

## Who we are

Future East is a registered charity

Our members include:

### **Older People's Locality Representatives**

We have representatives from each of the county and unitary authorities in the region. They provide local knowledge of older people, both first-hand and through their networks.

### **Not-for-Profit Sector**

We have a smaller number of senior representatives from the community and voluntary sector with a regional reach and an interest in older people. They offer their expertise in older people issues, service delivery, and the implementation of policy.

### **Statutory Sector**

Statutory sector representatives who are able to make a regular commitment and are involved in areas of interest to older people are associate members.

### **In addition**

We have an extensive mailing list to receive our bulletins and reports. Join us.

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*Wising up to older lives in  
east of England*



**FUTURE EAST**

meeting the challenges of an ageing society

The forum on Ageing  
in the east of England



Since 2004, Future East has strived to make life better for older people

We do this by

- Channeling consultation
- Influencing services and policies
- Communicating across boundaries
- Investigating, researching and recording
- Challenging assumptions about older people



*Future East is a unique membership body, bringing together different perspectives to improve the lives of older people in the East of England.*

#### **What we do**

We bring together older people and representatives from the statutory and voluntary sectors, and provide a gateway for influencing policy and services at local and national level.

We ensure the views of older people are systematically captured to inform Government, and that local groups have access to information to assist them in influencing locally.

We use our collective and united voice to improve the homes, communities, neighbourhoods and lives of the growing number of older people in the east of England.

#### **How we do it**

We capture views and distribute information through workshops and meetings.

We produce a bulletin to keep all sectors and older people informed about our work.

We share ideas and experiences.

Where we find opportunities, we seek funding and deliver projects which improve lives of older people.

We are independent of any party political viewpoint and do not campaign on specific issues.

