



Learning Disability Wales is looking for new Trustees

What is a Trustee?

A Trustee is someone who gives their time freely to help manage a charity. It is an important legal role.

As a Trustee of Learning Disability Wales you will:



- understand our purpose and make sure we do what we say we are going to do
- make sure we work within the law
- make sure we follow the rules (our Memorandum and Articles of Association, Charity law and Company law)
- choose the Chair and Treasurer
- make sure we spend our money properly
- help us decide on what work we will do in the future
- help us look after our staff
- take part in and prepare for our Board of Trustee meetings and other sub groups.

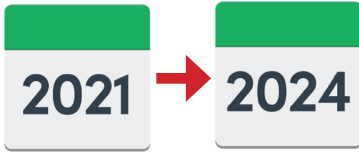


To be a trustee you must:

be age 18 or over



agree with and support Learning Disability Wales' mission, values and purpose



be happy to be a trustee until our AGM in 2024.



be able to listen and speak up at meetings



have the skills and experience that help us to manage Learning Disability Wales



attend 4 trustee meetings a year on weekdays. Meetings will be held on Zoom or face to face when we can. We will pay for your travel



Not be disqualified from being a trustee.

Being a Trustee means you will help Learning Disability Wales to:



Make Wales the best country in the world for people with a learning disability to live, learn and work.

To be a trustee, we would also like you to have some of these:



- to want to improve the lives of people with a learning disability, their families and carers



- know what you have to do to be a trustee



- know about the issues that affect people with a learning disability



- understand money



- be able to understand and speak Welsh



- understand how an organisation is managed



- know about employing staff and looking after them.

Vacancies

You can apply if you represent one of the following organisations in our community of interest category:



- Family Support Providers - 1 vacancy



- Family Carers - 1 vacancy



Or you are:

- An interested individual – 1 vacancy



How to apply

Please complete the trustee application form and return to us by **5 November 2021**.



We will then ask someone who knows you to write a reference - a letter where they tell us about the things you can do.



We will then ask our members to elect you at our AGM on **24 November 2021**.



About Learning Disability Wales

Learning Disability Wales
Anabledd Dysgu Cymru

We are:



- an all-Wales charity and a company limited by guarantee



- a membership organisation that works with its members and partners



Llywodraeth Cymru
Welsh Government

- funded by Welsh Government, the Big Lottery Community Fund and other sources.



We employ 20 people.



More information

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