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The information in this leaflet can be made available in other formats such as large print and audio

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# Information, legal advice and advocacy in disability issues....



## ...run by and for disabled people



## 01743 539201

## What we offer

- Confidential and impartial information, advice and advocacy on all aspects of disability, to people with disabilities, their families and carers as well as health and social care professionals.
- Legal advice on welfare benefits, claims and appeals.
- Help with form filling such as Personal Independence Payment, Disability Living Allowance, Attendance Allowance and Employment Support Allowance.
- Specialist support and advice to challenge Department for Work and Pensions including First-tier Tribunals for social entitlement and appeals to Upper Tribunal, where contract funding allows.
- Weekly drop in at the Shropshire Autism Hub for help, advice and support for both peers and carers of people on the autistic spectrum.
- Specialist quality mark standards.
- Signposting clients to local and national agencies for specific help.
- Volunteering opportunities.

## Our service is for

- People with disabilities
- Families and carers
- Health and Social Care Professionals
- Anyone seeking information on any aspects of disability

Disability does not only mean physical disability, it also includes people with mental health issues, diabetes, cancer and other long-term illnesses

### How to access our services

- We can be contacted by telephone during the day or by answer phone outside office hours or by email
- We accept referrals from health and social care professionals, local councils, other voluntary agencies and government departments.
- We have a main office in Shrewsbury. We also have an office in Telford for pre-arranged appointments, subject to a small charge.
- Our website is available for information and leaflets