



Learning Disability Development Fund 2007/08
Commissioning organisation: Surrey County Council

**NOTICE OF CALL FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST FOR BIDS FOR
LEARNING DISABILITY DEVELOPMENT FUND MONIES**

The Learning Disability Partnership Board in Surrey and its 4 Valuing People Groups are seeking bids for learning disability projects. The priorities are:-

- Personalisation
- Supporting people with learning disabilities to live in their own home
- Increasing the number of people with learning disabilities into paid work
- Reducing Health Inequalities for disabled people

The allocation of LDDF for Surrey in 2008/09 is £545,000. Bids are for revenue only, not for capital.

Bids can be for Countywide projects or for a local project in a particular locality in Surrey. Bids can be for small scale projects in a particular locality or larger projects County wide. There is no minimum or maximum limit. Bids must meet at least one of the priority areas listed above. In addition bids must represent value for money, demonstrate partnership working and promote the principles of Valuing People: A New Strategy for Learning Disability for the 21st Century (2001 White Paper) and Valuing People Now <http://valuingpeople.gov.uk/index.jsp>

The main purpose of LDDF is to encourage innovation and pilot new ways of working. It is not to support ongoing initiatives or support services that should be funded through statutory agencies. LDDF is one year funding which needs to be completed within timescales.

To receive an application form, please email or fax your expression of interest by Midday, Wednesday 18th June 2008 to:-

Mary.Hendrick@surreycc.gov.uk

Fax: 01483 518440

You simply need to state your name, Job Title, Organisation, address, phone number and email address. You will not need to give any details about your bid at this stage.

Application forms will be emailed out to all people who have expressed an interest on Thursday 19th June 2008. Closing date for return of completed applications by Midday, Friday 11th July 2008.