

# Benefits & Debt Advice Project

East Sussex Better Together

6 months Apr - Sep 2017



£3,583,020 annualised benefit income realised for residents



4,807 people received benefits advice



78% of clients surveyed reported improved mental wellbeing



313 people received expert, one to one debt advice

*"Helping people to help themselves, contributing to economic growth"*



**1,157** older people received benefits and debt advice



**634** people at risk from homelessness received benefits advice



**901** families with children received benefits advice



**3,675** people with long term health conditions received benefits and debt advice



**63** benefits advice outreach sessions were delivered from health and wellbeing locations



**462** referrals were from health and social care professionals or at outreach sessions

£1

For every £1 invested in our Expert Services,  
we generate £22 in financial gains for our clients

£22