

Neurological Conditions Collective Advocacy



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**We're talking to people
with neurological
conditions about social
care.**

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- Do you have a **neurological condition**?
- Do you live in **Edinburgh or the Lothians**?
- **Do you have what you need to live well?**

Whether you access social care or other services currently, have in the past or even if you are unsure if you should access them, you can get involved in this Collective Advocacy project to have your voice heard. You'll meet people with shared experiences, working together to ensure people with neurological conditions have their say about issues that affect them, including on social care.

This Collective Advocacy project will help you to:

- Meet others with neurological conditions
- Have your say on issues that effect you
- Work together to make a difference
- Increase your awareness and understanding of your rights and options.

Independent Advocacy is about people having the **right to a voice: addressing barriers and imbalances of power** and ensuring that **human rights are recognised, respected, and secured**. Independent Advocacy is free of charge.

People who participate in Collective Advocacy at CAPS value the sense of community and purpose it creates and how it helps to reduce isolation. We will be holding meetings for people in East Lothian, Midlothian, West Lothian or City of Edinburgh, in-person or online, whichever suits you best. We are flexible about how we run meetings - if there is something we can do to make them easier to access for you, please let us know!

What do we mean by neurological condition?

We know neurological conditions are varied, with different presentations. To be involved in this project you should have a neurological condition which effects the central and peripheral nervous system, for example Multiple Sclerosis, Parkinson's, epilepsy, MND, FND, ARBD and many more.



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