

East Centre & Calton

About Community Planning

Community planning is a process that requires the local authority and other organisations to come together to agree priorities for the planning and provision of public services with the community. The two main aims of Community Planning are to:

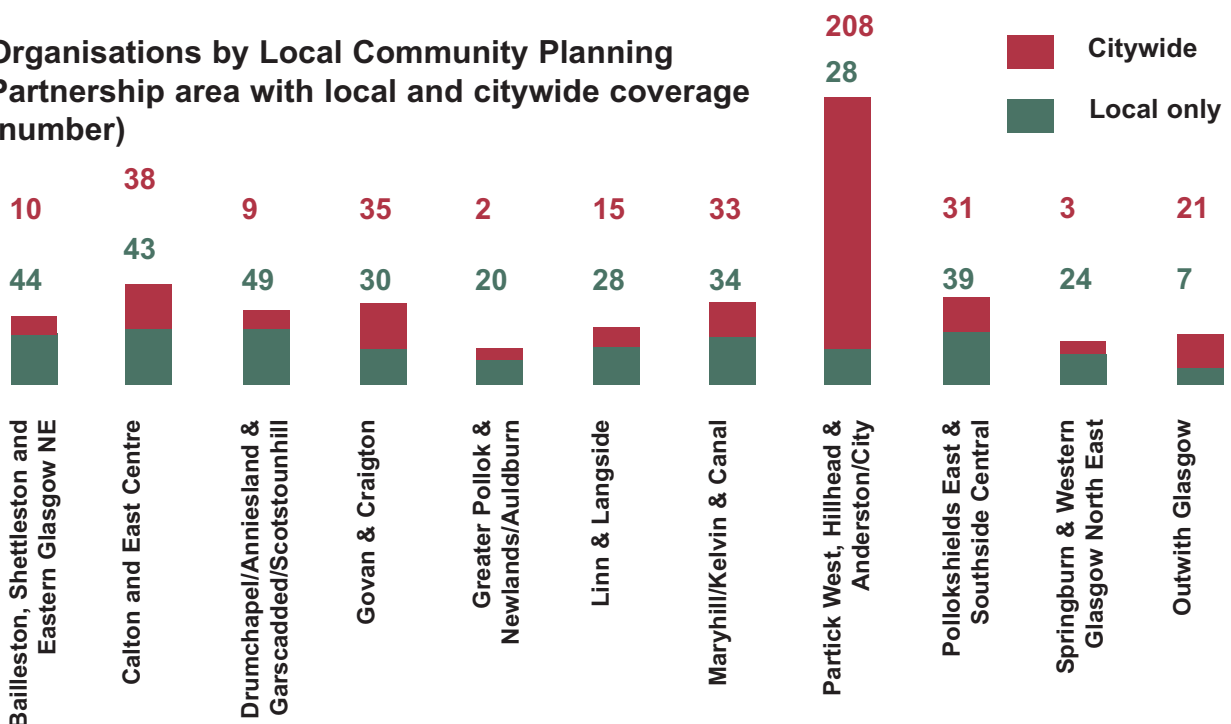
- Ensure that people and communities are genuinely engaged in the decisions made on public services which affect them
- Ensure commitment from organisations to work together, not apart, in providing better public services

To achieve these objectives community planning will be required to build the capacity of communities. Community planning aims to create a culture shift so that decisions on services are subject to discussion with local people and other service delivery partners as a matter of course. Over time organisations working together will become the norm.

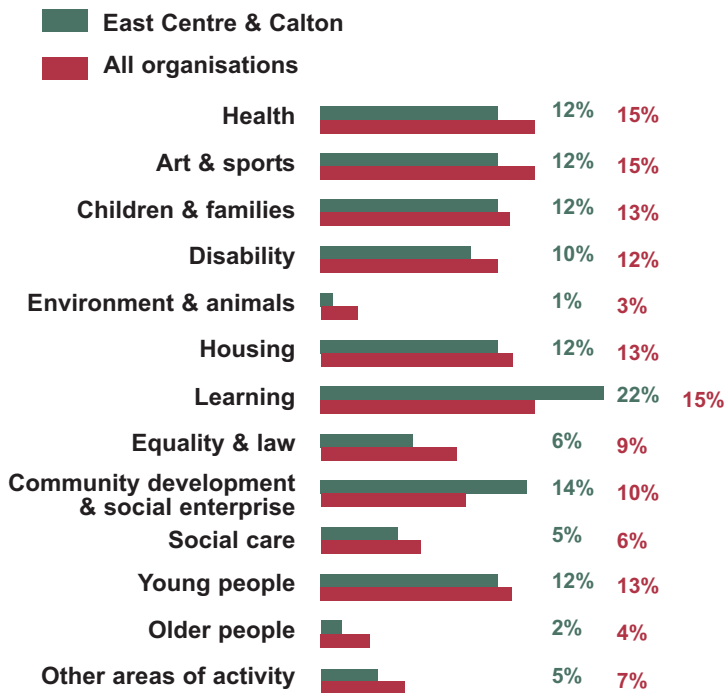
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Organisations by Local Community Planning Partnership area with local and citywide coverage (number)



Organisational areas of activity



East Centre & Calton Local Community Planning Partnership Area.

There are over 850 community and voluntary organisations operating across the city, with 81 (9%) of these based within the East Centre & Calton LCPP area.

The **annual turnover** for the organisations based within the East Centre & Calton LCPP area is **£41,955,126**, representing 10% of the total annual income for the community and voluntary sector citywide.

The **sector as a major employer** within the city has over **13,000 paid staff**.

1404 (10%) of these staff are employed by organisations based within **East Centre & Calton** LCPP area.

On a regular basis, community and voluntary organisations work in partnership with the statutory sector in addition to working along with other voluntary sector organisations. This is of key importance in community planning.

In the **East Centre & Calton** LCPP area **79%** (64) of the organisations receive referrals from other agencies and organisations.

- **36** receive Social Work referrals (**44%**)
- **18** receive referrals from Health Professionals (**22%**)
- **26** receive referrals from other community and voluntary organisations (**32%**)
- **22** receive self referrals (**27%**)

There is evidence of many individuals accessing and making use of multiple services. Across **Glasgow**, organisations report a total of over **4.5 million service users**.

In the East Centre & Calton LCPP area there are a reported **122,632** service users.

Within the **East Centre & Calton** LCPP area, **64%** (52) of the organisations report having a particular focus on providing services to traditionally hard to reach groups. Of these, 31% (16) focus on people that are unemployed and 19% (10) focus on people with addictions.

Percentage of paid employees and annual income per LCPP area

