

### Going beyond the tip of the iceberg Improving the mental health of communities



Jim White



### 'Mental disorders are the core health challenge of the 21<sup>st</sup> century'

- 38% of the EU pop suffers from a mental disorder (12 m prevalence)
- anxiety, insomnia, depression
- 'low treatment rates and grossly inadequate treatment'

Wittchen et al (2011) European Neuropsychopharmacology, 21, 655-679

### **Primary Care Mental Health Teams**

- 'mild to moderate' common mental health problems (anxiety and depression)
- Short interventions (6-8 sessions)
- Most focus almost exclusively on one-to-one

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### The Usual Suspects Vs The Hard to Reach

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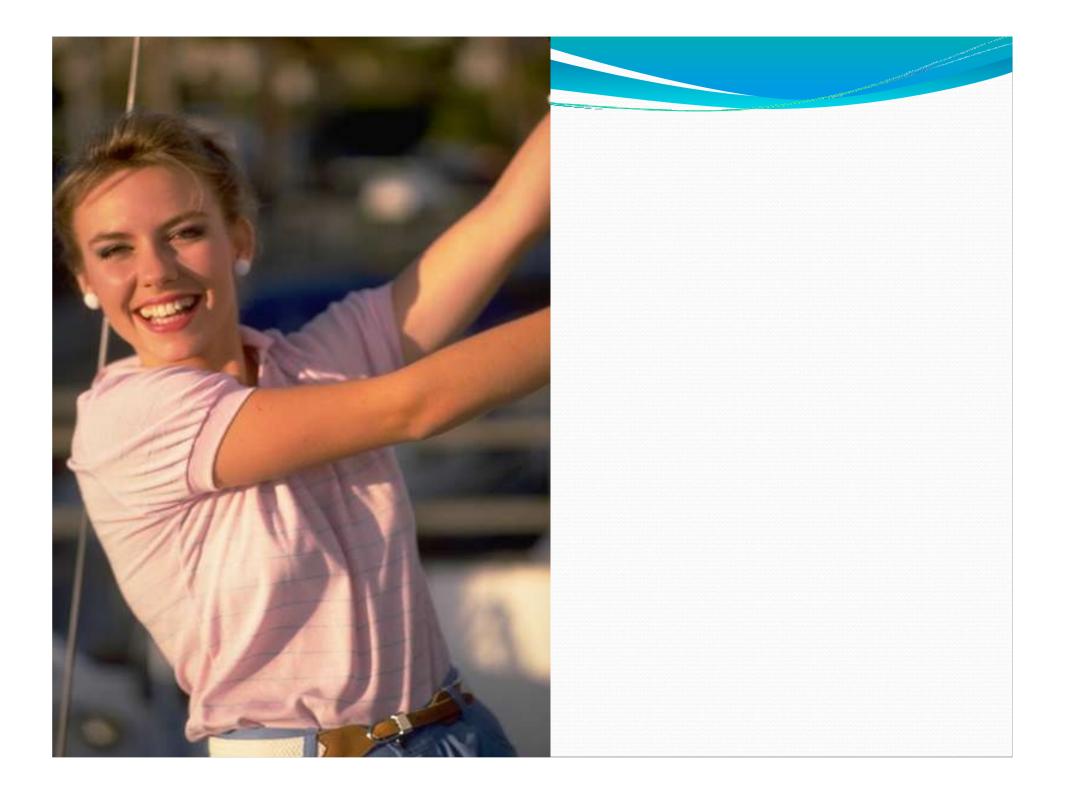
#### 'Bouncers' not 'Greeters'

- Waiting lists
- Risk-averse
- Focus on one-to-one, little choice
- Hurdles
- 'Cure' or 'head above water'?
- Do we confuse 'clinical depression' with 'unhappiness'?
- High DNA, drop-out, mediocre outcomes, high relapse

