



# CHRISTINE BURKE

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I'm Christine and I am passionate about the rights of people with learning disabilities and their families. I am standing in the elections to represent the organisation that I work for, The Foundation for People with Learning Disabilities.

The Foundation for People with Learning Disability works with:

- People with learning disabilities,
- Families,
- Carers,
- Local authorities
- Service providers
- Government

to help make things better for people with learning disabilities.

Our aim is to ensure that people with learning disabilities continue to get better lives. We are a public mental health organisation.



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We do this by doing:

- Research
- Writing reports or guidebooks
- Giving advice to other organisations to help make them better
- Making sure what we learn from research and influence policy
- Challenge inequalities experienced by people with learning disabilities and their families
- Make sure that people with learning disabilities are at the centre of all we do.

We agree with the aims of the LDE and believe that together we can make sure the voice of people with learning disabilities is not ignored.

We have many years' experience of working with people with learning disabilities to make change happen. Also with families. We believe strongly in 'nothing about us without us'. All our work is guided and coproduced with people with learning disabilities and their families.



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