

# Think differently about disability

## #makeachange

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Help us celebrate the changes Guernsey has made in the lead up to the UN International Day of Person with Disabilities.

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# What's it all about?

## Disability in Guernsey

Our new campaign encourages businesses, organisations, community groups and individuals in Guernsey to #MakeAChange for greater inclusivity and accessibility, especially for our 13,000 disabled islanders and 4,000+ carers. We know Guernsey cares about the issues surrounding disability and how to become a more inclusive island. This campaign is a response to that desire.

## What can you do differently?

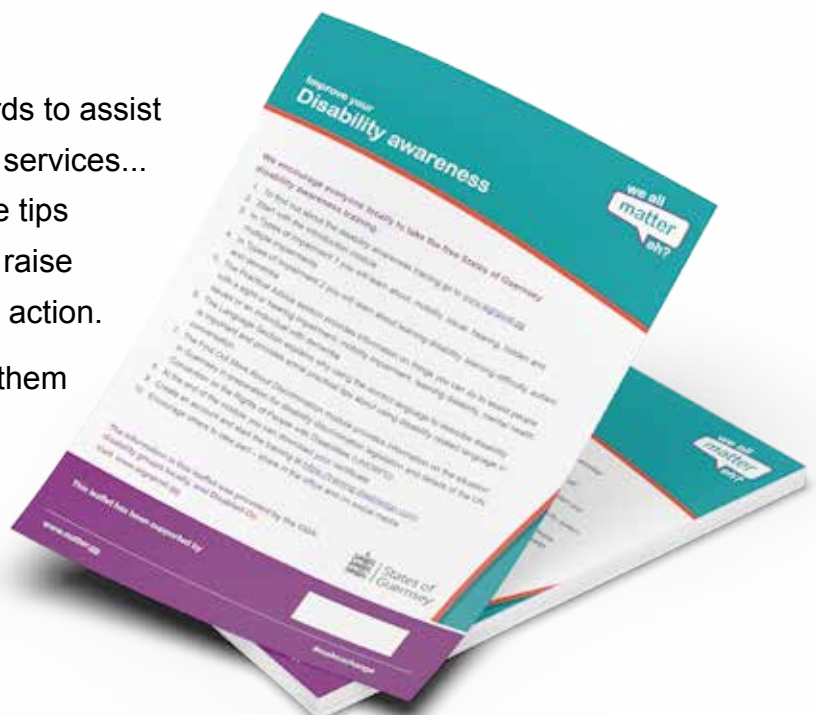
People with disabilities want to shop, eat out, play sport, work, travel and take a full and active part in the community. Currently there are a number of barriers to Guernsey life, our Think Differently About Disability campaign aims to highlight these barriers and what can be done to bring them down.

By making changes in your business, organisation or community group and raising money you can have a significant impact on how disabled islanders take a full and active part in the community.

## Our Change cards

We have developed a suite of change cards to assist cafes, architects, employers, providers of services... everyone to make a change. They provide tips and links to videos and other materials to raise awareness, increase knowledge and take action.

There are currently over 20 cards, check them out at [www.matter.gg/make-a-change](http://www.matter.gg/make-a-change)

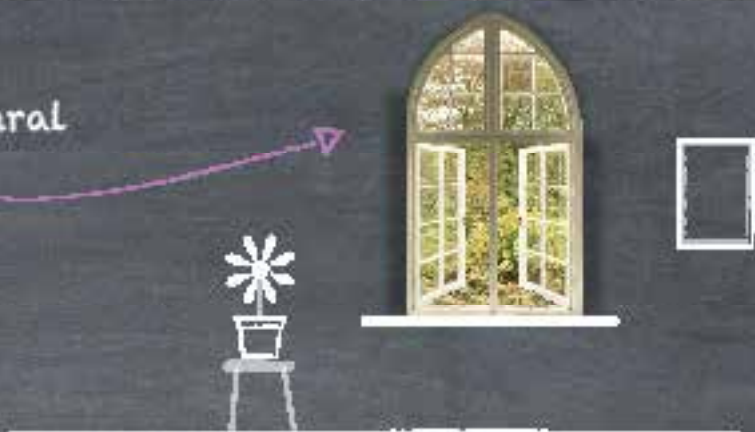


# Changes you can make



Find out about Disability Awareness Training

Provide lots of natural light to rooms



Sign up to the Employers' Disability Charter

For more information on change you can make visit : [www.matter.gg/make-a-change](http://www.matter.gg/make-a-change)



# UN International Day of Persons with Disabilities (IDPwD)



International Day of Persons with Disabilities (IDPwD) is celebrated annually around the world on 3rd December.

In Guernsey we will celebrate all the changes the community has made to be more inclusive for disabled islanders and carers on Friday 1st December. This is also our main fundraising day.

[www.un.org/en/events/disabilitiesday/background](http://www.un.org/en/events/disabilitiesday/background)

## Fundraise

In the week leading up to IDPwD we will be celebrating all the changes made by businesses, organisations and groups. We will be asking the community to fundraise for the We All Matter, Eh? campaign.

Download our fundraising pack from our website and book in your event on the 1st December 2017. You can upload your details to [www.matter.gg](http://www.matter.gg) and we will then publicise your event by posting it on our social media streams.



## Get your Fundraising Pack

You can download a fundraising pack from our website at the following link

► [www.matter.gg/make-a-change/fundrasing-pack/](http://www.matter.gg/make-a-change/fundrasing-pack/)

The fundraising pack includes: Fundraising ideas, sponsorship forms, an event poster, fundraising tips and more information about the day.

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