



**Have your say about Southwark
Council and Southwark CCG's
autism strategy for children and
adults**

31st July 2015 – 23rd October 2015

Consultation response form

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Have your say consultation response form

How to have your say

	<p>Please tell us what you think by 23rd October 2015.</p> <p>Please answer the questions on this form and tell us what services and support you think should be available for people with autism in Southwark.</p> <p>You can ask someone to help you write on this form. This could be a friend, someone in your family, a carer or advocate.</p>
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  	<p>You do not have to write on this form if you don't want to.</p> <p>You can also email or write to us.</p> <p>Email: autismstrategy@southwark.gov.uk</p> <p>Write to: Autism Strategy Consultation, Southwark Council, Children's and Adults' Commissioning Unit, Floor 4/ Hub 4, PO Box 4529, London SE1 5LX</p> <p>The answers you give us will be kept private but we will share the themes from everyone's responses.</p>
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Consultation Meetings

We have put together a plan that says what kinds of services and support people with autism might need. We call this our “vision”. We would like people with autism, their families and carers to come to one of the meetings and tell us what you think of our vision. We’d like to know whether you agree with our vision, if we have missed anything out and how we can improve support for people with autism.

We are holding the consultation meetings on Thursday 16th September.



The events will be held at:

Cambridge House,
1 Addington Square,
London
SE5 0HF



Date	Time	Who can attend
16 September 2015	11am to 12.30pm	Professionals who work with people with autism
	1pm to 2.30pm	People with autism and parents/carers
	3pm to 4.30pm	Open session for everyone
	6pm to 7.30pm	Open session for everyone


How to book


 	<p>If you want to attend a meeting, you need to book a place before 11 September 2015.</p> <p>To book a place you can email or phone us.</p> <p>Email: autismstrategy@southwark.gov.uk</p> <p>Phone: Feza Lusinde 0207 525 1789</p>
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Why we are seeking your views


We are working on a new plan called “Southwark’s autism strategy for children and adults”. We want to hear your views about this. We would like you to tell us what you would find helpful and what you think needs to change.


We have given you the full strategy to look at in the document sent with this form. The main points are


	<p>We want children and adults with autism to have good support and services to meet their needs.</p> <p>We will do this by making sure professionals understand autism, and that there is a choice of services and support.</p> <p>The government wants all local areas to have an autism strategy.</p>
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	<p>We want you to think about the services and support that you need to help you now, and what you might need in the future.</p>
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What is our strategy?


	<p>We think that everyone with autism should be able to get the support and services they need.</p> <p>This includes being able to get an assessment and diagnosis for autism.</p> <p>It also includes being able to get access to services such as education, social care, health housing and employment.</p>
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	<p>We want to improve the understanding and knowledge of professionals (give examples of who?) so that they can better support people with autism.</p>
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	<p>We also want to make local communities more autism-friendly. We want people with autism to feel safe and happy in their local areas and feel a part of their communities.</p>
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	<p>We will include people with autism, their families and carers when we are making any decisions about services.</p>
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What happens next?

 <p>Report</p>	<p>We will write a report based on what you tell us.</p> <p>We will give the report to the Council's cabinet and the CCG's board and use it to help us write the autism strategy for Southwark.</p>
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	<p>We will publish the autism strategy in January 2016.</p>
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What do you think about our strategy?