So not simply more therapists

## Designed in California Delivered in the Gorbals?

biopsychosocial





### But what about the *bio*?

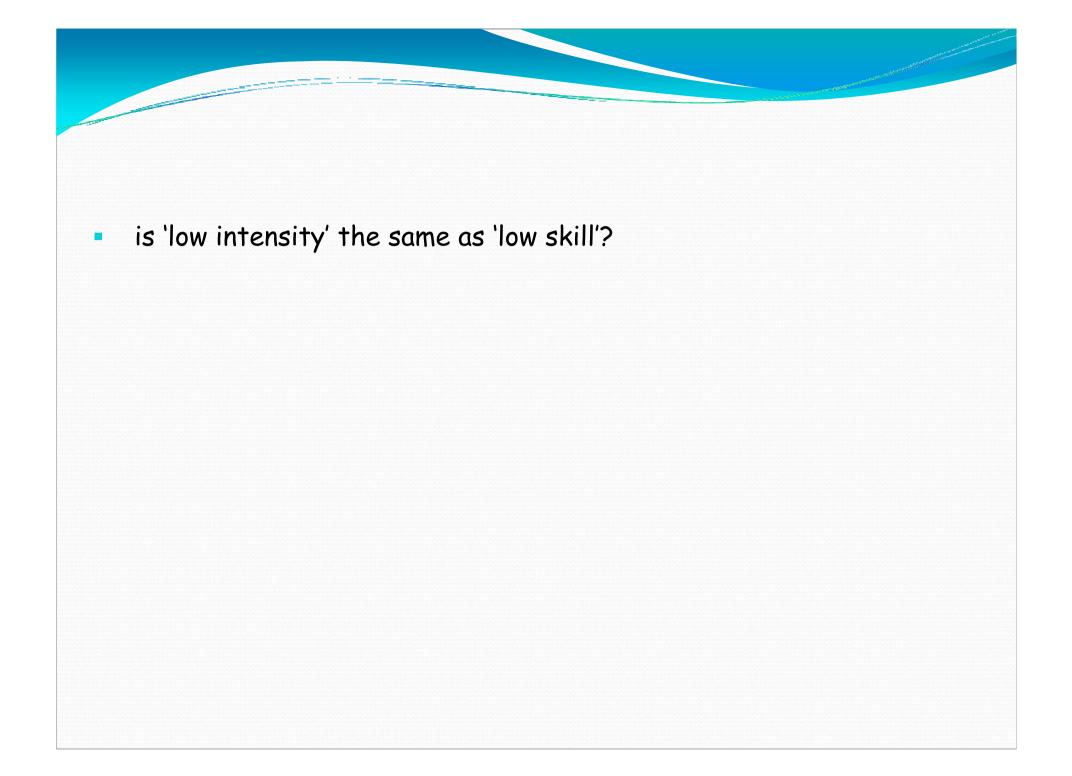
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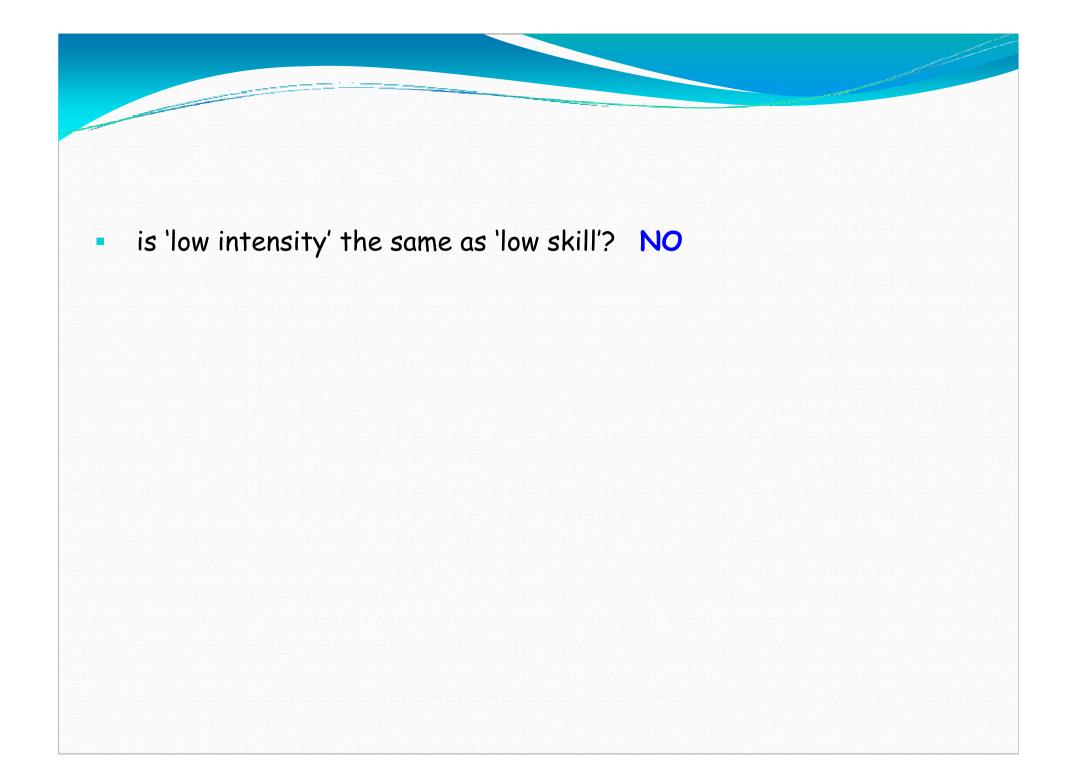
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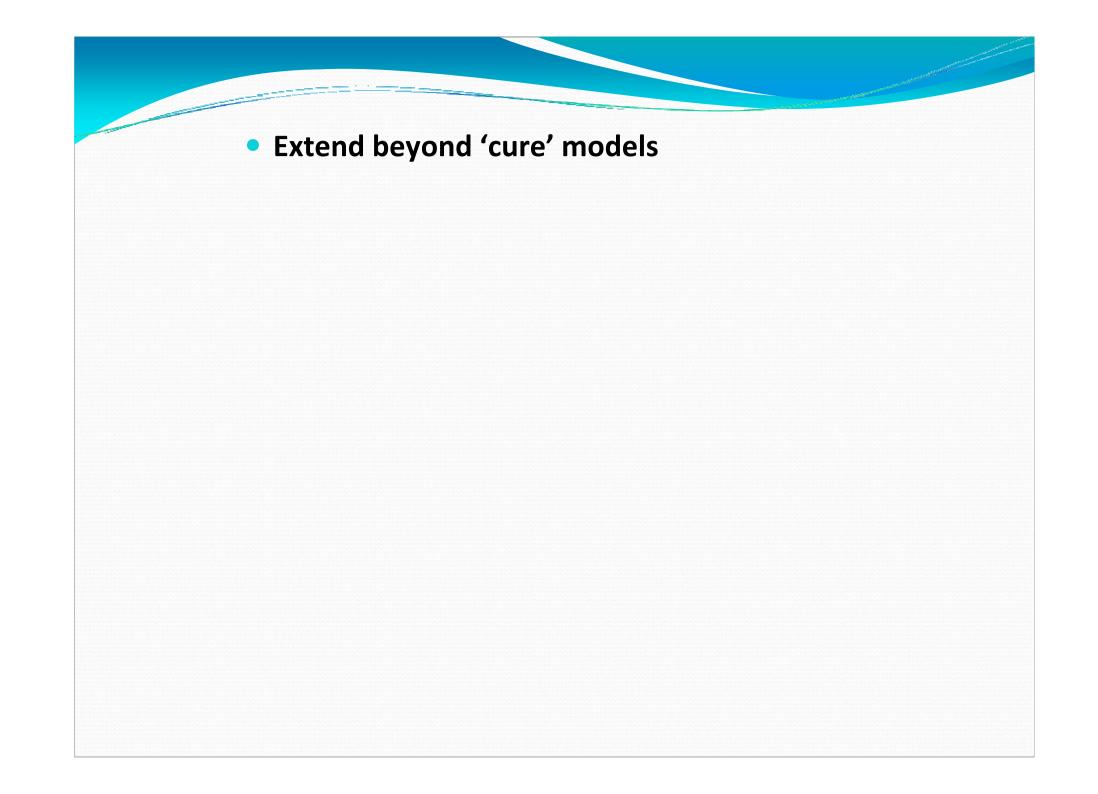
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## The implications



• Extend beyond 'cure' models

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Recovery / Well-being / Strengths

## **STEPS PCMHT**

South East Glasgow:

130,000, mainly deprived

11% Pakistani



2 clinical psychologists
0.8 CBT therapist
0.5 MH practitioner (counsellor)
1 assistant psychologist
1.5 admin

