



Have your say about support for working age adults



This information is written in Easy Read. You could read this information with:

- a carer
- a support worker
- a friend or family member
- an advocate



If you do not have anyone to help you, please call us and we will try to help. Call us on 01273 481 242 between 9am-12pm Mon-Thurs.

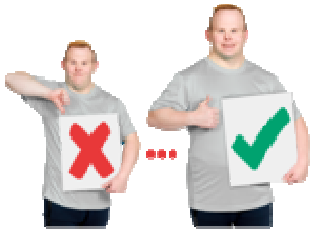


East Sussex County Council is running a consultation.



A consultation helps people to think about changes we are planning and to give their opinions and views.

Support for adults



We want to improve the way we support working age adults.



A working age adult is someone who is aged between 18 and 64.

We want to:



- build on people's strengths



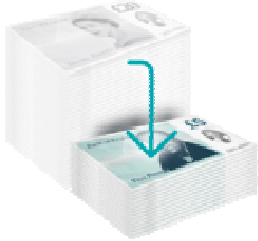
- help them to be more independent



- support more people to stay living at home



Why are we consulting?



We have less money to spend on supporting people.



We need to spend our money on support that is good value and the best it can be.



We have looked at how we support people at the moment.



We have found out that:

- We spend more than other Councils.
- We are supporting more people.





- We are supporting more people to live in residential and nursing care.



What would change?

We think we can save some money by looking at how we are supporting people.



We would still spend a lot of our budget on supporting working age adults.

Our plan would be to:



- Look at what services there are to help people to stay at home.



- Find out why we pay more for residential and nursing care.



- Review the support we are providing to people to check it meets their needs and is good value for money.



We will still look at and review your support in the same way while we are having the consultation.

You will still get the support you need



What do you think about this?



You can let us know what you think by:



- filling in a survey

www.eastsussex.gov.uk/waa



- writing us a letter or email

You can email:

consultationASC@eastsussex.gov.uk



You can write to:

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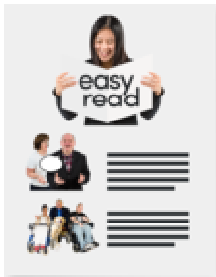


The consultation closes on 13 August 2019.



What happens next?

We will make a decision in September about what happens next.



An easy read summary will be shared to let you know what has been decided.



Questions and contacting us

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Questionnaire

Question 1

Are you completing the survey as:

Please tick one answer



- Someone who receives support from adult social care
- A partner, relative, friend or carer of someone who receives support
- Someone working locally in health and care provision
- A member of the public
- Other (please provide below)

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Question 2



What do you think about the results of our research?

For example, are you surprised by the results or have we missed something important.





Question 3

What do you think about the proposed action plan?

Our plan would be to:

- Look at what services there are to help people to stay at home.
- Find out why we pay more for residential and nursing care.
- Review the support we are providing to people to check it meets their needs and is good value for money.





Question 4

What will the main challenges be in supporting people differently?



Question 5

Do you have any other comments or suggestions?

Yes

No

Your comments:





These questions are **about you**



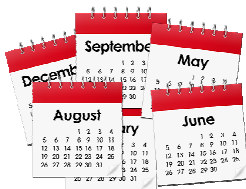
If you would rather not answer any of these questions, you don't have to.



We want to make sure that everyone is treated fairly and equally and that no one gets left out. That's why we ask you these questions.



We will only use your answers for the survey you are taking part in.



We won't keep your answers for more than 5 years and we won't keep them for longer than we need them.



If you want more information you can ask the person in charge of the survey.

Are you...?



Male

Female

I would prefer not say

Are you trans?



Yes

No

I would prefer not to say

How old are you?



I would prefer not to say

What is your postcode?



I would prefer not to say

Do you have a disability?

(A disability is if you have a problem or illness to do with your mind or body and it makes it hard for you to do everyday things)



Yes

No

I would prefer not to say

If you have answered yes to the question above please tell us the disability or impairment you have.

You can tick more than one box.



Learning disability

Mental health condition

Physical impairment

Sensory impairment (hearing and sight)

Long standing illness or health condition (such as cancer, HIV, heart disease, diabetes or epilepsy)

I would prefer not to say

If you have a disability or condition we have not listed, please tell us here:



Which of these ethnic groups do you belong to? (Your ethnic group is about lots of things like where your family comes from and the language you speak)

- White British
- White Irish
- White Gypsy/Roma
- White Irish Traveller
- White other*
- Mixed White and Black Caribbean
- Mixed White and Black African
- Mixed White and Asian
- Mixed other*
- Asian or Asian British Indian
- Asian or Asian British Pakistani
- Asian or Asian British Bangladeshi
- Asian or Asian British other*
- Black or Black British Caribbean
- Black or Black British African
- Black or Black British other*
- Arab
- Chinese
- I would prefer not to say



If your ethnic group was not listed or you chose something that has a * next to it, please tell us what it is.

Do you belong to a religion or belief?



- Yes
- No
- I would prefer not to say

If you have answered yes to the question above, which religion or belief is it?



- Christian
- Buddhist
- Hindu
- Jewish
- Muslim
- Sikh

If you belong to a religion not listed, please write it here:



Are you...?



- Bisexual
- Heterosexual/Straight
- Gay woman/Lesbian
- Gay Man
- Other
- I would prefer not to say

**Are you married or in a civil partnership
(when 2 men or 2 women are married)?**



Yes

No

I would prefer not to say

Thank you for giving us this information.