



Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Learning Disability Partnership Board Meeting Notes



**Thursday 6th June 2024,
10.30am – 1pm.**



Hybrid Meeting on Zoom.
Room 1,
City College Peterborough,
Brook Street,
Peterborough, PE1 1TU.



Useful Acronyms

- **ASCF** – Adult Social Care Forum
- **CCC** – Cambridge City Council
- **CQC** – Care Quality Commission
- **DSC** – Disability Social Care
- **ICB** – Integrated Care Board
- **ICS** – Integrated Care System
- **LDSHPB** – Learning Disability Sub Health Partnership Board.
- **LDP** – Learning Disability Partnership
- **NWAFT** – North West Anglia Foundation Trust
(Hinchingbrooke, Peterborough & Stamford Hospitals)
- **PCC** – Peterborough County Council
- **SOC** – Speak Out Council

1) Welcome and Introductions



- 1) Everyone was welcomed
- 2) They introduced themselves
- 3) Graham said that some people had sent their apologies, and he told us who they are.



Welcome





2) People with Learning Disabilities and/or Autism and Carers Feedback

What we have to say... Attended Peterborough Carers Meeting

- Saving money online meeting?
- Not talking to carers in person?
- Bridget – Online platform

ACTION: to stress the importance of in-person or telephone contact



2) People with Learning Disabilities and/or Autism and Carers Feedback

What we have to say... Confusing Letter

- Letter about jury service, feedback not clear could get out of it.
- Nerve racking.
- ...

ACTION: Contact the Ministry of Justice to tell them about the experience



2) People with Learning Disabilities and/or Autism and Carers Feedback

What we have to say... **Joint Health Letter**

- Little info about whats actually happening (separation of Cambridgeshire County Council and Learning Disability Partnership) What it actually means for people
- Not in Easy Read format for people it concerns

ACTION:



2) People with Learning Disabilities and/or Autism and Carers Feedback

Will need to listen again

What we have to say... PIP Letter

- Letter jargon to explain not giving PIP
- ...
- ...

ACTION: Share with Healthwatch Signposting and Info Team.

Speak Out Council Report Learning Disability Partnership Board

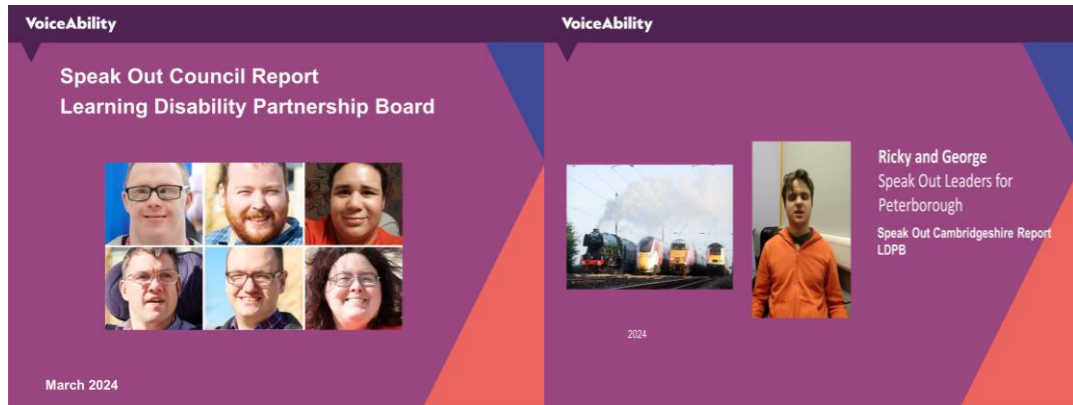


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Ricky and George Speak Out Leaders for Peterborough Speak Out Cambridgeshire Report LDPB

3) Speak Out Council Reports LDPB Comments, Questions and Answers



Listen again

- Speak Out Peterborough what is it like to have LDPB booklet, need to reduce so more easy read?



- ACTION – GL to circulate presentations.