Peer supporter

Exercise trainer

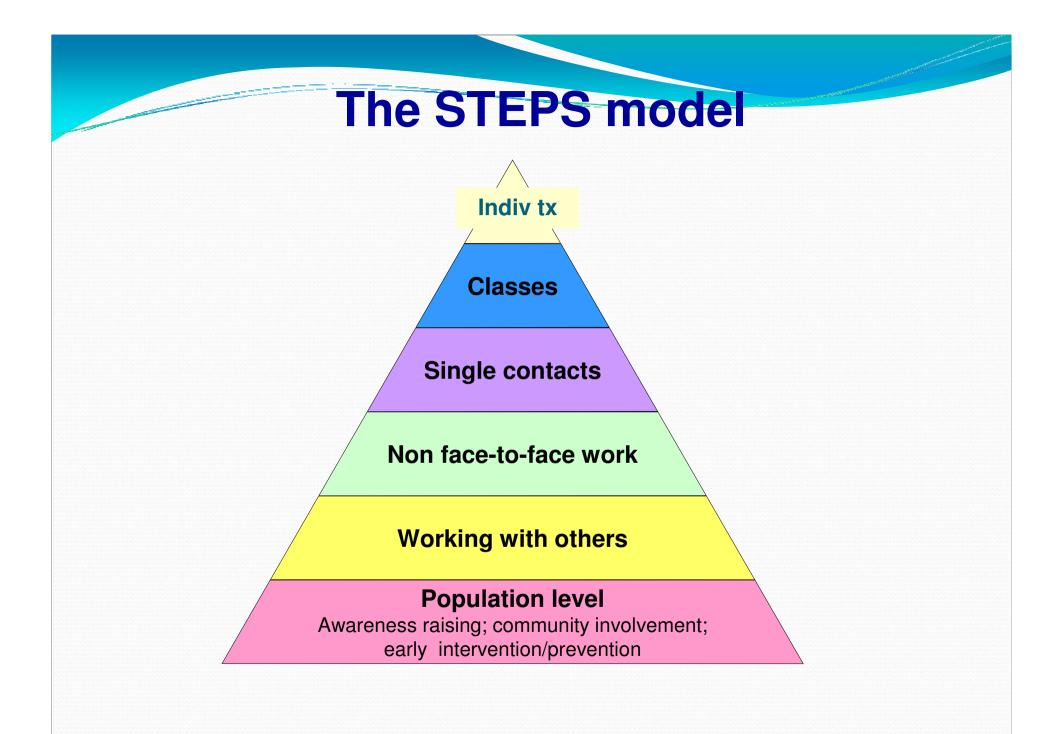
### **STEPS principles**

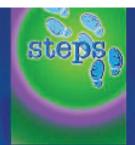
- Self-referral (with safety nets)
- No waiting lists
- Very high volume (>3000)
- Matched not stepped care
- Easy to return to the service
- Horses for courses so...
- ...Genuine (informed) choice:

Assessment and non-assessment options

# To complement therapy services, we need to....

- leave the clinic and go hunting and...
   raise awareness, counter stigma so...
   prevent, promote and intervene early
- reach the 'hard to reach' so
- work with others
- 'be more than just therapists'
- deprivation-relevant model





### **Steps Services**



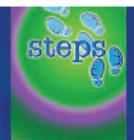


### steps





### avoid 'mental'



### **Steps Services**





## steps





#### **Therapist contact**

- Advice Clinic
- 'Call Back'

#### Classes

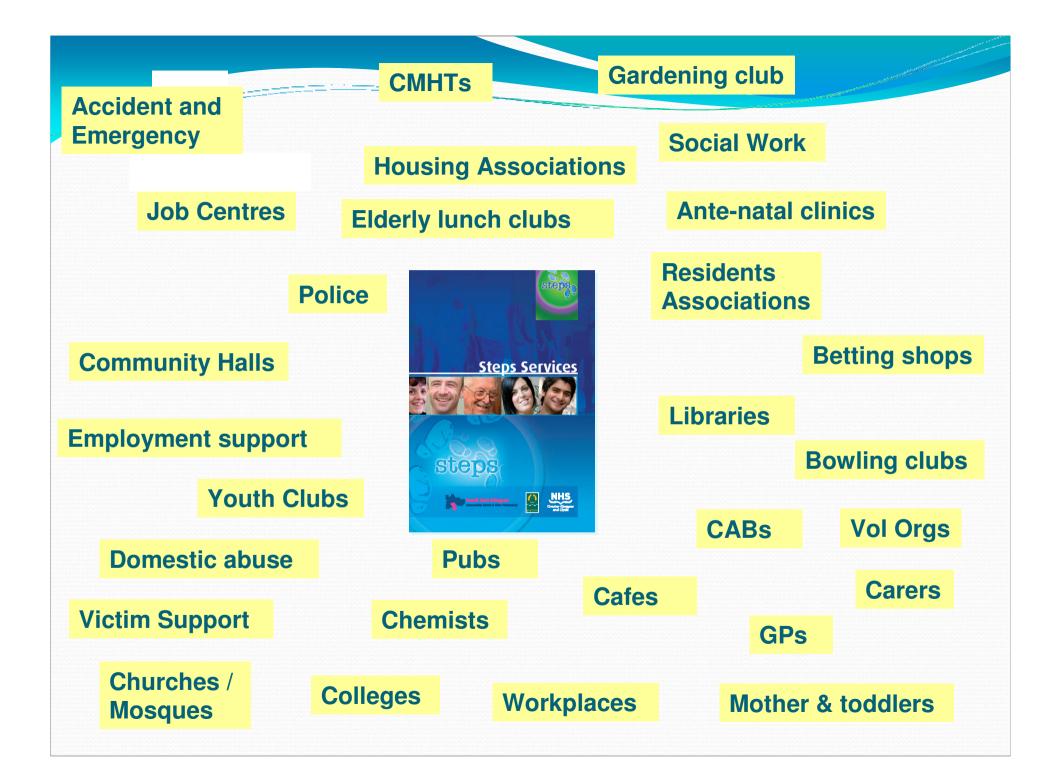
- Stress Control
- Mood Matters
- Connect
- First Steps
- Step into Shape
- LifeGym
- Day workshops

