Are you interested in learning more about assistive technology and how it can help you and the person you are supporting?

This is a call to support providers supporting vulnerable adults in Gloucestershire.



As part of Gloucestershire's recently launched Digital Innovation Fund we are offering Assistive Technology Awareness Training to service providers in the Gloucestershire area. One of the biggest barriers to people using technology is knowing, firstly, what technology is available and the outcomes it can help to deliver, and secondly how to start introducing it into services. We want to start to breakdown these barriers by equipping people with a good knowledge and understanding so they can start to progress the use of technology within their services.

After the training staff will receive a certificate and will have developed an action plan identifying low tech solutions to aid the people they support. These items will then be purchased as part of the project for you to use and if successful, the service will keep them after the project has finished.

We will also follow up with service providers after the training and installation of technology to find out how they are progressing, record any outcomes and offer ongoing support and advice.

If you are interested in receiving training in assistive technology as part of this initiative please contact personalisedtechnology@hft.org.uk. You can see some of the assistive technology that we use at www.hft.org.uk/smarthouse/