



Health inequalities research in early life and adolescence: a public health partnership approach

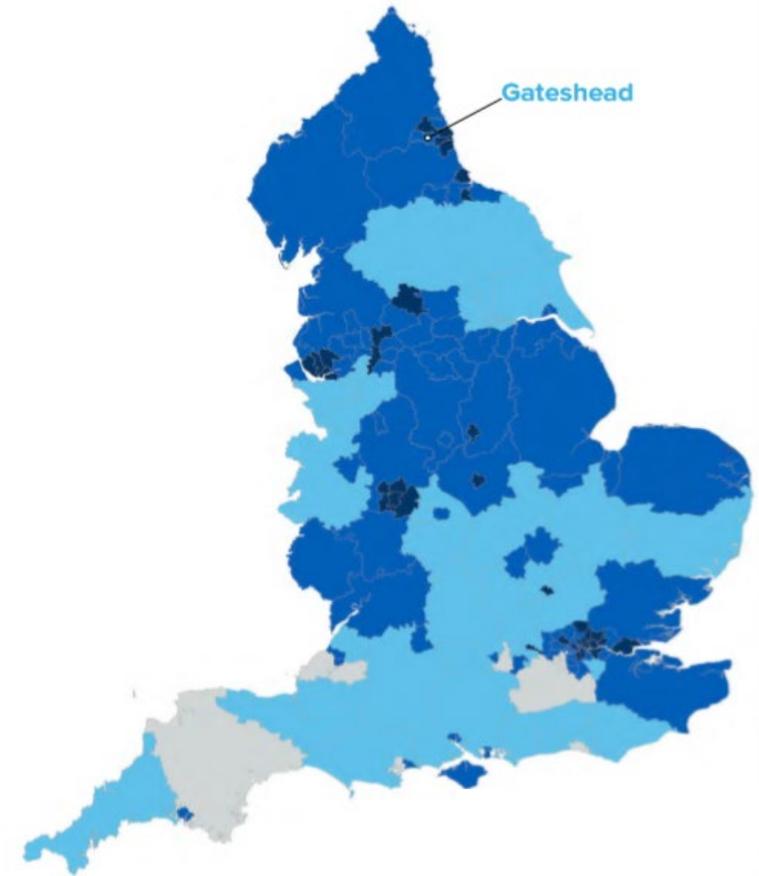
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An exploration of food insecurity and its nutritional impact amongst women and children using an embedded researcher approach

Embedded researcher approach

- Facilitate co-production of research that is sensitive to the local context
- In line with priorities of Gateshead
- Ultimately help make improvements for the people of Gateshead



Gateshead's Priorities

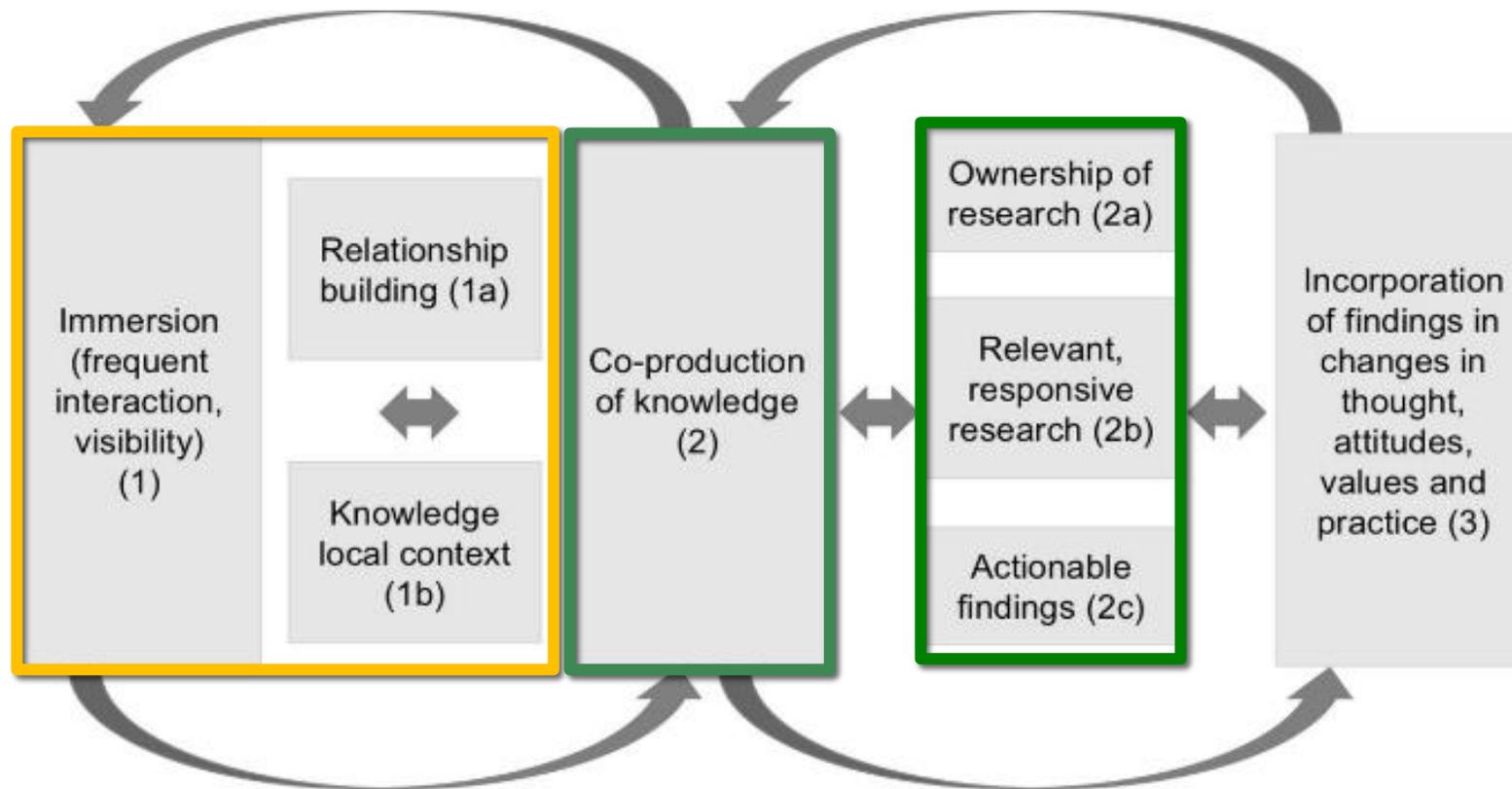
We want Gateshead to be a place where everyone thrives