4) Priorities for 2024/ 2025 – Graham Lewis

Loneliness

- After Covid people were worried about going back to services.
- People were also worried about how being alone was affecting their mental health.
- We talked with commissioners about this.
- Kept meetings Face to Face and shared info about keeping safe.
- Encouraged organisations to offer a mix of in-person and online activities - so people can participate in the way that works for them.



4) Priorities for 2024/ 2025 – Graham Lewis

Health Subgroup

Healthwatch restarted the Health subgroup. It meets quarterly and is online



Has looked at:

- Autism health checks - a pilot project (a trial) in a different part of the country is currently looking into this.
- Concerns about hospital appointments being cancelled at short notice.

These two points have been raised with the Adults and Health Committee of Cambridgeshire County Council

- Information not being in an accessible format
- Annual health checks not being done, or done over the phone, actions not being followed up.



4) Priorities for 2024/ 2025 – Graham Lewis

Cost of living Crisis

Adopted as an Adult Social Care Forum priority.

Information about different schemes, support initiatives, benefit reviews, and hubs circulated.

Peterborough City and Cambridgeshire County have carried out different initiatives to meet their community needs.





4) Priorities for 2024/ 2025 – Graham Lewis

The Partnership Board said priorities are:

- Annual Health Checks
- Public Transport
- Cambridgeshire's Learning Disability Partnership Review

5) Health Sub Group – Graham Lewis

- Last meeting 2nd May cancelled.



6) Healthwatch Health & Care Forums – Rebecca Spalding-Green



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Fenland and East Cambs – April 2024.

- ✓ Queen Elizabeth Hospital Update and Healthy Spaces – Joint strategic Needs Assessment.



Next Meeting – Thurs 13th June 2024, 10-12, venue TBC.

For more info visit: [Events | Healthwatch Cambridgeshire](#)



Huntingdonshire – May 2024

- ✓ Palliative Care at North West Anglia Foundation Trust and Respect Forms.



Next Meeting – Tues 2nd July 2024, 2-4pm, Great Stukeley Village Hall, PE28 4AQ.

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7) Oliver McGowan Training – Alison Mayern



Alison Mayern talked about Oliver McGowan training.

Comments

- Training good – but 3 days in a row is a lot.
- Emotionally draining

7) Oliver McGowan Training (Continued)

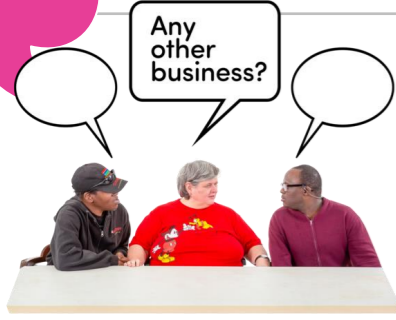


- Are people with Learning Disability and Autism eligible?
- Marthas Rule – insist on second consultation.
- Not in training yet, but training is evolving.

7) Thursday 7th March Meeting Notes and Action Log Updates

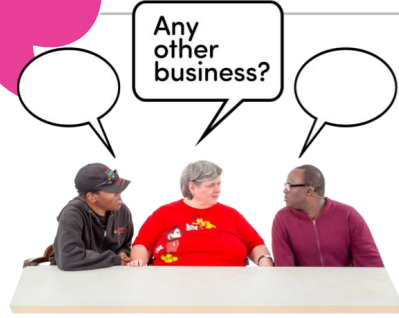


- Received.
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9) Any Other Business – Upcoming Events and Travel Tips

- Accessibility Café
- Silent Disco
- Tiger Pass for people aged under 25 allows £1 travel for people in Cambridgeshire and Peterborough



9) Any Other Business – Voting and Day Opportunities

- Voting Easy Read Info – can use bus pass/ blue badge as proof for ID for voting
- Day Opportunities Info – Harriet to send out. ACTION – GL to circulate.



9) Any Other Business – Next LBPB Meeting



Date

Thursday 5th September
2024

Time

10.30–1pm

Venue

Maple Centre,
Huntingdon



Thank you all. Good bye!