

# What is the LDPB?

The LDPB is short for the **Learning Disability Partnership Board**.



We are a group of adults with a learning disability, family members/carers and service providers.

**The aim of the LDPB is to improve the lives of people with learning disabilities.**

## What does the LDPB do?



We work together as equal partners to make sure adults with a learning disability, their families and carers have their views heard.

We make sure people with learning disabilities know and understand their rights.

We keep people up to date with local issues affecting people with learning disabilities, their families, and carers.

We help services to make decisions on the best ways to support people with a learning disability.

## Who can join the LDPB?

The LDPB is free and open to anyone interested in improving services and making sure adults with a learning disability have their views heard in RBWM.

**We meet 6 times a year online. To join us please email the LDPB Officer at [caroline.waites@theadvocacypeople.org.uk](mailto:caroline.waites@theadvocacypeople.org.uk). Caroline will keep you updated on plans for meetings, zoom links for you to join the meetings as well as information discussed at the meetings. If you have a learning disability you can join the meeting at 1:30pm to set up and go through the meeting plan.**

Dates of meetings in 2024	Time of online meeting.
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	<b>1:45pm to 2:45pm</b>
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>1:45pm to 2:45pm</b>
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> September	<b>1:45pm to 2:45pm</b>
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October	<b>1:45pm to 2:45pm</b>
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	<b>1:45pm to 2:45pm</b>

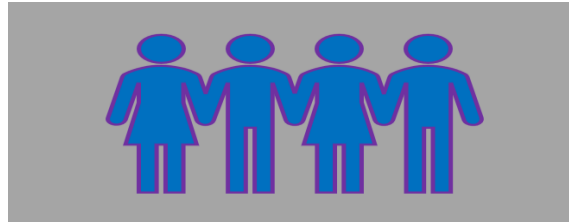


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## Do you live in RBWM and care for an adult with a learning disability?

At the *Learning Disability Partnership Board* we know how important it is that carers are heard, valued and supported, which is why in 2021 we set up an online **Parent-/ Carer Support Group.**



The group provides friendship, knowledge, and support in a safe space where *carers set the agenda* and are free to talk openly about their experiences.

*What carers say about the group:*

*"The group is a great way of engaging with other parent/carers with the same issues/ dilemmas."*

*"The group has also provided great support and service by inviting different professionals to give more insight into the ways things work and how social care is affected by reduced amount of government funding."*

If you or someone you know would like to join us, please contact, **Caroline Waites from The Advocacy People** at; [Caroline.waites@theadvocacypeople.org.uk](mailto:Caroline.waites@theadvocacypeople.org.uk)

We meet online once a month, on a Wednesday 12:30pm and 1:30pm.

We look forward to welcoming you to the group.

