

What one change or new idea would you like to see implemented in Leeds, to make our city healthier, safer, equal or more fulfilling for women and girls?

**Leeds Women's Aid team meeting
#womenfriendlyleeds**

Specific well-lit and CCTV'd path in parks, especially for single women dog walkers

Profile a day so men can see what it feels like for women and use it as a talking point. Women only times in parks. Women only runs or cycles

Improved police first response to domestic abuse in an emergency., Improve the way police treat women when they are reporting

Every tier of education has structured sessions about gender inequality

Better education in schools from an early age so positive messages about women are taught from early on, so boys don't grow up feeling superior and girls feeling inferior, and families are supported to not follow stereotypes.

Speak to young children about respect and healthy relationships, and equality, especially young boys

Better lighting in parks. Not having male cleaners in women's loos

Men's curfew as a 1-day event, to shine a spotlight on what it like for women, as a campaign tool

Transport -A scheme for free women only ½ hourly minibus on popular routes

As a non-driver, it's about safer public transport, better connections, not having to be left at bus stops for a long time

Free gym and swimming classes for all women at council gyms and sports centres. Women only classes to improve health and wellbeing

Groups opening up again for women, places to go where women can get face to face support.

Education that starts from the top, and an understanding of violence against women and girls, in schools, religious centres etc. Safety sticker seen in shops. You can go and it will be a safe place to go and report something. But everyone needs to buy in for them to work.

CJS and courts having more awareness. Cases are not getting to court and when they do, women are treated in a way that makes out they are the perpetrator. Needs to be re-education, and stronger belief in women and less victim blaming.

Women only taxis

Women Friendly venues scheme with a toolkit to follow and stickers in windows to make it visible

Free travel for all women, particularly female students

I don't like being in the city centre on my own and some areas are still badly lit. Not feeling safe waiting for a bus when you have to wait for half an hour

