

Partners in Policymaking



This is a guide to help you learn more about the Partners in Policymaking course.

Please contact us if you would like a chat and we can arrange this.

Or email us: info@in-controlscotland.org.uk



What is the programme about?



Partners helps people learn, feel confident and have their voice heard.

Partners helps people to speak up and make things better.

Who is it for?



Partners is for disabled adults and unpaid carers.



Partners is for people who live in Scotland.



What happens at Partners?



You will learn about inclusion.



You will meet people trying to make life better for disabled people and carers.

You will learn new skills.



You will meet new people and make friends.



You will become more confident to try and make life better for disabled people.



Who is running the course?

Partners is delivered by:



Karen



Danielle



Debbie

Where does it take place



The venue is Stirling Court Hotel, Stirling, FK9 4LA.



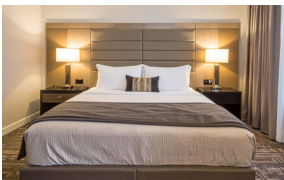
We can help with travel expenses if needed.



How much does it cost?



It is free to attend.



This includes your meals and hotel room.

What if I need support?



You might need extra support to learn.



You might need support to attend.



Please let us know if you need support.

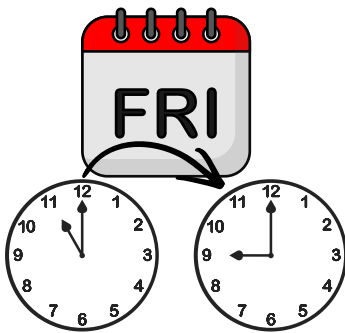


The Programme:



There are 8 weekend sessions.

You must attend all sessions.



Friday we start at 11am and finish at 9pm.



Saturdays we start at 9am and finish at 4pm.

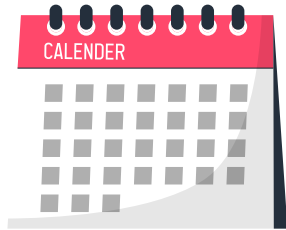


We have lots of breaks.

We work hard but have fun.



Session dates and topics



Weekend 1.

Friday 18th & Saturday 19th September 2026.
The topic is Understanding why things are the way they are.



Weekend 2.

Friday 9th & Saturday 10th October 2026.
The topic is Person-centred planning and Self-directed support.



Weekend 3.

Friday 27th & Saturday 28th November 2026.
The topic is Inclusive Learning.

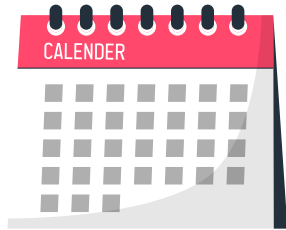


Weekend 4.

Friday 11th & Saturday 12th December 2026.
The topic is Thinking about home.



Session dates and topics



Weekend 5.

Friday 22nd & 23rd January 2027.

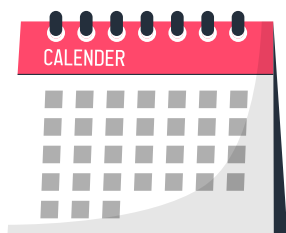
The topic is Employment, Training and Housing.



Weekend 6.

Friday 19th & 20th February 2027.

The topic is Rights and Self-Advocacy.



Weekend 7.

Friday 5th & Saturday 6th March 2027.

The topic is Making change happen locally.



Weekend 8.

Friday 26th and 27th March 2027.

The topic is Making changes at national level.



What do I do now?



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2015 - 2016



2016 - 2017



2017 - 2018



2018 - 2019



2019 - 2020

