



## Your screening appointment



An **Easy Read guide** about finding out if you have a learning disability and your screening appointment.

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Learning Disability

We work in the learning disability team.

We want to find out if our team can help you.



We have been asked to meet with you to see if you have a learning disability.

This is called screening.



You will need to have an assessment.

An assessment means we will ask you some questions so we can find out more about you.



We can see you at Eagle House or we can visit you in your home.

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It is helpful to have someone with you who can help answer these questions.



You can bring a family member or one of your support staff who has known you for a long time.



We can ask to speak with someone on the telephone if they cannot come to the appointment with you.



At your appointment we will ask you some questions about your past.



We will ask about your childhood and when you went to school.

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We will ask about things you find easy or difficult to do now.



We will ask you about your life and how you feel.



We will ask you about things you enjoy.



The Assessment will take around 1 hour.



We might need to see you again on a different day to ask more questions.

# Your screening report



We will be making notes, this helps us remember things you said.



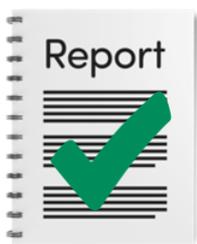
The notes will be written up into a report.

Only other people in the Learning Disability Team will be able to see the report.

This is so they can help you too.



If there is anything you do not want people to know, please tell us and we can talk about it.



Once the report is ready, we will write you a letter.

# What happens next



The letter will say if you have a learning disability or not.

We will then ask to see you.

We will talk to you about what will happen next.



Learning Disability

If you **do** have a learning disability then our team will be able to help you.



Another Team

If you **do not** have a learning disability another team might be able to help you.



We look forward to meeting you!

## For more information



If you feel worried or have any questions about your screening appointment please contact us.



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