



Working towards being more inclusive

Disability and Inclusion Strategy

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States of
Guernsey

The work streams below are still being developed:

<div> <div>Significant issues</div> <div>Some issues / risks</div> <div>On track</div> <div>Not Started</div> </div>	Information and Awareness-Raising	ESS
	Safeguarding Vulnerable Adults	HSC
	Framework for People with Speech Language and Communication Needs	HSC
	Framework for People with Learning Disabilities	HSC
	Supported and Mainstream Employment	ESS
	UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (UN CRPD) The States of Guernsey is not in a position to seek the extension of the ratification of the UNRCPD until key work streams have been completed.	ESS

The work streams below are complete and now live:

See each work stream status for further details.

Discrimination Legislation

Implementation now rests with ESS

Employment and Equal Opportunity Service

Implementation now rests with ESS

Capacity Legislation

Implementation now rests with HSC

Review of States' Obligations

Implementation now rests with States of Guernsey

Framework for People with Dementia

Implementation now rests with HSC

Framework for People with Autism

Implementation now rests with HSC

Overall RAG status as one workstream is still Red



Framework for people with Speech Language and Communication Needs

A survey has been done to look at what communication needs there are in Guernsey.

A report is being written about this.

The plan for how the report will be written has been done.

Framework for people with Learning Disabilities

A report was done in 2019 about the adult disability service.

This made some recommendations about things that could be changed to improve the service.

A meeting has taken place with people from the education department and the children's and adult disability services.

This was to discuss how to make the changes.



Information and News

Training

An online training session was held by accessAble. This was about the on line access guide. A top tips leaflet was also given to all those who attended.



Beach Guide

A beach guide is now available.

It gives information about how easy it is to get to the beach, how close the parking is and if there is a toilet nearby.



Easy Read Documents

These leaflets are now available in an easy read style.

[Coping with Lockdown- Top Tips to feel better during the Coronavirus pandemic](#)

[Adult Disability Services Easy Information Sheet](#)

More easy read leaflets will be ready soon.



Face Coverings

The States have decided to make it the law that people wear face coverings in some indoor spaces.

Some people cannot wear a face covering.

They might find it hard to breathe or might panic if wearing one.

You can wear a sunflower lanyard or carry a special card. This will let other people know that you do not have to wear a face covering.



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