#### Non-therapist contact

- Healthy Reading
- Steps out of Stress booklets
- www.glasgowsteps.com
- www.glasgowhelp.com
- '100 people' DVD
- 'Everything you always..' DVD
- STEPS sounds / podcasts

#### Other

- Mental health info and advice
- ار دو بولنے والوں کے لئے مدد •
- Partner organisations
- Stay in touch with STEPS



### Pubs

#### **Beer** mats

Posters

Service brochures



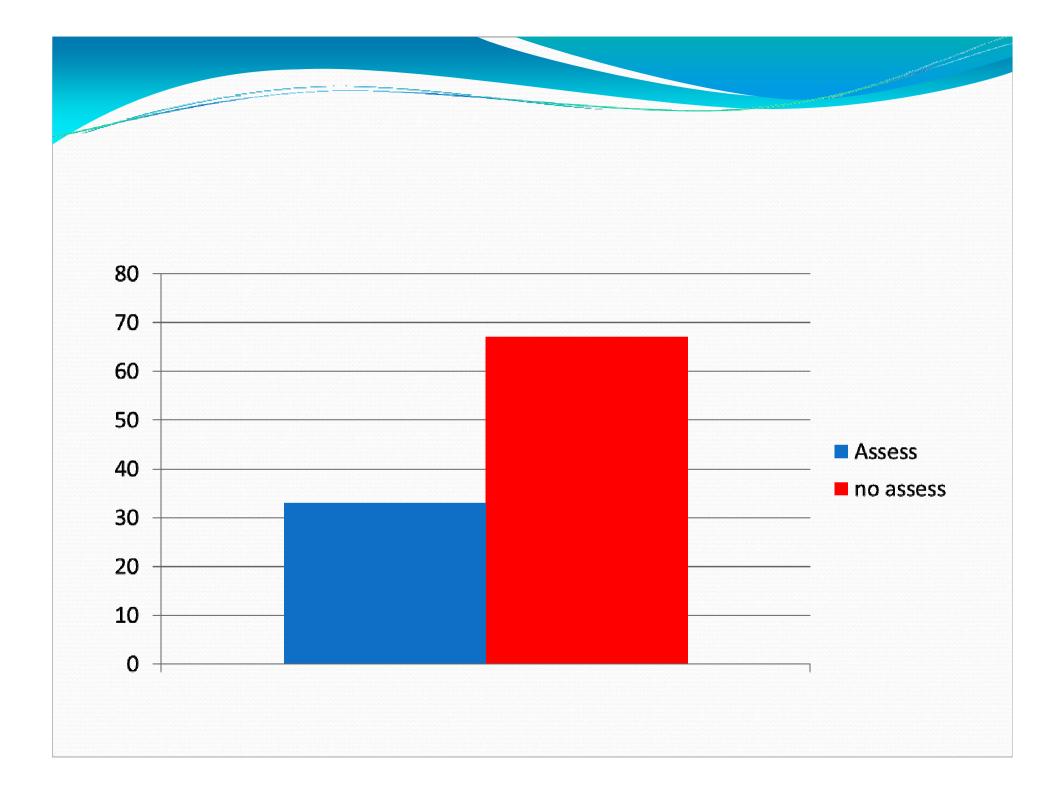
Can't switch off Drinking too much Dragging yourself through the day Feeling on edge Poor concentration Irritable Poor sleep

