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Discussion Papers

Discussion paper: Beyond Nudge - How can behaviour change help us to do less with less? (http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/Documents/college-social-sciences/government-society/inlogov/discussion-papers/bc-chapter-solace.pdf)

In this chapter we set out our belief that behaviour change alone is helpful but will not be sufficient because it focuses too heavily on individuals and not on the system and community as a whole. There is too much reliance on service users choosing to do something different when actually the need is for the individual and the community to think differently.

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Discussion paper: A New Model for Public Services? (http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/Documents/college-social-sciences/government-society/inlogov/discussion-papers/new-model-discussion-paper-1012-2.pdf)

This discussion paper will form the first chapter of a book exploring the idea of a new model of public services to be published by INLOGOV in the autumn. Other chapters will explore co-production, behaviour change and how to build better relationships between local government and communities.

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Discussion paper: We're all in this together: User and community co-production of public outcomes (http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/Documents/college-social-sciences/government-society/inlogov/discussion-papers/inlogov-co-production-chapter.pdf)

In this chapter, we set out what co-production is, why it matters and its implications for public services, as part of the INLOGOV model. We argue that the movement towards co-production can be conceptualized as a shift from 'public services FOR the public' towards 'public services BY the public', within the framework of a public sector which continues to represent the public interest, not simply the interests of 'consumers' of public services.

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