

(d) We will share your response internally with other Scottish Government policy teams who may be addressing the issues you discuss. They may wish to contact you again in the future, but we require your permission to do so. Are you content for Scottish Government to contact you again in relation to this consultation exercise?

No

Please tick as appropriate

Yes

CONSULTATION QUESTIONS

Q. 2 Can you give examples, either locally or nationally, of what you think has worked well over the last 10 years of *The same as you?*

Please provide any comments and/or examples here

It has been good having Volunteers with the same interests giving support to people with learning difficulties. It is good to have someone outside of the family giving a helping hand. Friendships have been made, which are greatly appreciated by people who are unable to be 'out & about' as much as able bodied.

Q. 3 Can you give examples of issues in current work and/or policies that still need to be addressed?

Please provide any comments and/or examples here

It would be great to manage to enlist more Volunteers, at the moment the Volunteer my son had has left the area, and at the moment there is no person at Interest Link with similar interests.

Future Priorities

**Q.10 What future priorities do we need to focus on?
(Please list these in order of importance with the most important first)**

Please provide any comments and/or examples here

more Volunteers,
more finance to enable interest link
to engage more Volunteers,

Thank you for taking the time to read the consultation document and taking the time to respond to the question. Your continued input and support is vital in ensuring that we continue to close the inequality gap that people with a learning disability face daily.

All completed questionnaires should be returned to Sarah Grant either by e-mail or at the address below. The closing date for responses is 30th September 2012.

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