See yourself here? If so, flip this over

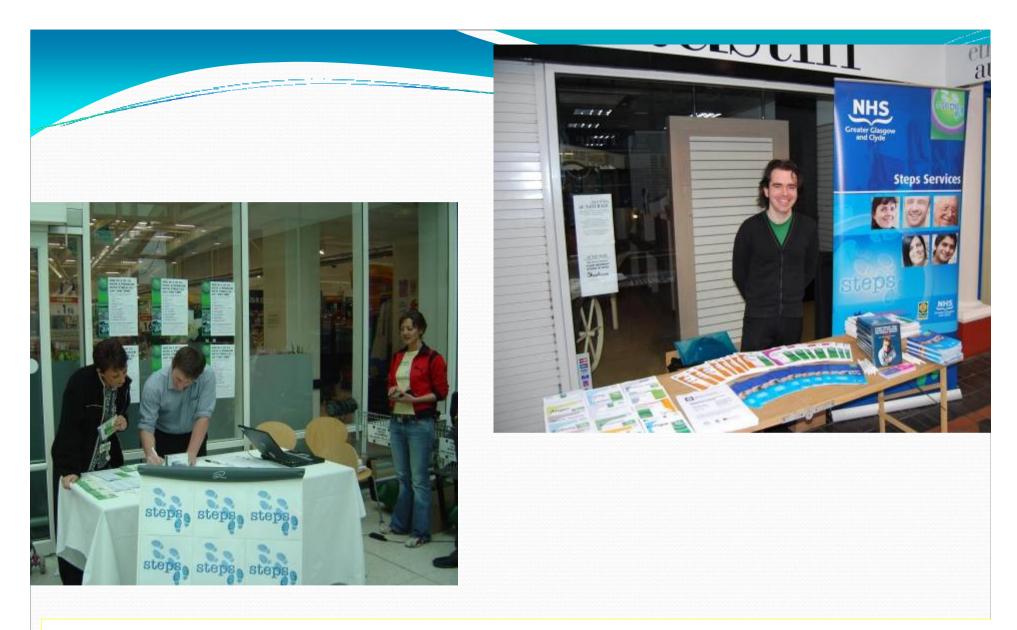


### What do people choose?

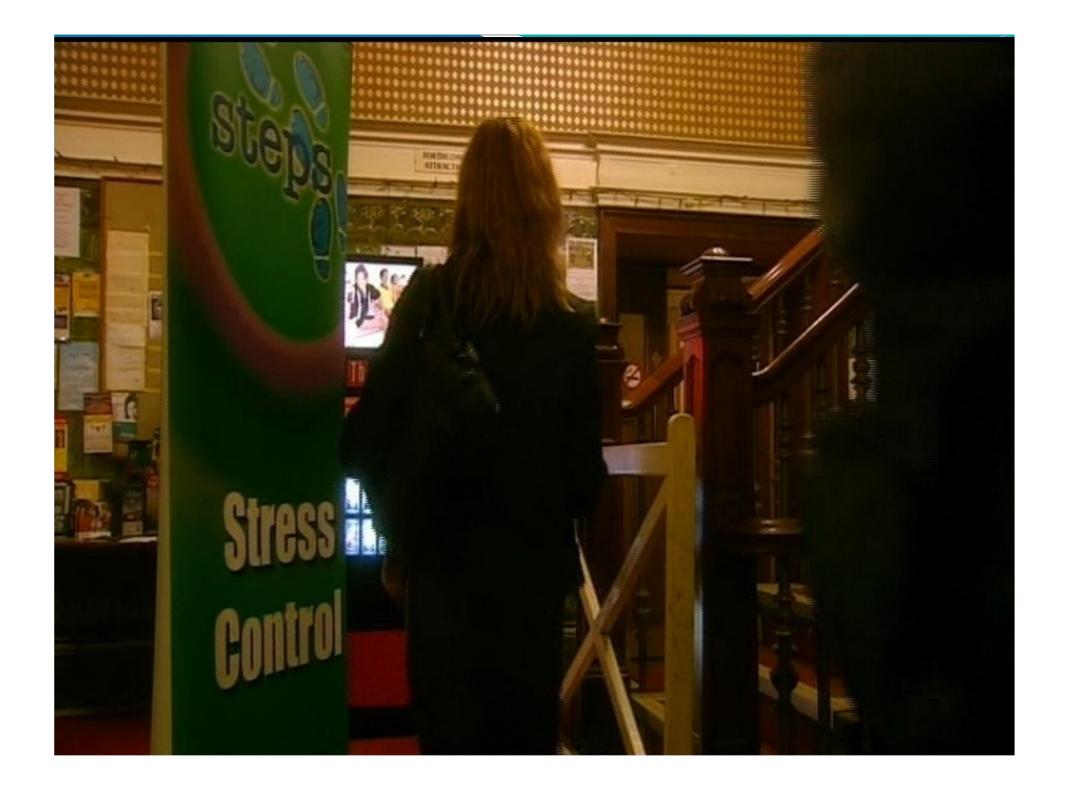
**First contact** 







#### Service brochures Booklets DVDs Sign up for services



### **Assessment services**



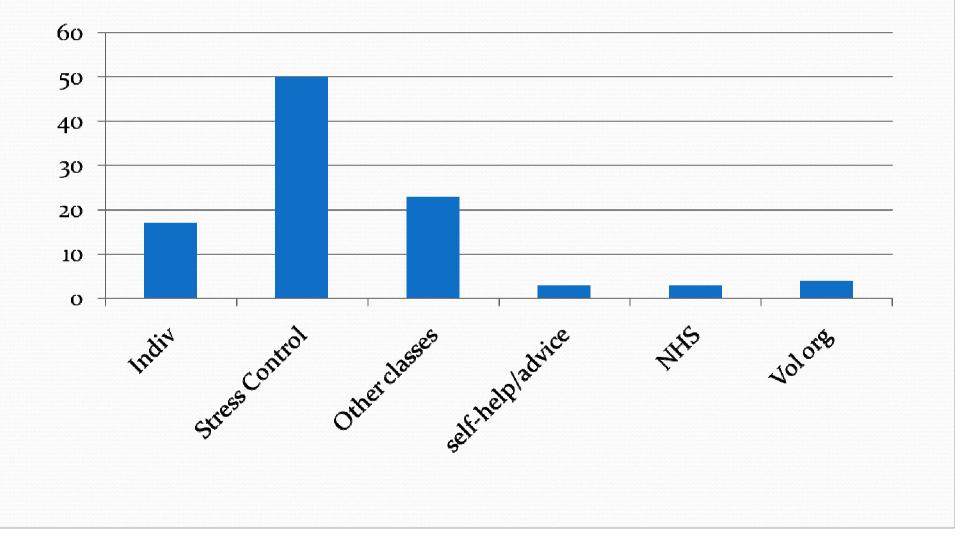


### Where do people go?





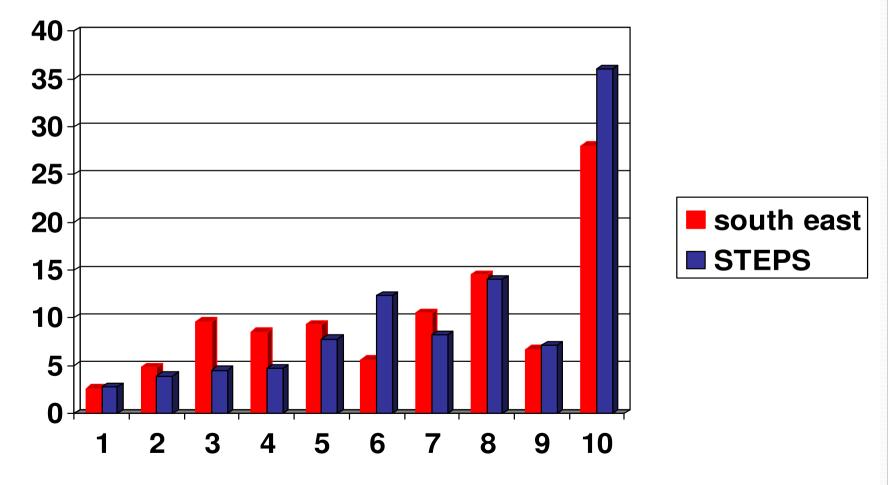
### Where do people go (%)





- 10 days to therapy
- 87% attend first appointment
- 79% complete
- 4% of all STEPS service users
- CORE-10:
  - Pre (22.6) = 'moderate/severe'
  - Post (6.9) = 'low level'

### **South East SIMD Vs STEPS service users**





**stresscontrol** Face your fears; be more active; watch what you drink

mixed anxiety/depression







peer-support



exercise



A work-out for life

social anxiety

recovery/well-being



run by peer supporters

'common and enduring'

Iong-term support

recovery model



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BDI	Effect Size (Cohen's D)
8 CBT	0.32 (medium)
6 BA	0.37 (medium)
6 CBT	0.96 (large)



### **Controlling your anger**

A one-day workshop run by the Glasgow STEPS Team

Do you often lose your temper? Are you wound up by the least wee thing? Is your anger a problem at home or work?