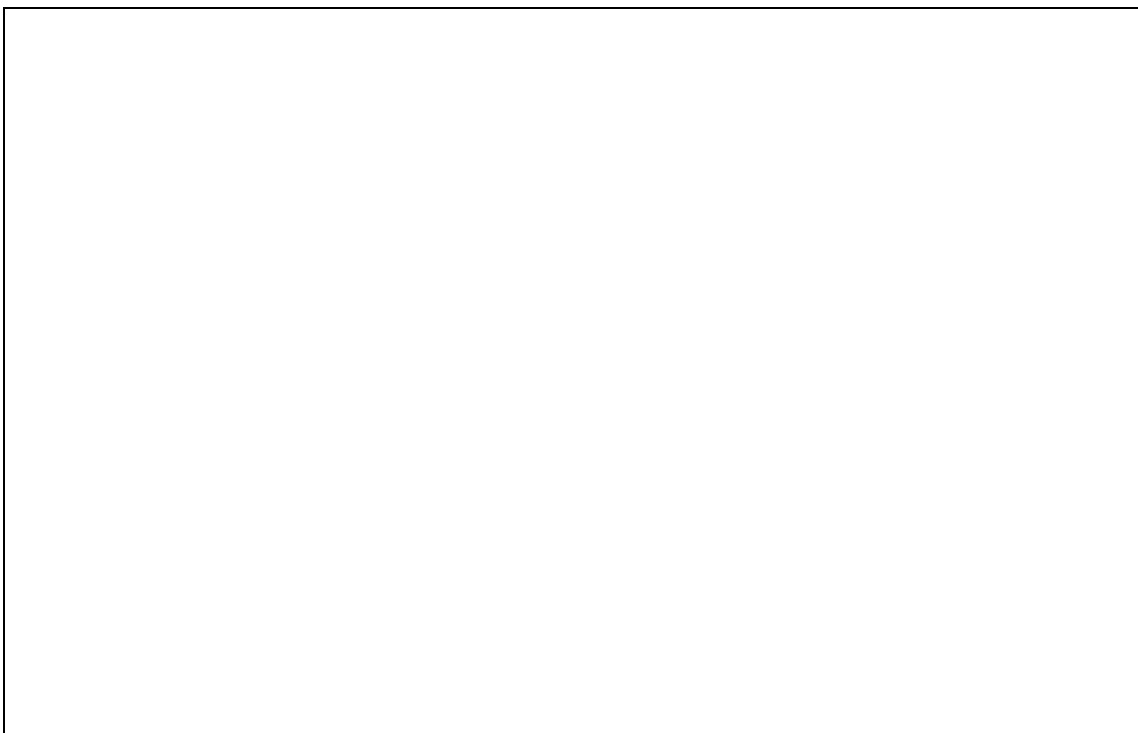
	<p>What I like:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1.2.3.4.
	<p>What I don't like:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1.2.3.4.
	<p>What I'm not sure about:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1.2.3.4.

Please answer the questions on the following pages. We will use what you say to help us.

What do you like about autism services and support that you get at the moment?)



What should change?



How can we make sure that autism services in Southwark help people to lead independent lives through jobs, education, community inclusion and friendships and sports and leisure?

Jobs

What help do you get now with working / finding a job?

What support would you like to see in the future?

Education

What help do you get now with getting an education?

What help would you like to see in the future?

Community & Friendships

What help do you get now that helps you be a part of your local community and to help you make and keep friends?

