

**YOUR DAY
YOUR SAY**

Sefton Council 

Your Day, Your Say 2025. Consultation about your day opportunities.



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Introduction Your Day Your Say 2025.



A few years ago, from 11th October 2021 to 9th January 2022, Sefton Council collected your thoughts on Day Opportunities.

There were surveys and meetings, both in-person and online.

[We put all the ideas in a report. You can read the report on Sefton Council's website.](#)



We want to carry on with developing day opportunities in Sefton.

We want to know if your opinions have changed. To help with this, we've made a new short survey.



This survey is based on what you previously told us. That information is still useful and being used in this work.

But having a new survey gives you the chance to share any new ideas.



The information you give us will be used to tell us what services need to be available in the future.

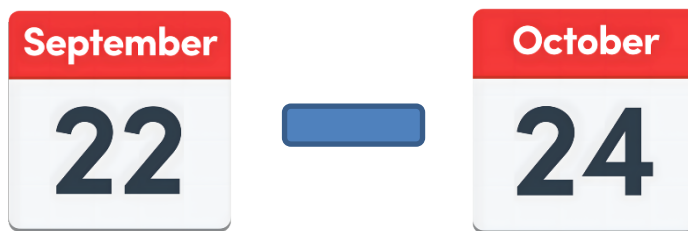
Your ideas will be used as part of our strategy or plan for the day opportunities in Sefton.



We share how we keep your information safe in the privacy notice at the end of these questions.



The consultation will start on:
Monday 22nd September and end on
Friday 24th October 2025.



You can get involved by filling in the questionnaire on the computer. Go to [Your Sefton Your Say Day Opportunities Consultation 2025](#) or scan this QR code.

Or look on the website Your Sefton Your Say for the day opportunities consultation called Your Day Your Say 2025.

You can fill in a paper copy available from your day service.



Or call phone 0151 934 3253 and ask for a paper one to be sent to you.

The paper questionnaires will have a prepaid envelope to send it back to us.



You can also give us your views over the phone by calling 0151 934 3253.



You can give us your views in an email.

Email yourseftonyoursay@sefton.gov.uk

About you.



The following questions are about you, so we know how you are involved in day opportunities.

Q1. I am filling this form in (please tick one box): -

☐

For myself (who uses a day service).

☐

On behalf of someone else.



Q2. If on behalf of someone else, what is your relationship to them?

☐

Husband, wife or partner.

☐

Parent, family member or carer of someone who uses a day service.
– **please also complete Q 15 – 18.**

☐

Friend

☐

Paid Carer or support worker

☐

Other. Someone else who is interested - please tell us more.



Last time we asked people what day opportunities meant to them. The questions are based on what we were told. Please tell us what you think.



Day Services.

Q3. Day services are **social places** where people can make friends, socialise, and enjoy being together.

What do you think:

☐

Agree.

☐

Disagree.

☐

Not Sure.

Tell us more:



Q4. People liked the **activities at day services**, like dance, music, arts and crafts, gardening, caring for animals.

What do you think:

☐

Agree.

☐

Disagree.

☐

Not Sure.

Tell us more:



Q5. Some people want more **activities in the community** with support.

What do you think:

- ☐ Agree.
- ☐ Disagree.
- ☐ Not Sure.

Tell us more:



Q6. Some people wanted to do **activities at other times**. What times would you like activities to be available? (Tick all that apply to you).

- ☐ Daytime Monday to Friday.
- ☐ Evening Monday to Friday.
- ☐ Daytime at the weekend.
- ☐ Evenings at the weekend.
- ☐ Evenings in the summer.

Tell us more:



Q7. People want to **be active** and try sports and other physical activities.

What do you think:

- ☐ Agree.
- ☐ Disagree.
- ☐ Not Sure.

Tell us more:



Q8. Young People wanted more access to further **education, qualifications, volunteering and training** to get a job.

What do you think:

- ☐ Agree.
- ☐ Disagree.
- ☐ Not Sure.

Tell us more:



Q9. Transitions means growing up to become an adult. **Transitions support** needs to improve for young people with low or moderate needs.

What do you think:

- ☐ Agree.
- ☐ Disagree.
- ☐ Not Sure.

Tell us more:



Transport.

Q10. Some people were worried about the **cost of transport** on top of what is already paid to attend a day service.

What do you think:

- ☐ Agree.
- ☐ Disagree.
- ☐ Not Sure.

Tell us more:





Q11. Some people said they would like **help and training to use transport** by themselves.

What do you think:

☐

Agree.

☐

Disagree.

☐

Not Sure.

Tell us more:



Q12. Some people wanted **more transport for day trips** out.

What do you think:

☐

Agree.

☐

Disagree.

☐

Not Sure.

Tell us more:

Accessibility.



Q13. Some people raised concerns that community facilities in and around Sefton are **not accessible**.

What do you think:

- ☐ Agree.
- ☐ Disagree.
- ☐ Not Sure.

Tell us more:



Q14. Some people said there are not enough **adult changing and toilet facilities** in the community for people with a disability.

What do you think:

- ☐ Agree.
- ☐ Disagree.
- ☐ Not Sure.

Tell us more:



Family Carers.

Q15. Carers told us they wanted to ensure that their **needs as carers** are recognised.

What do you think:

☐

Agree.

☐

Disagree.

☐

Not Sure.

Tell us more:



Q16. Carers of **young people** told us they wanted to see **more community activities** available.

What do you think:

☐

Agree.

☐

Disagree.

☐

Not Sure.