If this sounds like you, our <u>free</u> one-day workshop could help. Learn more about why you get angry ... and what you can do to take control of it.

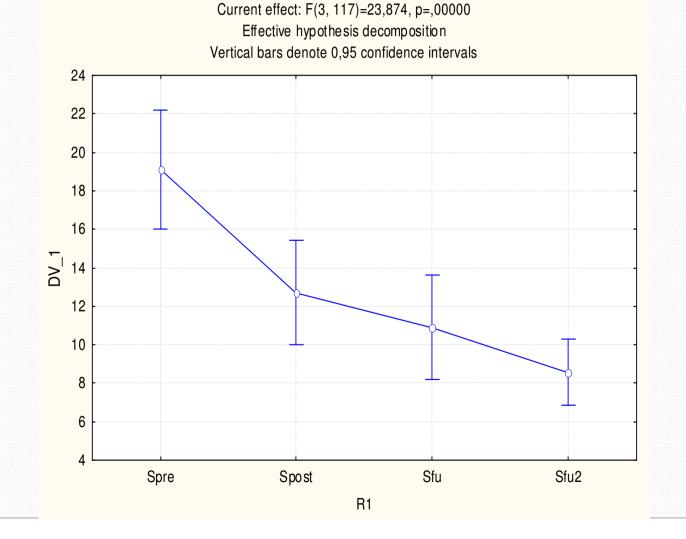
The workshop will be run by Carol Richards, Cognitive Behavioural Therapist, and Simon Stuart, Assistant Psychologist.





- 6 session CBT 'evening/afternoon class'
- Community venue, 13 per year
- No discussion of problems
- Partners/friends encouraged to attend
- **80-140 (30-40)**
- 75-80% completion rates
- No attendance sheet or assessment
- Used widely in GB and Europe

### Depression Anxiety Stress Scale: 2 year follow-up R1; LS Means



### **Barnsley Stress Control**

#### Compared

individual psychotherapy individual CBT Stress Control

- All three equally effective
- Stress Control *much* more efficient

Kellett et al. (2007). British Journal of Clinical Psychology

### Reasonable services for the 'usual suspects'

### But how do we reach the 'hard to reach'?

### We get rid of barriers

## Getting beneath the tip of the iceberg

**Raising awareness** 

Literacy

Multi-media

Reaching the 'hard to reach'



- all Glasgow libraries
- Extended to physical health
- Over 1800 books borrowed each month
- But help or hinder?...reading ease



#### 'Steps out of Stress' series

- Stress (mixed anx/dep) \* #
- Stress (teenagers)
- Panic \*
- Insomnia \*
- Self-esteem
- Relaxation
- Fatigue
- Getting more active
- Psychosis
- So you've had a baby?
- Whole Life book
- Work stress
- Cannabis

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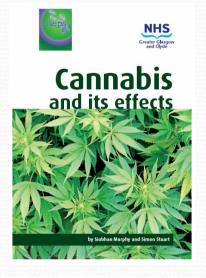
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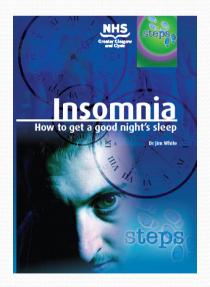
20-40 pages

- Anger
- Alcohol
- Anti-depressants \*
- Bereavement
- Trauma
- Flying phobia
- Height phobia
- Health anxiety
- Phobias (general)
- Agoraphobia
- Getting motivated
- Assertiveness
- Social anxiety

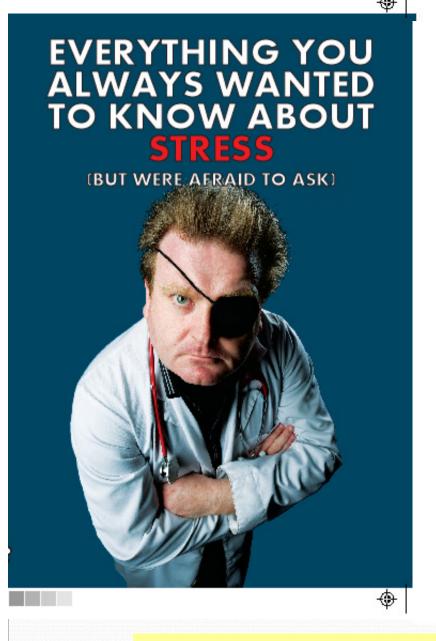
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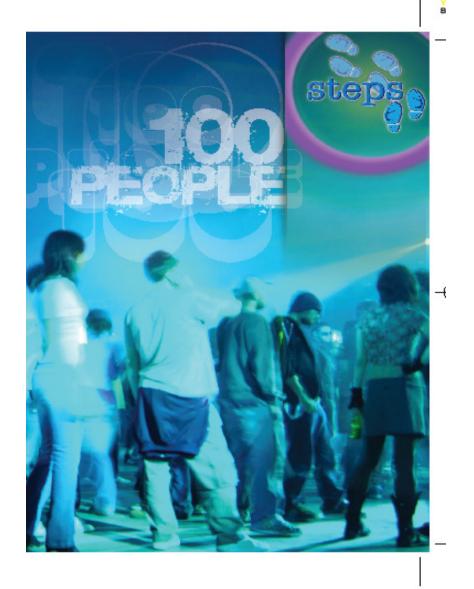
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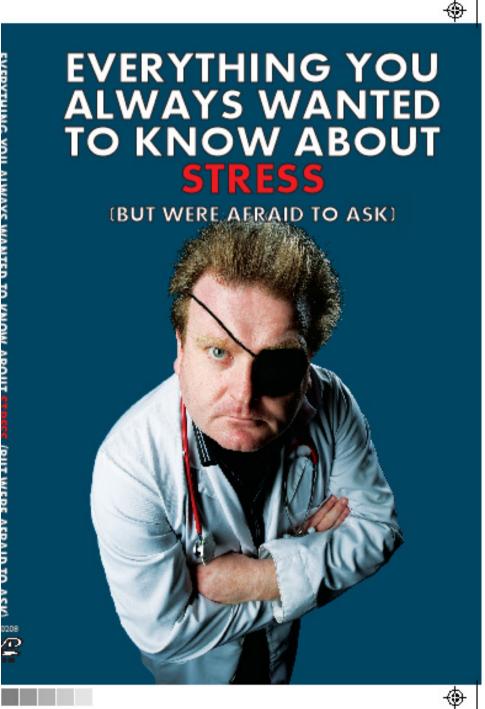


