Question 1

Do the things in the easy read consultation report reflect your views and opinions about services for people with learning disabilities?

(Please tick your answer)

☑ Yes  ☒  No

You can put any comments about this question here.

Yes I would agree with many of the views in the report.
Question 2
What do you think has worked well over the last 10 years for people with learning disabilities and family carers?
This could be changes in your local community or all over Scotland.

Please write your answer here.

More people with learning disabilities have family involvement these days & younger people are living with families for longer which is good.
Question 3
What do you think still needs to be done by the Government to make the lives of people with learning disabilities and family carers better?

Please write your answer here.

There are still areas such as college and work that need to be more equal. People with learning disabilities only get a choice of certain college courses. They also don’t get the chance to do proper paid work.
Question 4 - (this question is for organisations only)

- What have you done in your organisation to improve services for people with learning disabilities in your local area?
- What have you done in your organisation to improve access to services for people with learning disabilities in your local area?

Please write your answer here.

As an organisation we have set up different groups to find out what people with learning disabilities, autism, aspergers syndrome actually want in their lives and what they want their support to look like.

We have supported many people with learning disabilities to access college & supported employment. We would like more employers to employ people with learning disabilities in paid jobs.
Question 5
What have you done to make things better in your local area for people with learning disabilities and family carers?

Please write your answer here.

I am involved in a getting involved group which looks at community issues such as dog mess and ways to tackle it.
Question 6
What do you think needs to be done to help people with learning disabilities get access to good healthcare?

Please write your answer here.

More of the staff who work in healthcare need to understand that people with learning disabilities are entitled to the same healthcare as anyone else. This includes doctors, dentists, and consultants.

I don't think we get the same treatment as everyone else.
Question 7
What do you think needs to be done to improve access to better education and learning for people with learning disabilities?

Please write your answer here.

I think the schools and colleges must get better training for their staff to understand people with learning disabilities and how we communicate. They will also have to get better at dealing with bullies at school and college.
Question 8

What do you think needs to be done to help people with learning disabilities live more independent lives?

Please put your answers here.

I think more access to local housing needs to be in place as there is a big lack of affordable housing & council housing in safe areas for people with learning disabilities & if you are single you don't qualify for many points & on the council scoring criteria or social landlords.
Question 9

What do you think needs to be done to help people with learning disabilities get jobs?

Please write your answer here

Employees need to be more open to taking on people with learning disabilities and to be more understanding about our needs and how we communicate. They show too much prejudice against us.
Question 10

What do you think are the things we need to do in the future to make the lives of people with learning disabilities better?

Please write the most important things first.

Please write your answers here.

Look at access to jobs & housing.