

Rural Services Network

Rural Services Community

Q: What do you get for your membership?

A: Your very own dedicated Rural Office

Our mission is to provide a voice for rural service providers and rural communities

Exchange useful and relevant information

WE PROVIDE:

Places at 3 seminars which focus on rural issues and help practitioners and community representatives overcome the challenges they face delivering services or living in rural areas

A comprehensive website providing a range of news, research and information for rural areas

Monthly Opportunities e-Bulletin setting out funding opportunities and rural consultations

The Annual State of Public Services Report

We will build on expertise of Rural England panel to provide key research into issues and challenges affecting rural communities.

Neighbourhood Planning evidence base

A Rural Observatory providing a range of statistics and analysis

A Quarterly Economic Barometer showing how well rural areas are performing

An Annual Rural Vulnerability Index for rural areas

Develop and share best practice

WE PROVIDE:

Case studies on areas of best practice in service delivery in rural communities

A twitter account promoting links to key stories

Digest – a weekly e-newsletter of rural news stories and research

Rural Vulnerability Service- roundup of information on Broadband, Rural Transport and Fuel Poverty