



## All Age Carers Strategy Engagement

### **Key Themes:**



#### The key themes in the Carers Engagement Report focus on the importance of:

- Accessing the right care for the cared for person.
- Accessing support and knowing what's available.
- Continuity of support and recognition of the existing fragmentation of services.
- Communication between services and departments.
- Carers groups and other community networks.
- Identification and raising awareness of Carers and capturing their value.
- Involving Carers in long-term care planning.
- Mental health support for Carers and the person cared for (crosscutting theme).







# Carers Identity Passport

### Background....

- Unpaid Carers have told us they want to be identified as a Carer in healthcare setting
- A Carers Identity Passport has been co-produced with Carers and staff working across the Integrated Care System to ensure Carers of all ages including Young Carers and Parent Carers in Norfolk & Waveney are recognised.
- The Carers Identity Passport is for identification only and is aimed to be a conversation starter between healthcare staff, Carers and the people they are caring for.

Recognition of Carer's role and knowledge about the person they care for

Involvement in the decisions about care of the person they care for

Raising Awareness

#### **Identification**

Able to access both digitally and physically

**Key Findings** 

Continuity across all health and community care settings

Easily recognisable and visible card and lanyard

Links to support

# What does the Carers Identity Passport look like?





Available as a card and lanyard and/or a digital image on a phone





# How to request a Carers Identity Passport

- Carers Voice are the issuing organisation
- Carers can request a Carers Identity Passport by visiting <u>carersvoice.org/carers-identity-passport</u> or scanning the QR code



 Telephone number to call if you need support completing the online form





#### Promotional Items

#### **Carers Identity Passport Leaflet**



#### **Carers Identity** Passport Leaflet -**Easy Print**

#### Carers Identity Passport

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This Carers Identity Passport is currently recognised within; the Acute Hospitals, Community Trusts and Norfolk & Suffolk Foundation Trust, Visit carersvoice.org/passport-info for current information about where the Carers Identity Passport is recognised and a list of FAQs.



Scan the QR code for more information about the support available for Carers in Norfolk and Waveney, or visit: improvinglivesnw.org.uk/carers

Please contact carersidentitypassport@carersvoice.org or call 07932095312 if you have any questions.







#### **Carers Identity** Passport - Large Print

#### Large Print Format

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#### **Carers Identity Passport Poster**

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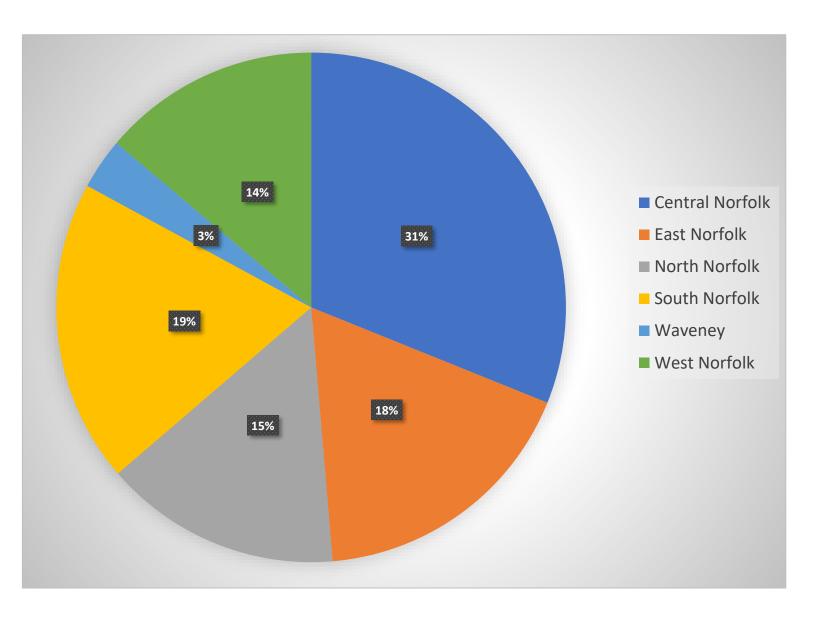




