme Area Skills Development (€35m)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• will support <i>area-based approaches to address existing and emerging skills requirements, including those within the Health Sector.</i>

Theme 3: Empowering and Investing in Our Young People



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3.3 Youth Mental Health and Wellbeing (€20m)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• will increase the number of resilient young people within the Programme area, with the capacity to be in control of their own lives and make a positive contribution within their communities.• will focus on the social, emotional and environmental wellbeing of young people.• will support additional, non-formal approaches will create opportunities for Health, Community & Voluntary Sector organisations.

Theme 4: Healthy and Inclusive Communities



INVESTMENT AREA	HEALTH SECTOR ALIGNMENT
4.2 Rural Regeneration and Social Inclusion (€50m)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• will fund a range of initiatives designed to <i>redress the level of social isolation within rural areas</i> for people of all ages.• will support social, economic and environmental projects, which <i>create healthier rural communities and reduce health inequalities</i>.• will include <i>increased delivery of family and community services focused on health and wellbeing</i>, providing a range of opportunities for involvement by Health Sector organisations.
4.3 Victims and Survivors (€25m)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• will build upon the <i>provision of health and wellbeing supports and resilience-based capacity building programmes for Victims and Survivors</i> in the PEACE IV Programme and provide opportunities for engagement by appropriate organisations with the Health Sector.

Theme 6: Building and Embedding Partnership and Collaboration



INVESTMENT AREA	HEALTH SECTOR ALIGNMENT
6.2 Maintaining and Forging Relationships between Citizens (€20m)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• will finance <i>smaller projects that forge and maintain social and civic cohesion on a cross border basis.</i>• will provide opportunities for <i>cross border initiatives led by Health Sector organisations.</i>

PEACE PLUS Public Consultation



The purpose of the public consultation is to provide citizens, and other key stakeholders, with an opportunity to share their views on the content and administrative arrangements of the PEACE PLUS Programme, findings from the Equality Screening exercise and the Strategic Environmental Assessment.

The consultation started on **Wednesday 10 March 2021** and will end at 5pm on **Wednesday 12 May 2021**.

Information regarding how to respond to the Public Consultation can be found at:

<https://www.seupb.eu/PEACEPLUS>