

Friday 2nd December 2016 10-3pm Central Glasgow

Accessible housing in the right place is the cornerstone of independent living for disabled people in Scotland but is it a reality for most?

Disabled people in Scotland have a human right to housing that meets their needs, yet all too often we hear that finding the right house for a disabled person can be very difficult, and at times impossible.

If you have personal experience of the highs and lows of getting the right house as a disabled person we want to hear from you.

This year's Summit also sees the launch of the Scottish Government's Action Plan on Disability by Jeane Freeman MSP, Minister for Social Security which sets out the actions that the Government intend to take over the next few years to progress disabled people's human rights.

To make these rights a reality we need your voice and experience of housing - your housing journeys, the services you used, your choice of where to live and whether to rent or buy, the design of your house or whether you adapted it.

The evidence we collect about disabled people's housing experiences will be submitted to the Ministerial Advisory Group on Disability so we'll be getting your views and experiences to the top table.

Register now!

To book your place at the Summit 16 go to:

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/disabled-peoples-annual-summit-2016-our-place-our-space-housing-registration-28921129878

If you need to book in person or would like information in an accessible format please contact Jennifer Young at the Independent Living in Scotland project at admin@ilis.co.uk or 0141 559 5013

We can assist with reasonable costs of travel for disabled people attending the Summit. Please retain all receipts on the day. Please let us have an estimate of the costs of travel to help us plan for this, though it is not essential.

Q4. We may be able to assist with reasonable costs of accommodation for disabled people, if necessary. Please give us details and we will get back in touch with you to discuss.