

Gloucestershire Local Involvement Network (LINK)

Governance Framework

The system by which the LINK is controlled

MISSION

The Gloucestershire LINK will help influence, improve and change the way local health and social care services are planned and delivered.



Gloucestershire LINK is a network of local people, groups and community organisations.



They want to help develop how health and social care services commissioned and provided in Gloucestershire should look like.



The Gloucestershire LINK aims to be inclusive and will not discriminate on age, culture, disability, gender, race, religion and belief and sexual orientation.



The Gloucestershire LINK has legal duties and powers and will act in agreement with the

Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007.



The role of the LINK is to encourage and support the involvement of local people.

The LINK want to



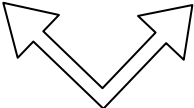
Find out what people like and dislike about local Health and Social Care Services



Look into matters of concern
Go into and look at places that provide services to make sure they are working well ('enter and view')



Ask for information and get answers



Pass on matters of concern to the right agencies



Have a say when new services are planned



Value all the different local people and make its services open to every citizen



The **LINK** is **NOT**



A group of people who **ONLY** inspect premises (grounds and buildings) and services



Managers of how effective and well Health and Social Care Services work



A group that only deals with complaints



Self selected and unexplainable



A group of professional workers



A place for personal or political agendas (programs and plans)