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PARTNERSHIP HAS INFORMATION AT TOUCH OF A BUTTON

Information is now available at the touch of a button thanks to an innovative new development by Oldham Partnership.

For the Partnership has developed its own OldhamInfo website which holds information from a range of partners from across the Borough.

The OldhamInfo website has been developed using Neighbourhood Renewal Funding and is maintained by the Oldham Partnership Support Team.

The website has been designed to make information about local services, research and statistics more easily accessible. It is based on a flexible mapping tool, which lets users highlight specific geographical areas around Oldham.

The site is regularly updated and among the information contained on the website are statistics data covering a broad range of social indicators, information about facilities and services, and a policy and research archive.

As well as helping partners gain easy access to information OldhamInfo will also help users get a better understanding of the characteristics of local areas and be able to target new initiatives to specific needs.

Partners will also be able to look at links between need and current service provision as well as assess the impact of particular initiatives and make better use of existing research resources.

Gail Richards, Chair of the Oldham Partnership, said: "The OldhamInfo website shows not just that the Oldham Partnership places great importance on the use of thorough research as the basis for regeneration planning, but also illustrates what can be achieved through partnership working."

The OldhamInfo website can be found at www.oldhaminfo.org.

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Editors Notes

The Oldham Partnership is the Local Strategic Partnership for the borough of Oldham, and it brings together the public, private, voluntary, community and faith sectors. The Oldham Partnership works to significantly improve many areas of Oldham life, including the environment, community cohesion, learning, housing, health and social care, the economy and community safety amongst others.

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