



# Learning Disability Partnership Board

## Minutes

(notes) of the meeting

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2013

10am - 1pm

Audley Leisure Centre



[www.bwdld.org.uk](http://www.bwdld.org.uk)



## People that came to the meeting



David  
Entwistle



Angela Allen



Nigel  
Braithwaite  
  
Parent/carer



Dorothy  
Braithwaite  
  
Parent/carer



Lori Homayon-  
Jones  
  
Parent/carer



Marion Fisher  
  
Parent/carer

Alan Fisher



Carol Hartley  
  
Carer



**Katharine Warman**

Parent/  
carer



**Mohammed Patel (part attended)**



**Tom Noone**

Parent/  
carer

Blackburn  
Supported  
Housing

**Teresa Murphy**



**Peter Soothill**

Integrated  
Services  
Manager



**Cllr Solkar**



**Gemma McMullan**

Communications  
and Information  
Officer (easy  
read minutes)



**Andy McHugh**

Service  
Development  
Manager



Lauren  
Oakland

Your  
Support  
Your Choice  
Manager



Maggie Ecroyd

HR Consultant  
Workforce  
Development



Jules Wall

Head of  
Diversity,  
Equality and  
Human  
Rights -

BwD NHS



Ann-Marie  
Pickering

Children's  
Services



Shabir Elahi

Income  
Maximisation  
Officer



Kala Green

Directorate  
Support (minute  
taker)



Ibrahim  
Mayat

Adult  
Learning  
Team

Pamela Price

Children's Services

Michelle Duckett - Self Directed Support Team	Janet Harrison - P4P Carer
Janet Howes - Creative Support	I Riaz - Select Support 4U
Azhar Abbas - Select Support 4U	Zoe Fitzpatrick - Apple Trees Hub

**Apologies (people that couldn't come to the meeting)**

Rosemary Molyneux	BwD Adult Services
Denise Gaffing	Community Nurse LCFT
Sally McIvor	Director of Adult Services
Peter Dillon	BwD - Head of Service
Stephen Power	Service User
Alison Westwood	NHS Blackburn with Darwen CTP

## 1. Hello and welcome



Pete started the meeting and said hello.



We all said our names.



We said what the traffic light cards mean:

- The red card is to stop the meeting, or to vote no
- The amber card is to ask a question
- The green card is to vote yes. Or you can put it in the air when you want to speak

## 2. New service - Your Support Your Choice



Andy McHugh told us about a new service that has opened in Blackburn.

It is called 'Your Support, Your Choice'.

It is across from Blackburn Library.



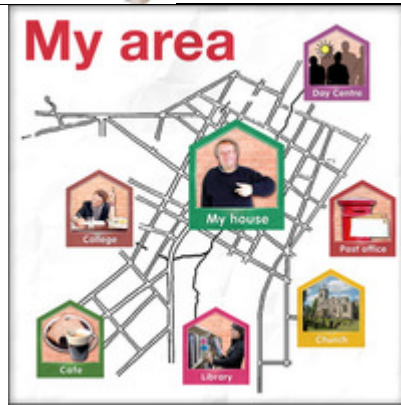
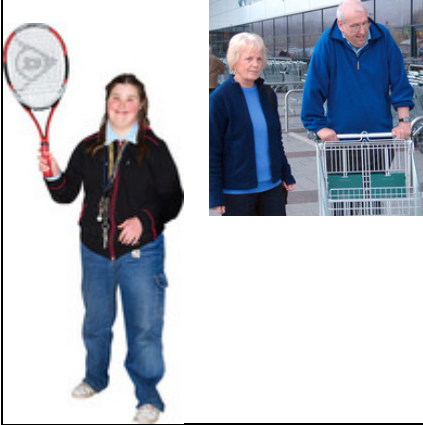
This is a photo of the shop.



Your Support Your Choice can give you free information and help.



They can help you to stay independent and look after yourself.



They can help you find out what is going on where you live.



They can tell you about groups you can join.





Your Support Your Choice is run by the Council, Lancashire Mind and Care Network.



It is open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 9am to 5pm.



You can call in to see someone.

You don't need to make an appointment.



Andy said that the benefit help service is now inside Blackburn Library.

Lauren Oakland is the manager at 'Your Support, Your Choice'.

If you want 'Your Support, Your Choice' to send you their news please tell Lauren.

Lauren needs volunteers from the board to help give other people advice. If you are interested tell Lauren.

You can ring Lauren on 01254 292620.



### 3. Hate crime support group

 A portrait of Andy McHugh, a man with glasses wearing a suit and tie. In the background, a purple banner reads "my own choices about support".	<p>Andy McHugh talked about a new group for people that have been victims of hate crime.</p>
 An illustration showing a group of people. One person is being harassed by others. A speech bubble above them says "You're a !#% ^ i *".	<p>Hate crime is when someone commits a crime against a person because of their disability, their race, their gender, their religion or their sexuality.</p>
 A photograph of a group of people sitting around a table in a meeting. One person is in a wheelchair.	<p>The group will be a safe place where people can talk to others about hate crime and get help.</p>
 A photograph of the exterior of a shop named "your support choice". The sign includes the website "www.your-support-choice.org.uk", the phone number "Tel: 01254 29200", and the email "Email: info@y-sc.co.uk".	<p>The group will be held in the 'Your Support, Your Choice' shop across from Blackburn Library.</p>



The group will also talk about keeping safe and reporting crime.



The group wants to tell more people about hate crime and why it needs to stop.



If you want to find out more about the group ring Lauren on 01254 292620.

## 4. Big Health Day



Jules Wall wants someone from the Board to go the Big Health Day.

If you want to go tell Jules.

You can ring her on 01254 282006.



Jules has been working on the new health passports.

Jules has listened to people's comments about the passports.





This time they have been printed smaller so that they are easier to carry around.







Jules asked people to look at the passports.

If you have any comments about the passports please tell Jules at the next meeting.

## 5. What we will talk about at our next board meetings

 	<p>Welfare benefits and housing</p>
	<p>Health changes</p>
	<p>Transition (this is when someone moves from children's services to adult services)</p>

	<p>Peer support (this means people in a similar situation helping each other)</p>
	<p>Citizen involvement (such as taking part in groups in your local area, or being a volunteer)</p>
	<p>Jobs</p>
	<p>Transport (like buses, trains, taxis and community transport)</p>

## 6. The next meeting

 <p>The image shows a calendar for the month of May. The word "May" is written in a large, blue, sans-serif font at the top. Below it is a grid of dates from 1 to 31. The date 22 is circled in red. The calendar is presented as a page from a spiral-bound notebook.</p> <table border="1"><tr><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td><td>5</td><td>6</td><td>7</td></tr><tr><td>8</td><td>9</td><td>10</td><td>11</td><td>12</td><td>13</td><td>14</td></tr><tr><td>15</td><td>16</td><td>17</td><td>18</td><td>19</td><td>20</td><td>21</td></tr><tr><td>22</td><td>23</td><td>24</td><td>25</td><td>26</td><td>27</td><td>28</td></tr><tr><td>29</td><td>30</td><td>31</td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr></table>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31					<p>Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2013</p> <p>Livesey Children's and All Age Centre</p> <p>10am - 1.30pm</p>
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