**# Polish, Slovak** 





#### YouTube and www.glasgowsteps.com





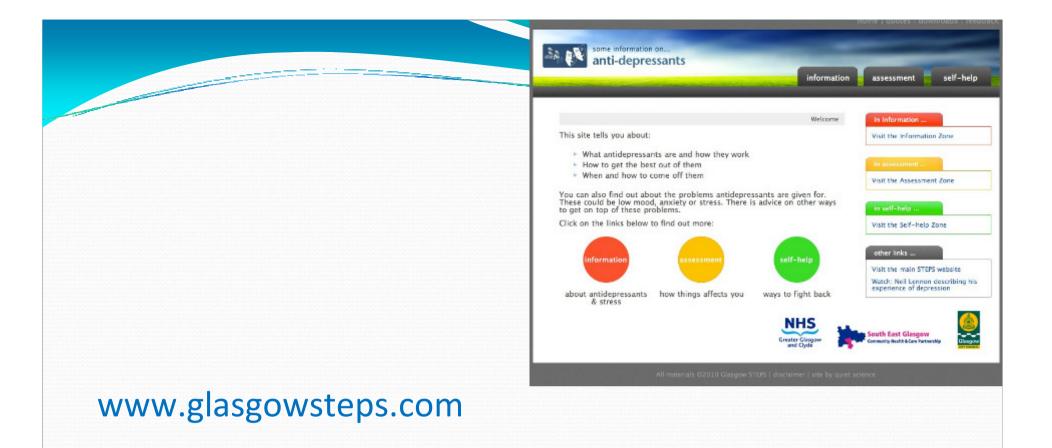




#### FACE YOUR FEARS

**BE MORE ACTIVE** 

WATCH WHAT YOU DRINK



www.glasgowhelp.com

www.antidepressantsteps.com

www.connectsoutheast.co.uk

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Information Self-assessment Interactive self-help

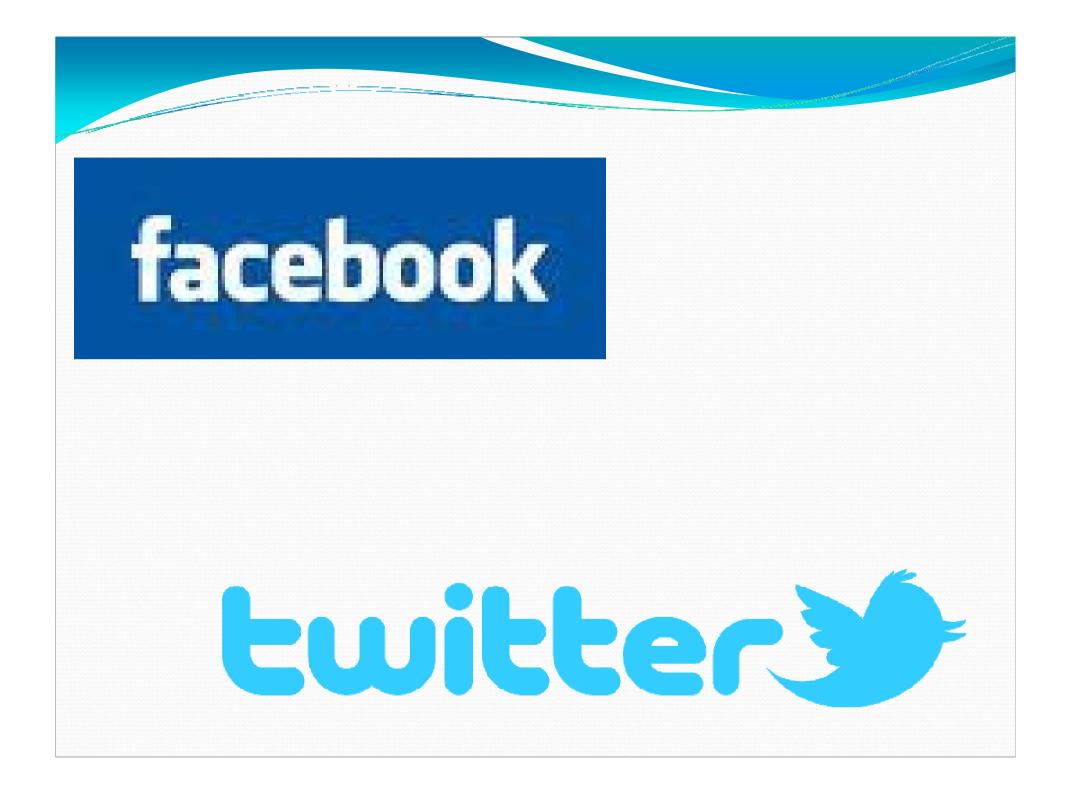
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#### Downloads: videos, audio, books, podcasts



BBC programmes On-line booking / service info Spirituality section Art gallery / personal stories Black Dog

Over 3 million hits per year



See the whole person Mental health Vs well-being biopsychosocial

A Model of Mental Health Optimal mental wellbeing (flourishing)	
Minimal mental illness	
e.g. a person who has no diagnosable mental illness who has a low level of mental wellbeing	
Minimal mental wellbeing (languishing)	











