



**Your Voice  
Advocacy**

Supporting people with learning disabilities since 1989

# A Parent's Voice...



## **Supporting Parents with Learning Disabilities in Neath Port Talbot and Swansea**

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## Family Advocacy

- **Your Voice Advocacy** is a registered charity that supports people with learning disabilities with **independent advocacy, support and advice.**
- We believe in the **rights of people with learning disabilities to make choices and understand those choices** and run various projects, events and activities to support this.



- Our **Big Lottery** funded project – ‘**A Parent’s Voice**’ will provide ‘**Family Advocacy**’ support for parents with learning disabilities whose children are subject to **child protection or safeguarding proceedings** across Neath Port Talbot and Swansea.
- It has been shown that independent support can **benefit all parties, ease the related legal proceedings** and allow parents and children alike to **have every opportunity to reach the best possible outcomes.**





## How can we help?

1. Enable and empower people with learning disabilities to make informed choices and express their views.
2. Provide support to access and improve appropriate information and services for others in the future.
3. Defend and promote the rights and responsibilities of people with learning disabilities in the community.
4. Work in partnership with vulnerable individuals and give them a voice in the decisions that affect their daily lives and the lives of their families and children.



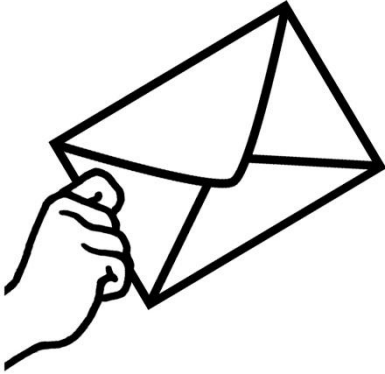
- Our dedicated '**Family Advocates**' would help you **along every step of the emotional, lengthy and complex processes and procedures** and can:

- **Attend meetings, reviews and court appearances with you**
- **Meet and talk with professionals on your behalf**
- **Help you to understand the situation and the choices available**
- **Provide easy read resources and information**
- **Work in partnership with other organisations to solve any problems**
- **Help you with related issues and be by your side when things get tough**

- We will also run **appropriate training and peer-to-peer groups** where **parents with learning disabilities can share their experiences with others and learn new skills.**
- **For more information or to make a referral** please contact using the details on the next page:



## Contact us



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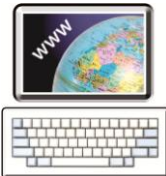


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