Wokingham's Learning Disability Strategy

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What is a Strategy?

A strategy is a document that sets out a plan.

The council is writing a Learning
 Disability Strategy for Wokingham borough residents.

 It will say how people with learning disabilities will be supported to live positive lives.

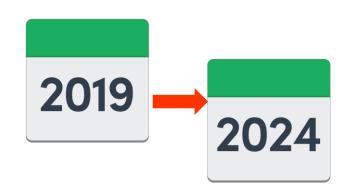






What will the Strategy do?

✓ Tell everyone about our plans to support residents with a learning disability over the next 5 years.



- ✓ Say how we will do this.
- ✓ Say where we will spend the money.
- ✓ Describe how many people with a learning disability need support now and in the future.





What we already know

More adults with learning disabilities (who need support) live here compared to other parts of the country.

This number has been increasing and will go up over the next 5yrs.

We spend more money supporting people with learning disabilities than other councils.



We are good at supporting people with learning disabilities to get and keep a job.



We need to do more to help people with learning disabilities to live in their own home.



What we will do

- Look at the services we currently pay for and see if they can be made better.
- Think how we can make the most of the funding pot so there's enough support for those who need it.
- Listen to, and work with people with learning disabilities and carers to think about proposals for the strategy.
- Work together with Housing, the NHS, Children's Services and other partners to deliver the right services for the learning disability community.









What we've already been told



Help to be independent

To choose where I live & who with

Easily accessible

services

Support to speak up for myself

Help local business to understand the needs of people with learning disabilities

Listened to

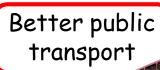


Support for carers

My choice



Better public transport





Want someone who's there for me



Better

signposting

Better activities



Tell us what you want

What's important to you

What's difficult to do

What helps

What can be done better

What would be good to have







Want to talk strategy?

Tell Mat Pelling what you think!



Online Survey:

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