## **Be active**

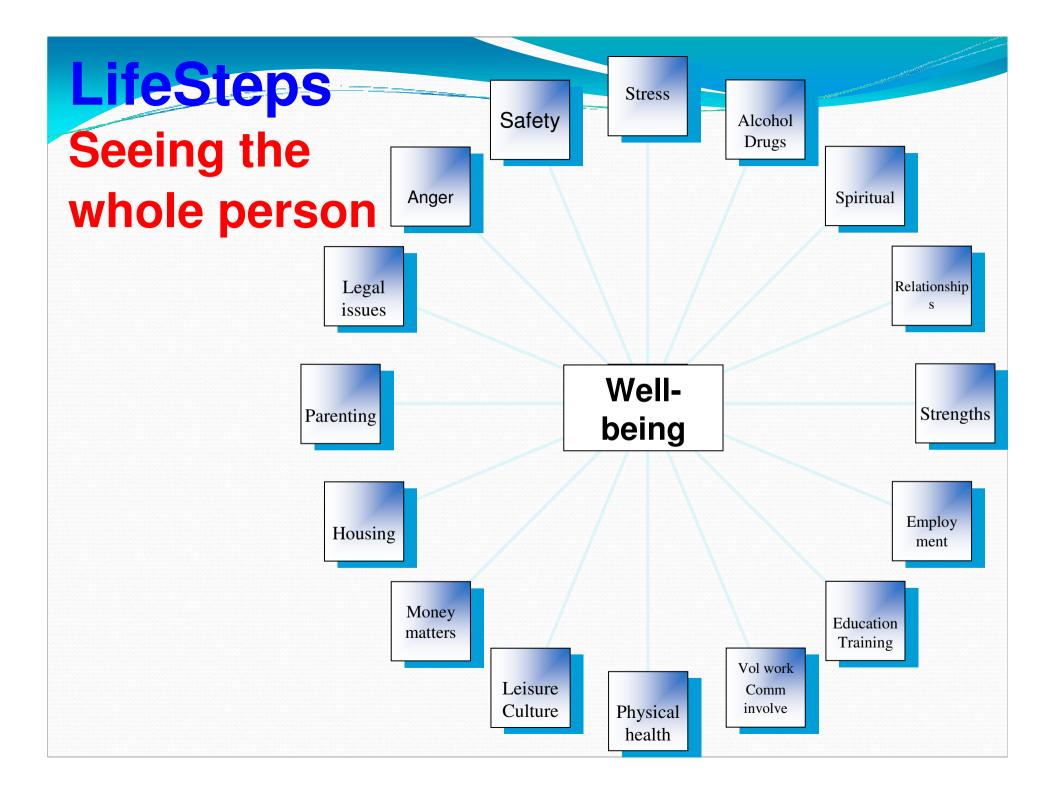


# **Take notice**



# Keep learning





## Working with others



#### ONE IN FIVE OF US HAS A PROBLEM WITH STRESS AT ANY ONE TIME.

THESE ARE THE MOST COMMON SIGNS: WORRY LAC FEELING WORTHLESS CAN PANKE ATTACKS POO ANGER FEEL POOR SLEEP FEEL WAITING FOR THE WORST TO HAPPEN AVO TEARFUL DRIN FEELING ON EDGE LAC

LACK OF ENERGY CAN'T SWITCH OFF POOR CONCENTRATION FEELING IRRITABLE FEELING HOPELESS AVOIDING DOING THINGS DRINKING TOO MUCH LACK OF CONFIDENCE OR SELF-ESTEEM

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If you see yourself here then STEPS - a free NHS service - can help you. All our services are self-referral and open to anyone aged 36 or above.

To find out about the range of services we offer, pick up the STEPS brochure at any GP practice in south east Glasgow.

If you would like STEPS to post a brochure to you: phone 0141 433 4934 text 07795 315301 email steps@ggc.scot.nhs.uk

You can see the brochure (and a lot more) on our website www.glasgowsteps.com





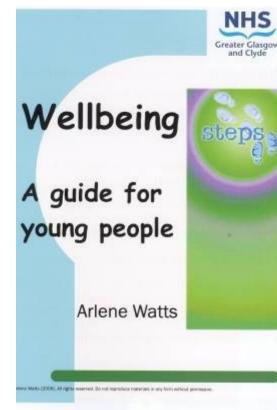
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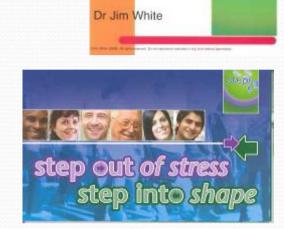


#### '100 people' DVD (YouTube: '100 people, stress')

## Working with GPs

Crib sheets

Training GPs to identify and triage



Controlling

steps

your

Stress







## stresscontrol

Face your fears; be more active; watch what you drink

#### More than enough work to go around....

■GPs

Vol Orgs

Podiatrists

1. STRESSPAC

StressPac is for people who want to learn some great ways to get on top of stress.

STRESSPAC 1

See over

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#### The 'Head above Water' Roadshow

- Making your money stretch (Castlemilk Budgeting Service)
- Borrowing money (Castlemilk Credit Union)
- Getting back to work/training (Job Centre Plus)
- Coping with Debt (Castlemilk Law and Money Advice Centre)
- Getting involved in your community (Volunteer Project)
- Coping with the stress of it all (STEPS)
- Learning new skills (Learning Direct, ILA)
- Are you getting the right benefits? (Welfare Rights)



#### Getting to know you

A chance to meet other organisations in your area and make lasting connections



This is a free event to improve communication and collaboration between statutory, voluntary and faith organisations in South-East Glasgow. It is being hosted by the STEPS Primary Care Mental Health Team, South-East CHCP.

🛑 Information 🛑 Interaction 🛑 Tea, coffee and lunch

Monday 1 November, 2010, 10am-2pm Premier Inn, Ballater Street, Glasgow

For further information call 0141 232 2555 and ask for Siobhan or Simon or email info@glasgowsteps.com



# Connect South East



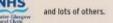
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Wednesday 1 Oth October 9pm Tickets (1 box office 0141 339 8444



Organised by: Mental Health Foundation See me

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#### **Community Psychology: The Toryglen project**

- Kick off with stand-up comedy
- Two session Stress Control
- Two session Mood Matters
- Taster workshops
- Advice Clinics in GP practice
- 'Head above water' (psychosocial) roadshow





- Scottish Government funded
- Part of 'Steps for Stress'
- CBT / lifestyle advice
- 6 programmes Tuesday 7.30
- Lorraine Kelly

## 'Strategy Factory'

#### Targeted in deprived areas

'Life skills'

#### Strengths / Recovery-based (WRAP)





## DVDs, match programmes, video screen





## What doesn't work?

Not enough from deprived areas

Not good enough biopsychosocial

Not enough over 65s, under 25s

Not enough on well-being

#### But enough does work so...

#### **Continue to :**

- the move away from traditional therapy and 'cures'
- set up new services, teach others and move on
- Find the 'hard to reach' not the 'usual suspects'
- move further into the population community
   psychology, social prescribing, mental/social capital and
   wellbeing

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