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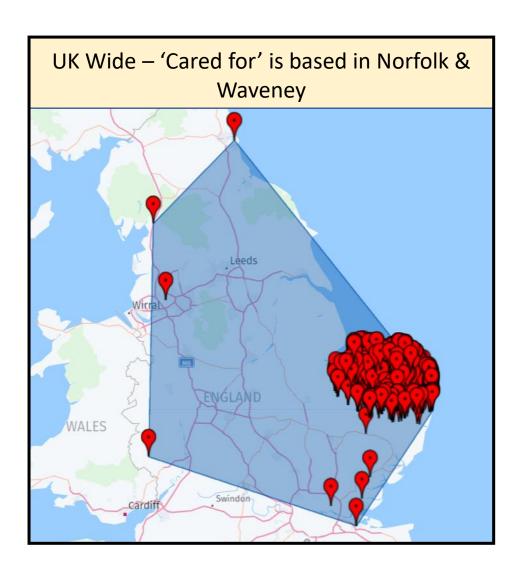
Carers Identity Passports issued since the Carers Identity Passport was launched on Carers Rights Day in November 2022.

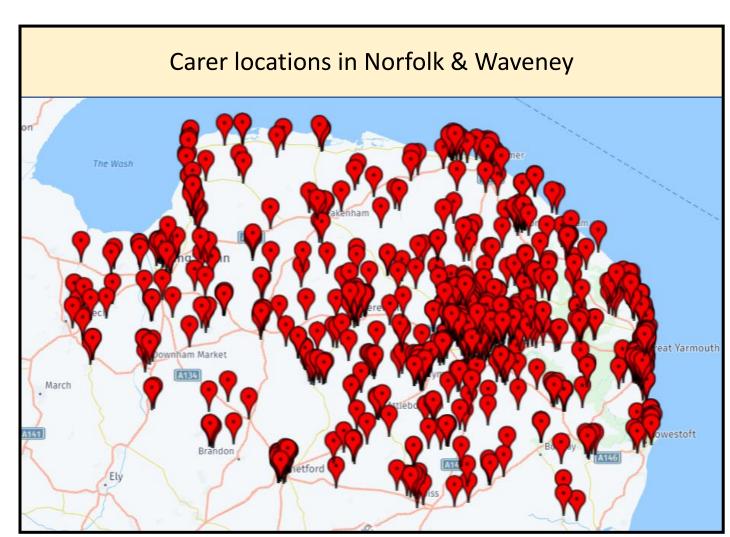
#### Geographical Location of Carers Identity Passport Applicants (Data)



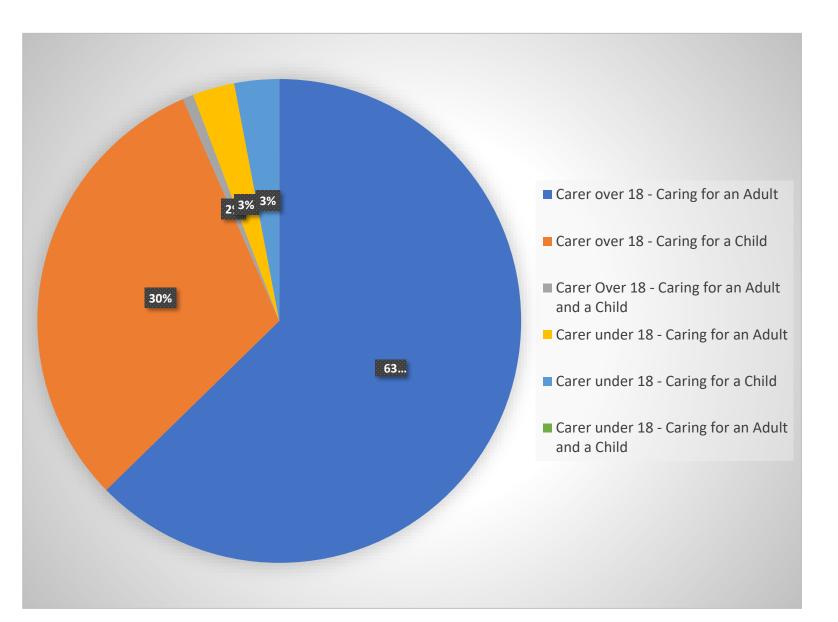
Area	Count
Central Norfolk	458
East Norfolk	284
North Norfolk	230
South Norfolk	287
Waveney	65
West Norfolk	198

