Academic Libraries NORTH Mental Health and Well-being Advocacy Resource: Template	
Name of the initiative <i>Give a brief descriptive name for the activity or initiative you</i> <i>were involved in organising related to mental health and</i> <i>well-being</i>	Wellbeing sessions in the University Library Garden Room. In January 2020 we ran a number of meditation and "Hypnosis for Inner Calm and Positivity"
	sessions in the Garden Room. We did it at this time of year to coincide with exam time.
Target group Was it aimed at all students or staff or a particular group?	Students
Description <i>Give a short description of what was involved in organizing</i> <i>the activity or initiative.</i>	We contacted the University Counselling Service and Wellbeing Team to find out if they could deliver events in the Garden Room.
Partners Was this solely run by the library or were other stakeholders involved, and if so how? Were students involved in planning the session, if so, how?	The sessions were run by the University Counselling Service and facilitated by the Library in the Garden Room
Strategy How, if at all, was the activity linked into wider library or institutional strategy?	The sessions were linked to the University Mental Health Strategy
Evaluation How, if at all, was the activity evaluated?	
What worked	
Colleagues are looking for tips to help them run their events more effectively, what tips would you share to someone wanting to repeat what you have done?	
If applicable, please include how many people attended (if an event) or engaged (e.g. website clicks) or another appropriate measure for your initiative. Did this match expected engagement?	
What did not work What you would change if you were doing it again? Sharing what did not work can be as useful to help others as what did work.	
Photo <i>Are there any photos you can share that give us a feel for the</i> <i>initiative</i> ?	
Resources Is there a URL related to the initiative?	

Your name, institution and contact details.

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Are you willing to share your contact details to other ALN staff so if they want to find out more they can contact you directly? Yes