**Golden Years Community Connecting Service, in partnership with Red Cross**

Cyrenians and Red Cross are keen to maintain the momentum of change and we invite colleagues to join us to explore the question:

**"How can we work together to bring about transformational change after a global pandemic, and in doing so maximise our opportunities to support older people to remain at home safe and well?"**

1).    **Please tell us about your knowledge of the preventative services that are currently available in Edinburgh to support older people to remain at home safe and well.**

Please also share with us where you consider services to be missing from the landscape.In other words services that, if present, could better support older people to remain independent at home.

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2)     **What do you consider to be the current difficulties and challenges that older people face with regards to receiving support from existing services within the landscape?**

For example, is it about eligibility criteria? Cost? Are waiting lists an issue? Is there simply a lack of community- based services? Anything else?

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3)    **Tell us about key learning from the COVID pandemic.**

How this has shaped your thinking about how we can provide services that support older people to remain at home? What do you think we can and must do differently from here on in?

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Please complete and return to [homesafeandwell@cyrenians.scot](mailto:homesafeandwell@cyrenians.scot) **by** 16th September 2021