#### Geographical Location of Carers Identity Passport Applicants (Map)





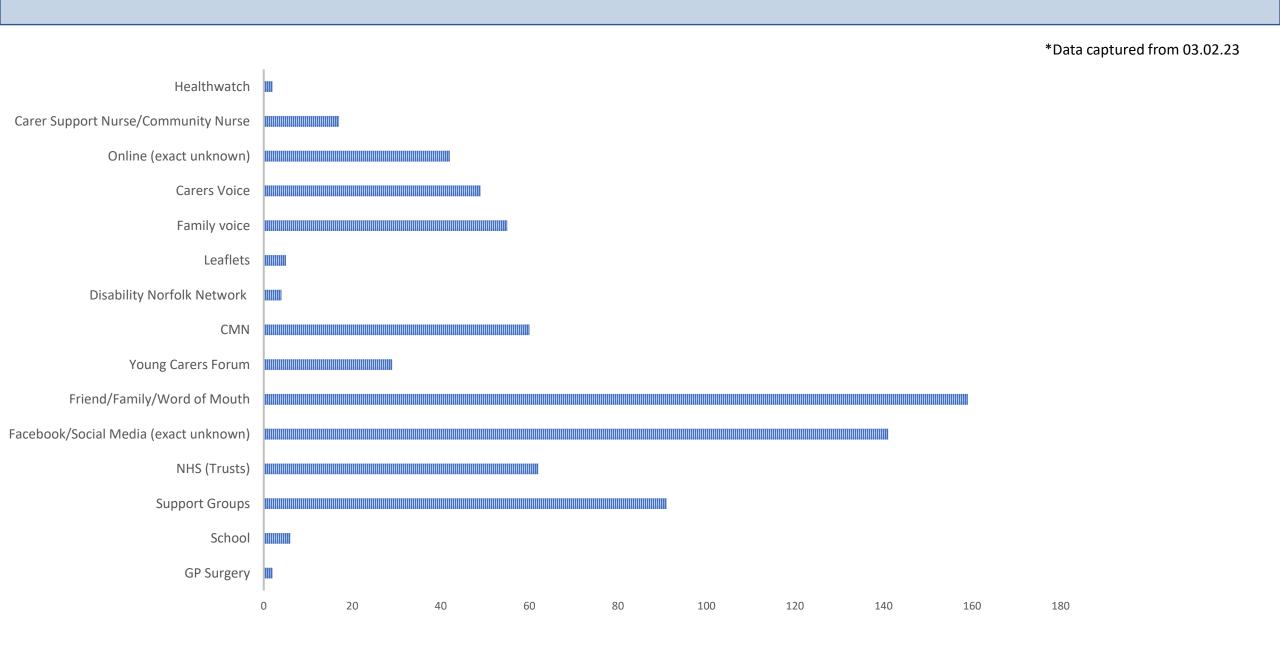
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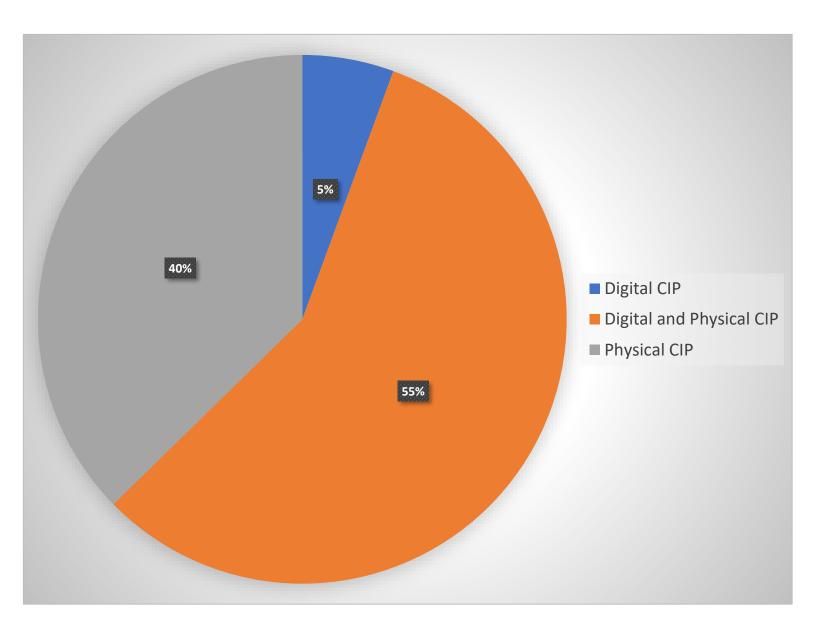
Carer	Count
Carer over 18 - Caring for an Adult	1018
Carer over 18 - Caring for a Child	476
Carer over 18 - Caring for an Adult and a Child*	32
Carer under 18 - Caring for an Adult	40
Carer under 18 - Caring for a Child	41
Carer under 18 - Caring for an Adult and a Child*	0

