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The Coventry Partnership

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'Raising aspirations, narrowing the gap'

Coventry Partnership

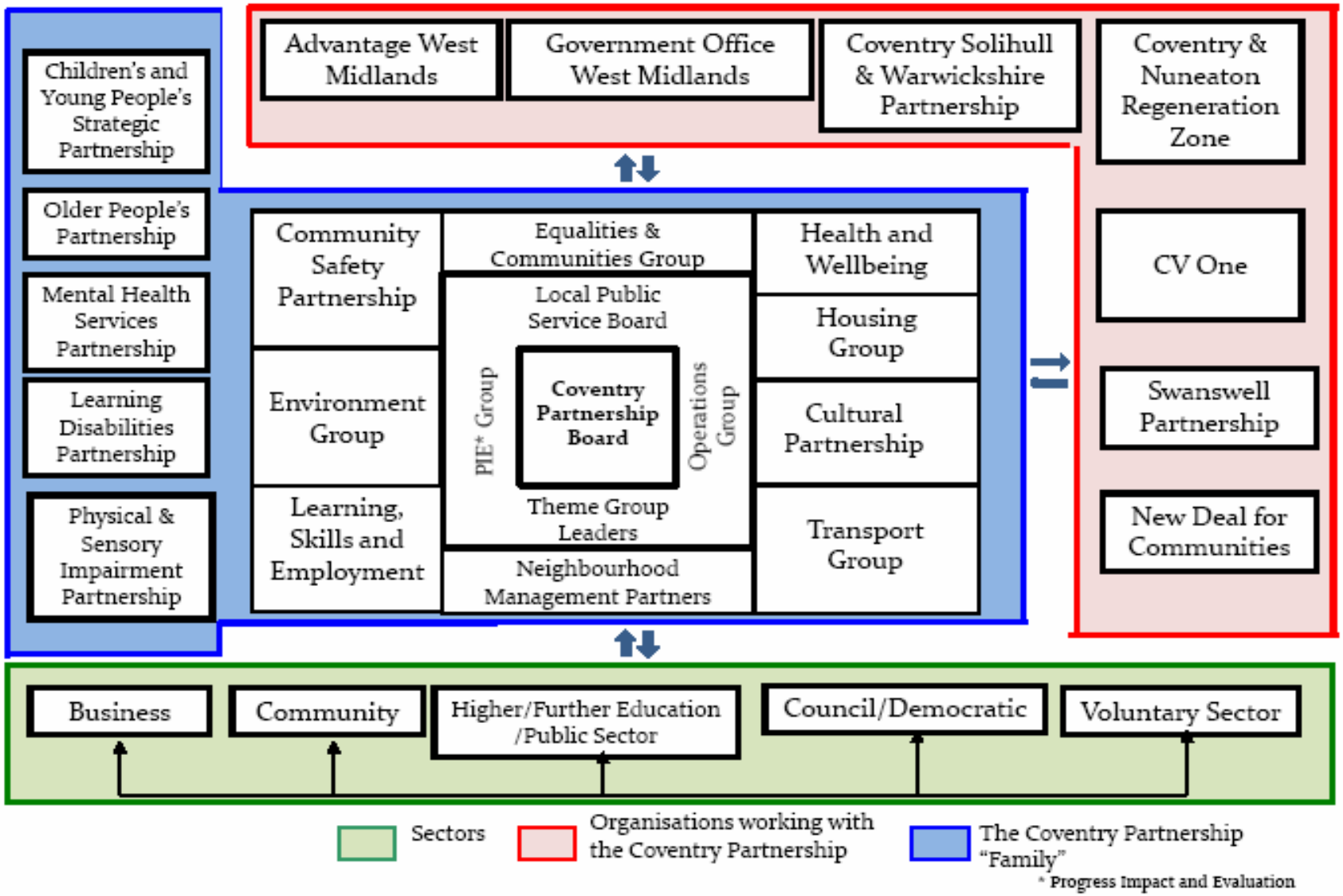
Structure

- About Coventry
- The Coventry Partnership
- Where we are
- Pooling and aligning budgets
- Where next

The Coventry Partnership

- Evolved in 2002
- Strong History of Partnership Working in City
- Small City Dimensions
- Co-terminus boundaries with PCT and Police
- Governance – currently being reviewed
- LAA – refreshed and focused on key challenges

The Coventry Partnership – how it works



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LOCAL ENTERPRISE GROWTH INITIATIVE

Coventry Partnership

Building an enterprising city

Where we are:

- Successes
- Challenges
- Priorities
- Unique Characteristics of Coventry

Pooling and Aligning Budgets

- Aligned LAA Spend £180m (2008-09)
- Current pooled resource less than £3m (2008-09)

Where Next?

- The Big Numbers
- At Risk Pot
- Collapsing/blurring of Public Sector Boundaries
- Changing Central Government mindset
- Total Place Pilot
- Downturn = great opportunity to re-define partnerships
- The Sub-Region (Coventry, Solihull