

The Learning Disability Alliance Scotland Health Survey 2015



We want to know what you and your family experience in health care in Scotland. We want to know what it is like to get help from the local GP practice, when you go into hospital or when you use the new NHS 24 service?



- Are they good?
- Do you get the right help?
- How could they be better?



There is a lot of work going on to find out more about how healthy people with learning disabilities are in Scotland. They will ask you about your height and weight and use other information to find out how healthy or how ill you are. We don't want to ask you the same thing.



Instead we want you to tell us about how the health service has helped you and how it can get better. We want you to tell us stories about the good things and the bad things that have happened to you. That way we can make sure things keep on getting better in the health service.



Please take some time to fill in this survey for us. We will look at what everyone says. Families or paid carers can complete the survey on behalf of people with learning disabilities in their family or who they work with.



We will also be asking some people to come to meetings in their local areas to talk about their experiences and if you would like to come to one of these then please let us know.



If you would like to speak to just one person about what has happened to you, then let us know and we'll phone you up to talk.



This is an important survey. It will help with work the Scottish Government is doing on health funding priorities for the 10 years. We want people with learning disabilities to get their fair share. Please help us make the difference to this debate.

How to Help



Please complete the survey as soon as you can. You can write as much as you want. Send it back in the envelope we included. It doesn't need a stamp. You can do the survey at www.tinyurl.com/LDASsurvey . If you didn't get a special envelope you can send it to **LDAS, 5 Rose Street, Edinburgh, EH2 2PR** but you will need to put a stamp on the envelope.