



We are a not-for-profit Community Interest Company working with individuals with complex needs, their families, commissioners, local communities, housing providers and social investment funders to design and develop personalised services.

We are able to provide a wide range of support and accommodation models such as supported living, specialist supported living and residential. These offer creative solutions to enable individuals to have increased choice and personalised support. Also creating opportunities for commissioners in response to the implementation of new service models and the national transformation plan for people with a learning disability.

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Everyone should feel happy and safe in their homes. Some people want to live alone, while others prefer to share, and some people need specialist adaptations. We work with people to find the home that is right for them.

By working with property developers, private landlords and families we can help more people find homes to meet their needs in a location of their choice. We help families find long term housing solutions for their loved ones by using a discretionary trust with Mencap Trust Company. GLH can help people to manage and maintain such properties.

Call 0845 604 0046
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People and Places



People and Places (PAP) online communities are a secure platform for vulnerable adults.

Somewhere to find friends and meet people with shared interests.

Users keep control over what and how much they share.

www.mypeopleandplaces.co.uk

Have you heard of the Challenging Behaviour Foundation?

We are the charity that supports people with severe learning disabilities and behaviour described as challenging.

Our vision is for anyone with severe learning disabilities who displays challenging behaviour to have the same life opportunities as everyone else.

We're making a difference to the lives of children and adults across the UK through:

Information: We have a range of information sheets and DVDs about understanding and supporting children and adults whose behaviour challenges, which can be downloaded or ordered free for family carers from our website.

Support: Our Family Support Workers can offer information over the phone or via email. We also have Family Carers' and Professionals' Email Networks, and a Family Linking Scheme.

Workshops: Our positive behavioural support workshops are run jointly by a professional and a family carer, to be delivered to any group working with children and adults with severe learning disabilities whose behaviour challenges.

Driving change: We work with a range of people to influence national policy. Current projects include the Early Intervention Project with the CDC, and the Winterbourne View Campaign with Mencap.

There are many opportunities for volunteers to get involved: Local Champions represent us at events; Family Link Volunteers give support to other family carers, and other volunteers fundraise or distribute leaflets.

To find out more, visit our website: www.challengingbehaviour.org.uk or get in touch by phone (01634 838739), or by email (info@thebcf.org.uk).

A new organisation for Quality Checkers



Later this year we will be launching one of the most exciting efforts to promote and encourage the work of Quality Checkers in health and social care services in England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales.

The Association of Quality Checkers is a new not-for-profit membership association for disability organisations that provide quality checking services and a campaigning channel for our members and supporters.

The Association of Quality Checkers will:

- raise the profile of quality checking in health and social care services
- showcase best practice, themes and trends in health and social care
- campaign for employment, rights and citizenship for people with disabilities

Our website will be easily accessible and the place to find Quality Checkers in your area, read their profiles describing their skills, experience, and the services they offer, or simply get in touch.

For more information please email yvonne.furze@qualitycheckers.org.uk

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MY CHALLENGE IS ... TACKLE THE HOUSING SHORTAGE FOR PEOPLE WITH LEARNING AND PHYSICAL DISABILITIES.
BY WORKING WITH GOOD INVESTORS, PHILANTHROPISTS AND PRIVATE LANDLORDS! #sachallenge

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MY CHALLENGE IS ... PUSHING PEOPLE POWER, SHARING SKILLS + MAKING A POSITIVE DIFFERENCE.
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