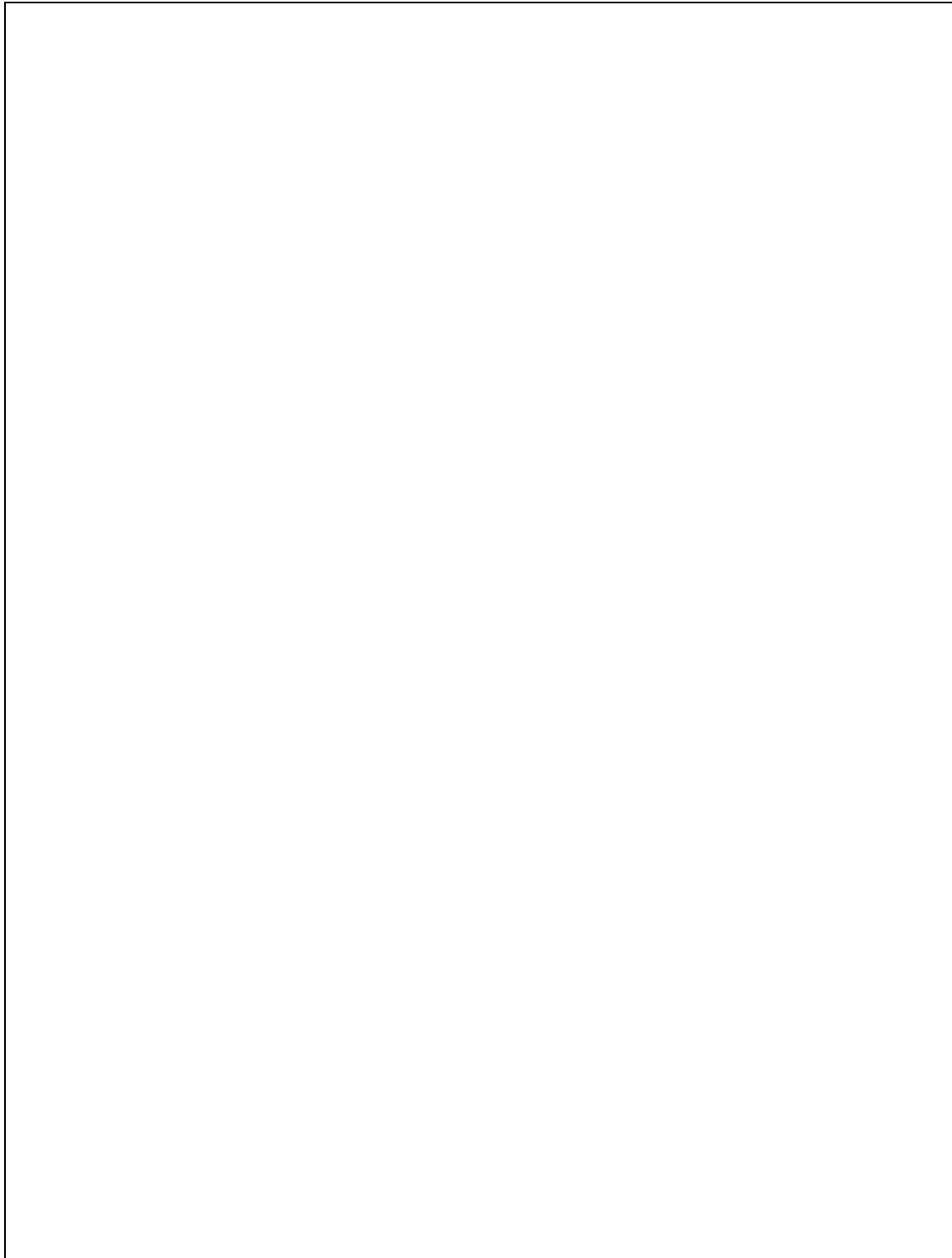
What support would you like to see in the future?

Sports & Leisure

What help do you get now to enjoy sports or leisure?

What support would you like to see in the future?

If you are a family carer looking after someone living with you who has autism, what support do you need to help you continue to care and have a life outside of caring?

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Please tell us a little about yourself

How would you describe your ethnic group? (please tick one box)

White British/Irish <input type="checkbox"/>	Asian or Asian British <input type="checkbox"/>
Another White group <input type="checkbox"/>	Chinese <input type="checkbox"/>
Mixed ethnic group <input type="checkbox"/>	Arab <input type="checkbox"/>
Black or Black British <input type="checkbox"/>	Other ethnic group <input type="checkbox"/>

How old are you? (please tick one box)

16-17 <input type="checkbox"/>	18-24 <input type="checkbox"/>	25-34 <input type="checkbox"/>
35-44 <input type="checkbox"/>	45-54 <input type="checkbox"/>	55-64 <input type="checkbox"/>
65-74 <input type="checkbox"/>	75 -84 <input type="checkbox"/>	85 + <input type="checkbox"/>

Are you (please tick one box)

Male <input type="checkbox"/>	Female <input type="checkbox"/>
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Where you live - Please tell us the first part of your post code

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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I have completed this form as ... (please tick one box)

An adult with autism	<input type="checkbox"/>
A young person with autism	<input type="checkbox"/>
A parent/carer of a child or young person with autism	<input type="checkbox"/>
A parent / carer of an adult with autism	<input type="checkbox"/>
A parent with autism	<input type="checkbox"/>
A person with autism with caring responsibilities	<input type="checkbox"/>
A paid worker	<input type="checkbox"/>
Someone else	<input type="checkbox"/>
An organisation or group (please give name)	<input type="checkbox"/>

Did you get help to fill out this form? (please tick one box)

I filled it out by myself	<input type="checkbox"/>
I had help from a family member / friend	<input type="checkbox"/>
I had help from someone else	<input type="checkbox"/>

Thank you very much for letting us know your views

Please put the form in the envelope we have given you. This envelope does not need a stamp.

Please post it back to us by 23 October 2015