



Shropshire Learning Disability Partnership Boards

What is a Local Account?

	<p>There have been lots of changes to how local councils and government check how well they are doing in social care.</p>
<p>Local Account</p>	<p>The government has said that local councils must make sure that the services they provide are the right ones and are good.</p> <p>They must tell local people about this by writing an annual report called a Local Account.</p> <p>The first one will be done by January 2012. This year the Shropshire Local Account will have information from 2010 – 2011.</p>
	<p>The Local Account will say what we have done well and what has been difficult in adult social care services. It must be a user friendly report.</p>



Councils need to work together with service users and local people to agree what goes into the Local Account.

We need your comments now and in the future please!

Councils will need to get better at involving people in agreeing the most important things to do in social care for the future.



This year in Shropshire's Local Account there will be information about:

What social care services for adults are provided.

How to access these services.

What we have done well in 2010/11.

What we need to do better in the future.

How to get involved.

Who to contact for help.