

A better life for older people

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Jon Glasby has been appointed to an expert panel at the Joseph Rowntree Foundation to help guide its work around '[A Better Life](http://www.jrf.org.uk/work/workarea/better-life)' (<http://www.jrf.org.uk/work/workarea/better-life>) for older people

This is a £1.5 million, 5-year programme of work designed to improve quality of life for older people in the UK. To help identify key themes from the overall programme, the Rowntree Foundation has identified a small group of experts (an Expert Synthesis Panel - ESP), to help draw together overall messages and consider what these mean in the current policy and practice context. These will be published as a separate book – the final output for the programme.

Jon's involvement links to key HSMC projects such as our work around [prevention in older people's services \(/Documents/college-social-sciences/social-policy/HSMC/publications/PolicyPapers/Policy-paper-8.pdf\)](#) and [research into older people's experiences of moving across service boundaries](#) (<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/research/activity/social-policy/patient-experience/research/transitions-older-people.aspx>).