

We want to work with you to:

- link up people's voices to make them louder
- share our learning and skills with you
- represent communities in community decisions
- shine a light on inequalities in our communities
- support community action for equal voices

Contact Asist for more information about our community advocacy work and Equal Voices.

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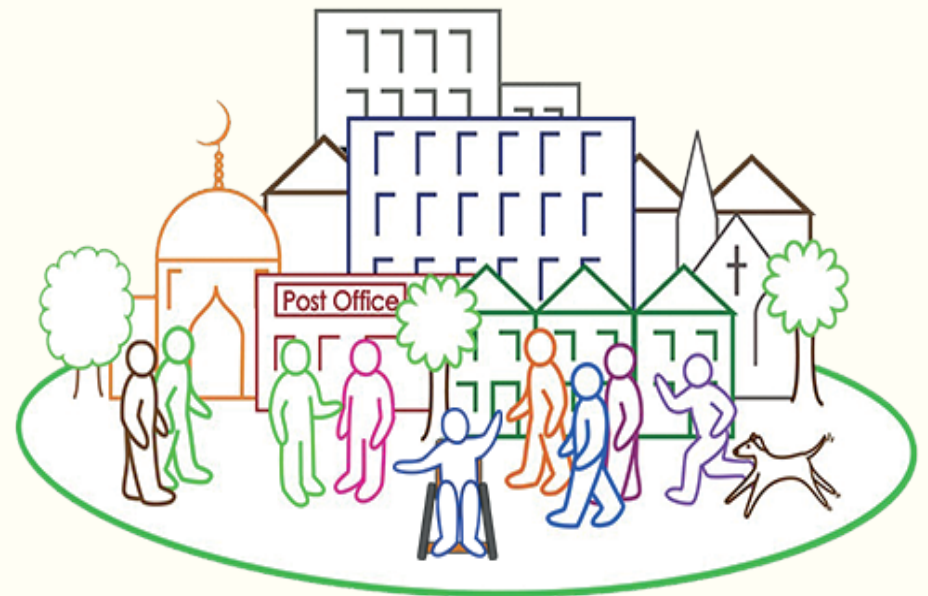
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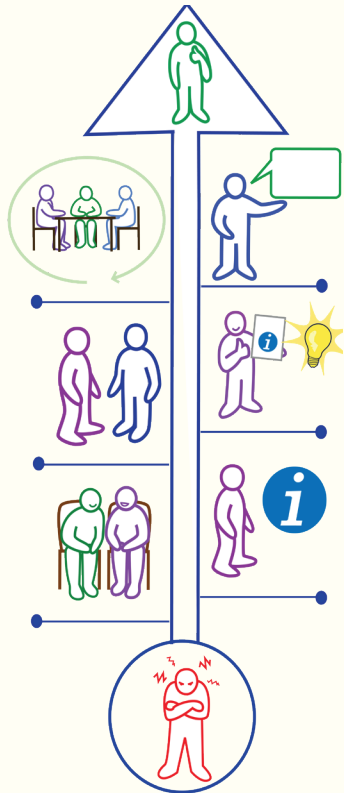
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Equal Voices



“ it's about sharing what we have and strengthening what we do. ”

Asist have been providing advocacy in our local communities for 25 years. Advocacy is about speaking up for our rights, choices and inclusion.



As advocates we hear about the inequalities in our communities.

Inequalities along with things like illness or difficult life events can make it harder for us to speak up.

We also see people speaking up for themselves, speaking up in groups and speaking up for each other in their communities.

Speaking up together gives communities a stronger voice.

People in communities can advocate for each other to make sure everyone has an equal voice.

“ Speak up about something and see if you can get things done... ”

Equal Voices in our communities

Being part of a Community
(based on www.communitycircles.co.uk)

- **Communities of Interest**
People who share interests or passions.
- **Communities for Action**
People trying to bring about change.
- **Communities by Place**
People brought together by location.
- **Communities of Practice**
People in the same profession or who undertake the same activities.
- **Communities of Circumstances**
People brought together by situations or events.

“ Advocacy can support us to speak up with confidence for ourselves and for our communities. ”