Extending the Use of Sutton Inclusion Centre
CONSULTATION QUESTIONNAIRE

Sutton Inclusion Centre has a range of equipment and facilities that could be used by all people with disabilities in Sutton. The facilities available include:

- An Aqua-Therapy suite
- Sensory rooms
- Physiotherapy Rooms & equipment
- Music, art, and other activity rooms & equipment
- An interactive technology suite
- Kitchen and welcome rooms
- Spaces to relax

Currently the Centre is only used by people with learning disabilities and multiple needs and it is not used its full potential. The Council is consulting with the public about extending the use of the Centre to all people with disabilities and complex needs in Sutton. The Council wants the Centre to be:

**A Resource Centre & Community Hub for adults and young people in Sutton who have disabilities or complex needs**
Who would be able to use the Centre in the future?

As well as people with learning disabilities and multiple needs all other people in Sutton who have disabilities and/or complex needs would be able to use the Centre. This includes:

- people with learning disabilities who do not have multiple needs;
- people who have physical disabilities and/or complex needs;
- older people who have complex needs including people with dementia;
- children and young people who have disabilities and/or complex needs;
- other people with complex long term conditions.

How much will it cost to use the facilities at the Centre?

The council is also consulting about charges for the hire of rooms and equipment at the Centre. The schedule of costs is available in the full consultation document and the accessible consultation document.

The specialist healthcare services provided by the Council (funded by Sutton CCG) will continue to be free at the point of delivery.

People who are eligible for social care will be able to use their personal budgets to access the facilities at the Centre. Other people will be able to pay to use the facilities via the Council Website or through the administration team at the Centre.

Increasing the range of services and opportunities for people

The Council wants to work in partnership with other organisations to find out what equipment and other facilities would be helpful to enable them to provide services and increase opportunities for people with disabilities and complex needs at the Centre.

How would these proposals affect the people currently using the Centre?

The Centre would provide facilities for all people with disabilities and this would integrate services for people with learning disabilities alongside services for people who do not have learning disabilities. A more inclusive facility for people with learning disabilities and multiple needs would enable greater integration, which would strengthen the links people have with the rest of the community.

People who are currently using the Centre would be protected from charges so that the proposals being made by the Council do not disadvantage them in any way.

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CONSULTATION QUESTIONS

1. Please tell us about your interest in Sutton Inclusion Centre (please tick one box):

- I already use the facilities at the Inclusion Centre
- I am a carer for someone that already uses the facilities at the Inclusion Centre
- I am a person with a disability who might want to use the facilities at the Centre in the future
- I am a carer for someone with a disability who might want to use the facilities at the Centre in the future
- I am responding on behalf of an organisation that might want to use the facilities at the Centre in the future

Name of organisation (optional)

2. What do you think of the idea to enable all people with disabilities in Sutton to have access to the facilities at Sutton Inclusion Centre?

Please tick one box only:

- I think it is a very good idea
- I think it is a fairly good idea
- I do not have an opinion
- I think it is a fairly bad idea
- I think it is a very bad idea

Can you explain why you think it is a good or bad idea?

Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary.
3. **Do you have any concerns about allowing all people with disabilities in Sutton to have access to the facilities at Sutton Inclusion Centre?**

   Please tick one box only

   - [ ] I have a lot of concerns
   - [ ] I have a few concerns
   - [ ] I have no concerns

   If you have any concerns please tell us what these are in the box below:

   Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary.

4. **Are the charges being proposed reasonable?**

   Please tick one box only:

   - [ ] Very reasonable
   - [ ] Reasonable
   - [ ] Neither
   - [ ] Unreasonable
   - [ ] Very Unreasonable

5. **Opening times**

   The Centre is open between 9am – 5pm from Monday to Friday. Please tell us if you would like to use the facilities at the Centre at other times:

   **Would you like the Centre to open in the evenings?**

   Please tick one only

   - [ ] Yes
   - [ ] Don’t mind
   - [ ] No

   If yes, what would you like to do in the Centre in the evenings?

   Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary.
Would you like the Centre to open at the weekend?

Please tick one only

Yes  Don't mind  No

If yes, what would you like to do in the Centre at the weekend?

Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary.

6.  Do you want to make any other comments?

Please write any other comments you want to make in the box below:

Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary.
We would be grateful if you would complete our equalities questionnaire so that we know more about the people responding to the consultation. These details will remain anonymous.

Why do we monitor?

To help us continually improve our services. You can help us find out who we're reaching by providing the following details. **These questions are optional and it is your choice whether you answer all, some or none.** Your replies will not be used in a way that identifies you however they will help us to understand how community needs may vary.

**Age:** What is your age? ______________________

**Gender:** Male □ Female □

If you prefer to use your own term please provide this here: ______________________

Is your gender identity different to the sex you were assumed to be at birth?

Yes it’s different □  No it’s the same □

**Ethnicity:** Are you…

Asian or Asian British □  Black or Black British □

Mixed background □  White or White British □

Other ethnic group □

Other, please state if you wish ______________________

**Religion or belief:** Are you or do you have…

Atheist/no religious belief □  Buddhist □

Christian □  Hindu □

Jewish □  Muslim □

Secular beliefs □  Sikh □

Other please state if you wish ______________________
**Sexual orientation:** Are you…

- Bisexual
- Gay man
- Lesbian or Gay woman
- Heterosexual
- Other please state if you wish ______________________

**Disability:** Are your day-to-day activities limited because of a health problem or disability which has lasted, or is expected to last, at least 12 months?

- Yes
- No

**Caring responsibilities:** A carer is someone who spends a significant proportion of their time providing unpaid support to a family member, partner or friend who is ill, frail disabled or has mental health or substance misuse problems.

Do you regularly provide unpaid support caring for someone?

- Yes
- No

**Marriage or civil partnership:**

Are you married?

- Yes
- No

Are you in a civil partnership?

- Yes
- No

**Pregnancy or maternity:** Have you been pregnant and / or on maternity leave during the past 2 years?

- Yes
- No

Thank you for your time to complete this questionnaire. Please return it to:

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