

# Building Bridges



training

## About Building Bridges Training

We are an independent social enterprise which makes a difference to people's lives through delivering training, demonstrating how everyone can contribute towards providing better support and improved services and true inclusion for all.

### What we offer

We provide training on a variety of topics that are important to people with learning disabilities using a range of training methods including telling our personal stories and experiences, Power-Point presentations, interactive activities, group work, quizzes and games.

We train people with learning disabilities, people in mainstream services, and staff and managers who are working alongside people with learning disabilities. We can train any number of people - our university classes have 80 students! However, the smaller the group, the more that people can be involved. Our training for professionals includes Community Connecting, Person Centred Approaches and Right Support for People from the BME Community. A full list is available on our website.

Our peer training for people with a learning disability includes courses on Learn Something New! – about personal development, Being Safe in your Community, Living Healthily and an Equal Citizen course. We can deliver accredited training through the Open College Network (OCN).

As well as training, we do research projects, consultancy, facilitation, and user-led monitoring and evaluations.

### Who are the trainers?

Training is led by a small team including people with a learning disability; all have extensive experience in the issues they deliver training on.

See the attached dates for our forthcoming training events or we can give you a personalised quote to deliver half-day and full-day sessions tailored for your organisation at your own venue. Contact us to discuss your requirements.

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## Building Bridges Training 2012 events

### When?

Friday 29th June 2012	Community connecting for people with learning disabilities
Friday 23rd November 2012	Community connecting for people with learning disabilities

### Who is the training for?

This training event is suitable for staff from all disciplines who support people with a learning disability. The training is delivered through a mixture of presentations, personal stories, group activities and handouts.

At Austin Court, Brindley Place, Birmingham.

Cost £105



For more information or for course bookings please contact:

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