<sup>\*</sup> Data only captured since 29.03.2023

#### How Carers Heard About The CIP\*



#### Type of Carers Identity Passport



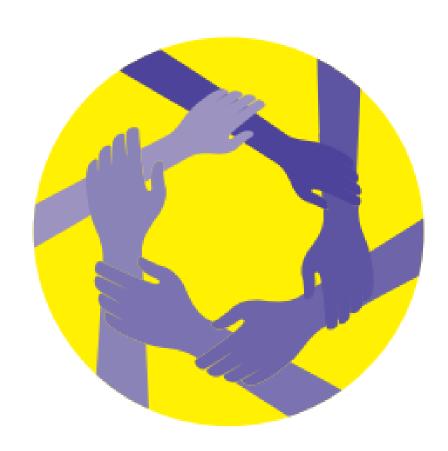
Type of CIP	Count
Digital CIP	74
Digital and Physical CIP	848
Physical CIP	624







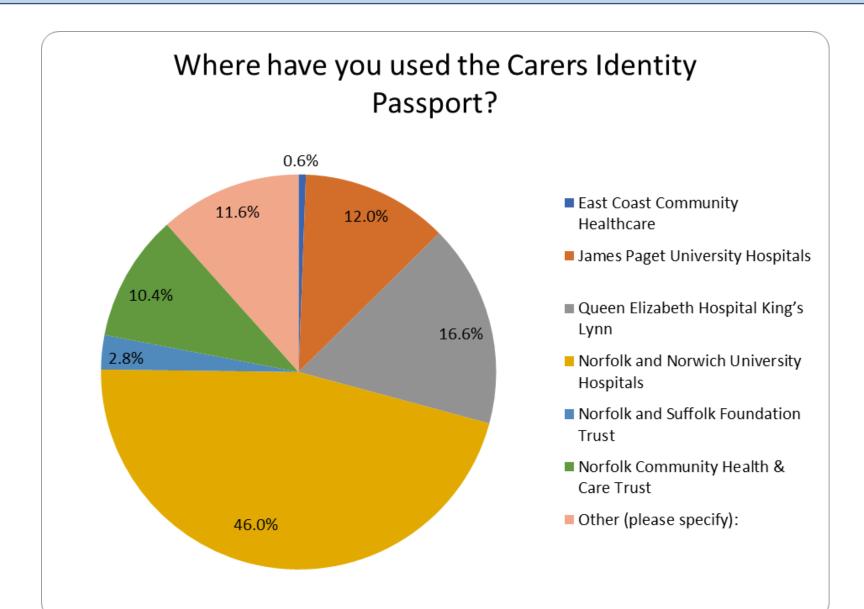




## Survey data

287 completed the survey

#### Where Have Carers Used The Carers Identity Passport?



Carers have also told us they have found it useful to use the Cares Identity Passport in the following locations:

#### **GP Surgeries**

As a Parent Carer with their young people

Other healthcare facilities/settings

Acute Healthcare outside of Norfolk

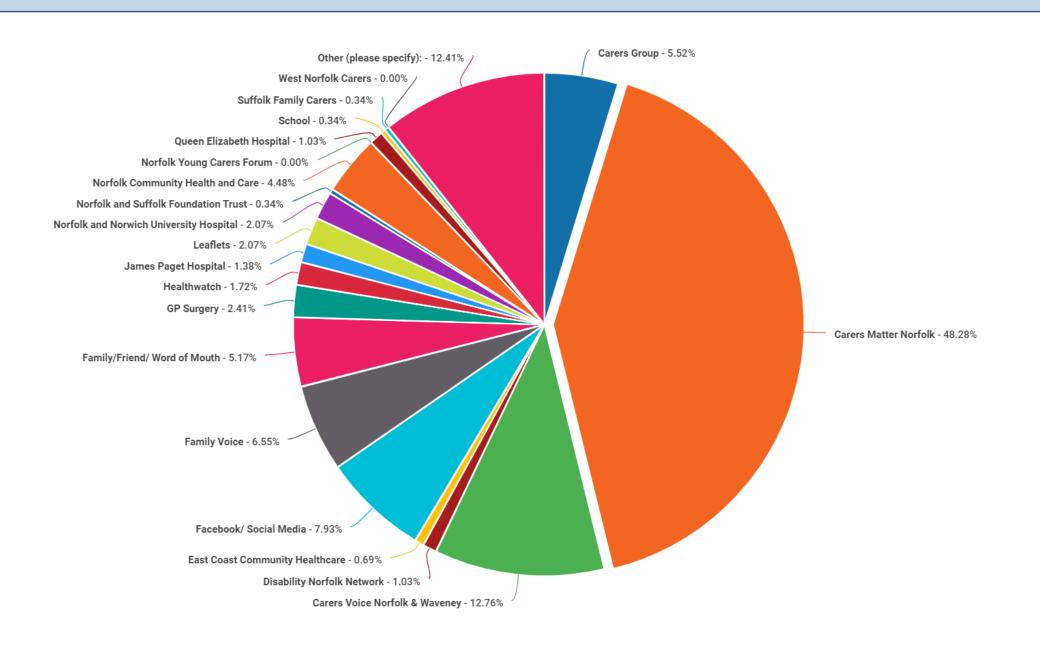
Public Transport

**Shopping** 

Tourism based locations

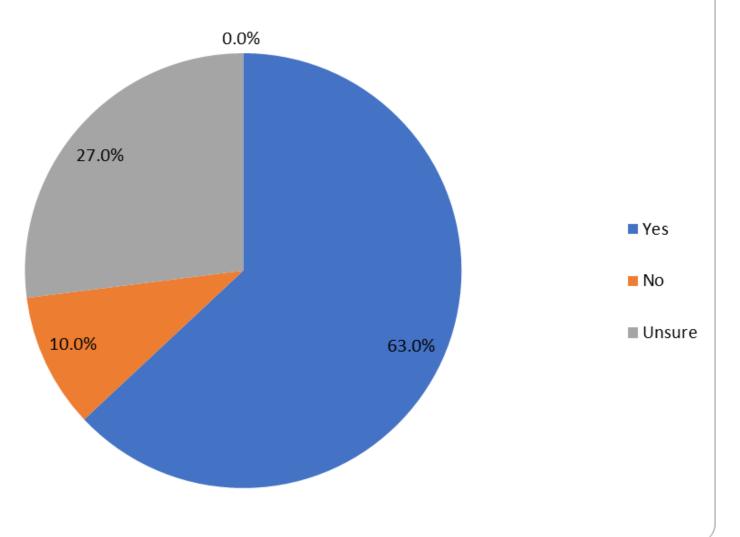
Leisure Facilities

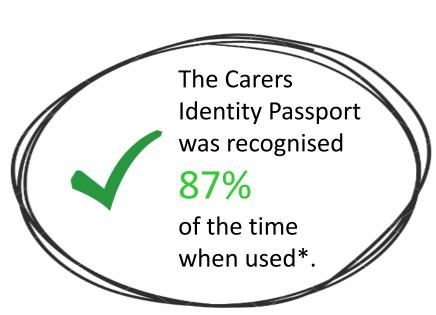
#### How Do Carers Find Out About The CIP?