As a council our priority is to:

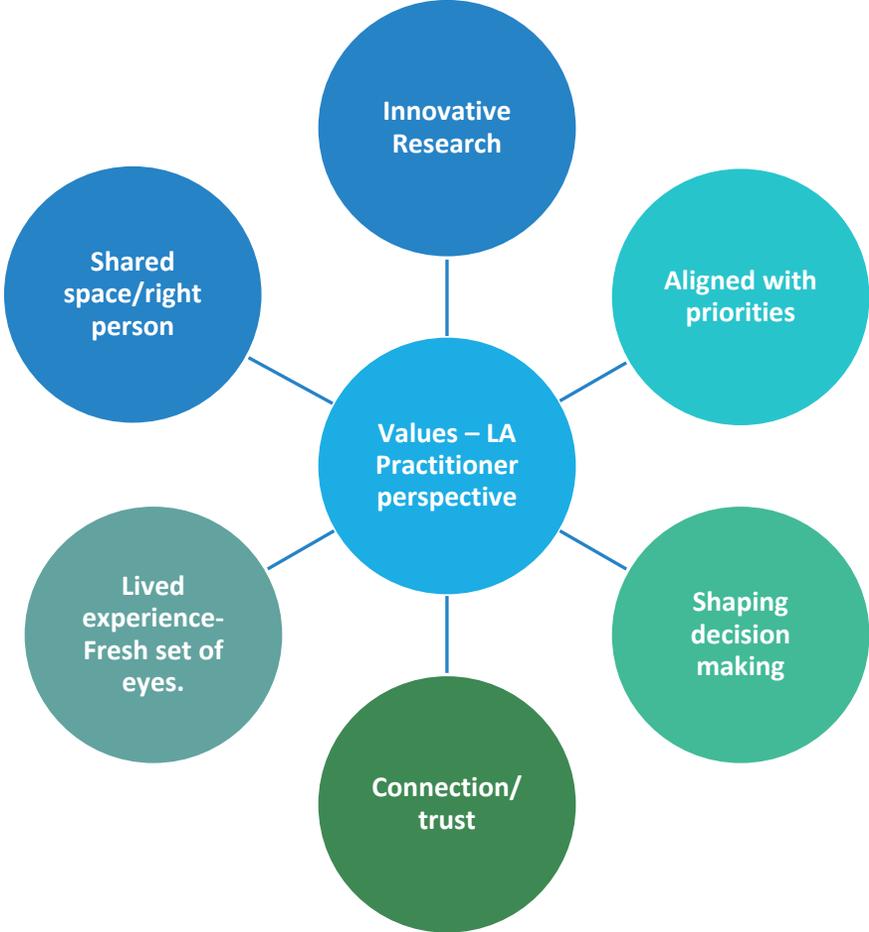
- • Put people and families at the heart of everything we do
- • Tackle inequality so people have a fair chance
 - Support our communities to support themselves and each other
 - Invest in our economy to provide sustainable opportunities for employment, innovation and growth across the borough
- Work together and fight for a better future for Gateshead



Embedded Researcher model



Values from a Local Authority Perspective



Values from a PhD Students Perspective



Moving forward



Summary

- The research will provide the opportunity to hear from communities whose voices are not often heard in public health research
- Provides the potential for using new participatory methods to reveal perspectives which would not be available through local data sets
- Provides an opportunity to engage professionals from all parts of the Council
- Gives rise to shared learning that can be translated into public health work and ultimately help the people of Gateshead
- Provides potential for further collaborations between the University and Council



Thank you

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