## **Appendix 2: Following a What Matters Conversation - Support Budget Process Map - Macro**

Lead Practitioner determines if the individual eligible for a managed care and support plan and agrees the well-being outcomes required

Lead Practitioner ascertains how much responsibility choice and control the individual wants over their care and support planning and delivery?

Minimum – Identify and explain the Local Authority managed processes Considerable involvement but support required for some or all of the processes – identify and explain the  $3^{\rm rd}$  party managed processes and provide information about  $3^{\rm rd}$  party support brokers

Total control but may need some specialist advice regarding e.g. payroll – Identify and describe self-managed budget processes

Lead Practitioner and Individual agree the type of budget and Lead Practitioner explains roles and responsibilities in more detail.

Lead Practitioner applies the Resource Allocation System and acquires authorisation of the indicative budget

Lead Practitioner informs the service user what the annual amount to support them is likely to be (the indicative budget) and

Financial assessment undertaken and individual informed of their contribution

Lead Practitioner co-produces the Care and Support Plan with the individual

3<sup>rd</sup> Party options discussed with individual and agreement between the LA and the 3<sup>rd</sup> party support broker formalised

**Individual designs the Care and** 

3<sup>rd</sup> Party support broker co-produces the Care and Support Plan with the individual or carer

Lead Practitioner submits Care and Support Plan for final approval – Are the planned activities legal? Will they come within indicative budget? Will they meet the individuals' agreed outcomes?

Information for performance measures recorded

Care brokers make arrangements with care and support provider in the specific geographical patch.

Provider Contract

3<sup>rd</sup> party support broker makes arrangements for care and support on behalf of the individual

**Brokerage Contract** 

Citizen Contract issued.

Individual utilises the budget as per Care and Support Plan

Managed Care and Support plan delivered

**Budget regularly monitored** 

Reviewing Officers undertake review of managed care and support plan

Eligibility re-confirmed (resource wheel applied)

**Lead Practitioner undertakes** review of care and support plan

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If needs/risks/outcomes have changed, or concerns have been raised, reassessment required

Eligibility re-confirmed (resource wheel applied)

If level of choice and control required has changed or the RAS has changed, process begins again