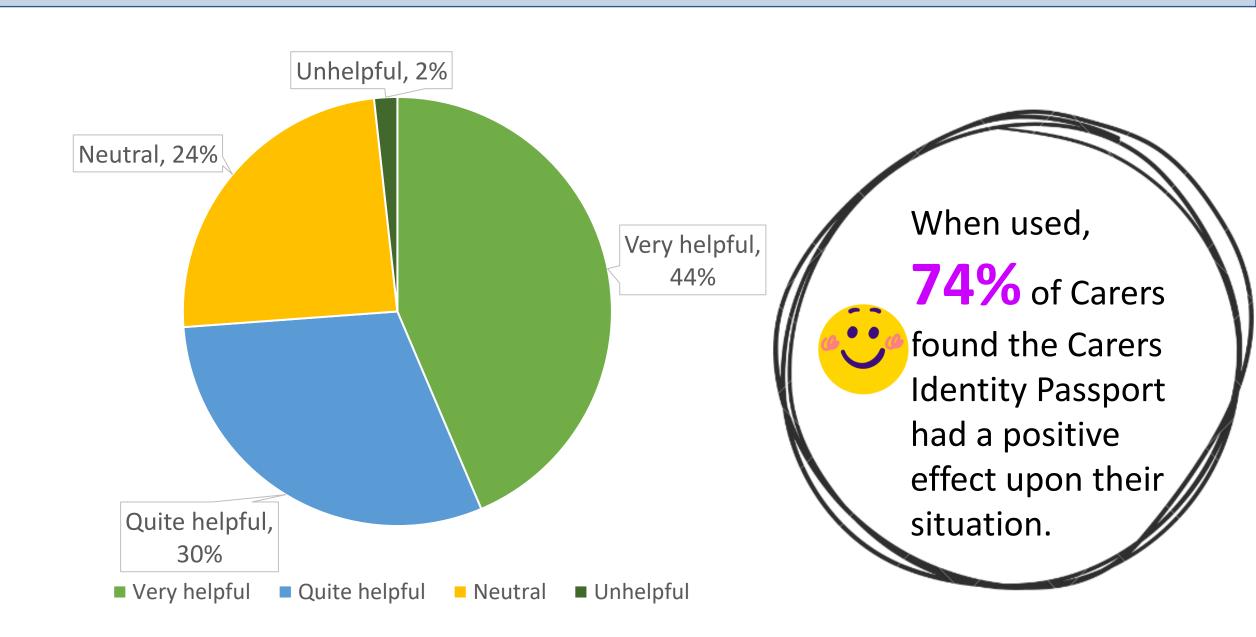
#### Was the CIP recognised when used?







#### How helpful was the Carers Identity Passport when used?



How could the experience of using the Carers Identity Passport be improved?

Doesn't need More improvement Publicity **Recognised within Leisure Industry** LINK UP WITH Staff Education **GP RECORDS** Community Recognised outside Awareness of Norfolk

#### Where would you like to use the Carers Identity Passport in future?

# Adult Social Service Across all NHS services GPs Everywhere DWP

Across the country Airports

Schools Leisure Facilitates
Community

**Job Centre** 

Supermarkets

**Transport**Council Offices

Carers said they would like to use the CIP wherever they go with their 'cared for'.

The Carers Identity Passport is currently recognised (within Norfolk & Waveney) in the Acute Hospitals, Community Healthcare Trusts and Norfolk and Suffolk Foundation Trust. It has been recently promoted to:

- GPs
- Social Prescribers

And plans to promote with:

- Pharmacists
- Occupational Therapists
- Dentists
- Optometrists



We would like to say thank you to all the Carers that have applied to have a Carers Identity Passport and to those that completed the feedback survey.

Carers have told us the Carers Identity
Passport enables them to feel empowered,
respected and valued as a Carer.

So far, the project has been an overwhelming success with nearly 1900 passports issued within just under 11 months!!

We will keep you all informed of future developments and updated with where the Cares Identity Passport is recognised.