**Bradford Buddy Scheme Referral Form**

Bradford Buddiesis a scheme either to pair buddies with older people (Aged 50+) who share the the same interests and hobbies or who loves the same kind of activities and events so that they can do these together **or** enables older people to develop their own friendship or activity groups based around shared interests, skills and hobbies

It is about developing friendships, networks of support and new social circles and informal support networks so older people can either rebuild the connections that are important to them – or develop new ones. This is not a traditional befriending service, where someone telephones or visits the individual at home.

Please note, that there is a waiting list for the scheme and we are looking to develop friendship groups for people on the waiting list in the interim.

**Are you applying for yourself or referring someone else?**

☐ I’m applying for myself.

☐ I’m a family member or friend referring someone I know. I have discussed filling this form in with the person and I have their consent.

☐ I’m making a professional referral. I have discussed filling in the form with the person and I have their consent.

**Are you interested in;**

☐ 1:1 Buddy

☐ Groups

**About the person being referred:**

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| Title |   |
|  Name |   |
| Telephone number |   |
| Date of birth (50+) |   |
| Address |  |

**In most cases the scheme is unable to provide transport - are you able to make your own arrangements to travel and meet people out in the community?**

 Yes / No (If No, please provide details below)

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**Referrer contact details, if applicable:**

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| Name |   |
| Relationship to person being referred |   |
| Telephone number |   |
| Email |   |

*Reason/Background for referral:*

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***Thank you for completing this referral form. Completed forms to be sent to info@ageukbd.org.uk***