Tell us more:



Q17. Carers of **Young People** wanted more access to further **education, qualifications, volunteering and training** to get a job.

What do you think:

- ☐ Agree.
- ☐ Disagree.
- ☐ Not Sure.

Tell us more:



Q18. Some carers told us that they want to see **flexibility of activities**. Activities that are a few hours long, with different start times, particularly for those who, due to their condition, are not early risers.

What do you think:

- ☐ Agree.
- ☐ Disagree.
- ☐ Not Sure.

Tell us more:





Direct Payments.

Direct payments are funds that a local authority provides to an individual. This money lets people pay for their own care and support instead of the local authority arranging it for them. This way, people can choose how and when they get the help they need, making it easier to fit their needs.



You can find more information about [Direct Payments on the Sefton Carers Trust website](#)

Q19. Would you like to **use direct payments** instead of having the local authority provide your day-to-day activities?



☐ I already use a direct payment for day opportunities.



☐ I would like to know more about receiving a direct payment for day opportunities.



☐ I do not want direct payments; I want to keep things the same as they are now.

Other information.



Q20. Is there anything else you want to share about Day Opportunities?



When the survey is finished, we will make a report to share what people said.

Q21. If you want a copy of this report, please give us your contact details:

Name:

Address:

Email address:

Some Questions About You.



You don't have to answer these questions if you don't want to. All your answers are kept secret. We put all the answers together. Your answers cannot tell us who you are.

We want to make sure we include everyone. So, your answers are very helpful to us.



1. Are you okay with giving your details as explained the privacy notice?

Yes. ☐ No. ☐

2. How old are you?



Under 18. ☐ 18-29. ☐ 30 – 39. ☐
40 – 49. ☐ 50 -59. ☐ 60 – 69. ☐
79 – 79. ☐ 80 -84. ☐ 85+. ☐
Prefer not to say. ☐

3. Sex.

☐

Male.

☐

Female.

☐

Prefer not to say.



4. Is the gender you identify with the same as your sex registered at birth?

☐

Yes.

☐

No.

☐

Prefer not to say.



5. Do you currently live as your birth sex?

☐

Yes.

☐

No.

☐

Prefer not to say.



If no, please tell us your gender identity?

6. Relationships - How would you describe your sexual orientation?

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Heterosexual or straight.

☐

Gay/Lesbian.

☐

Bisexual.

☐

I identify differently.

☐

Prefer not to say.



Please tell us how you identify.



Children and young people are cared for by the Council when they cannot live with their family. The Council looks after them like a parent would.

7. Are you cared for by Sefton Council?

☐

Yes.

☐

No.

☐

Prefer not to say.



8. Have you ever been cared for as a child by Sefton Council or any other council?

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Yes.

☐

No.

☐

Prefer not to say.



9. Disability - Do you have any of the following?



Physical Impairment.

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Visual Impairment.

☐

Hearing impairment or Deaf.

☐



Learning difficulty.

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Learning disabilities.

☐

Autism Spectrum Conditions.

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Long-term illness that affects you daily life.

☐

Dementia.

☐

Mental Health Condition.

☐

Prefer not to say.

☐

If you have Cancer, diabetes, or HIV this is seen as a disability under the Equalities Law. Or you have selected any of the boxes in question 16.



10. Do you think of yourself as disabled?

☐

Yes.

☐

No.

☐

Prefer not to say.



11. What is your religion or belief?



No religion or belief.

☐

Christian.

☐

Hindu.

☐

Muslim.

☐

Jewish.

☐

Sikh.

☐

Buddhist

☐

Prefer not to say.

☐

Other.

☐

Please tell us:

12. Race and ethnicity - do you identify as:



Prefer not to say.

☐

White.

☐

English.

Welsh.

Scottish.

Northern Irish.

British.

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Irish.

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Gypsy or Irish Traveller.

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Roma.

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Polish

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Portuguese

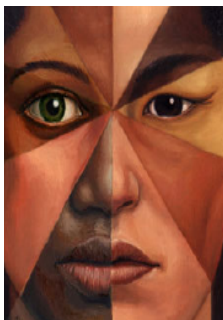
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Latvian.

☐

Other white background.

Mixed and Multiple Ethnic groups.

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White and Black Caribbean.

☐

White and Black African.

☐

White and Asian.

☐

Other mixed ethnic background.

Asian or Asian British.

☐

Indian.

☐

Bangladeshi.

☐

Pakistani.

☐

Chinese.

☐

Other Asian backgrounds.

Black or Black British.

☐

African.

☐

Caribbean.

☐

Other Black, African, Caribbean backgrounds.

Other Ethnic Group.

☐

Arab.

☐

Other Ethnic background. Please tell us.



Thank you for filling in this form.

This information will **not** be able to tell us who you are.
But it will help us to understand if we are missing people out.



Sefton Council Day Opportunities 2025. Privacy Notice



Sefton Council would like to tell you about our Privacy Notice for the **Day Opportunities Consultation 2025.**

This Easy Read privacy notice for the Day Opportunities Consultation will explain **the personal information we collect.**

In this questionnaire we will collect information about:



What personal information we collect.

In this consultation's equality monitoring questions, we collect information listed below:



- IP address. (If completed online this is a computer code to show what computer the information comes from).
- Name.
- Email address.
- Telephone number.
- Age.
- Sexuality.
- Gender.
- Care experience.
- Disability.
- Religion.
- Race or ethnicity.



Why we collect and use this information.

Sefton Council are asking people to have their say about Day Opportunities in Sefton.

IP addresses that identify computers.



- The IP addresses are collected to make sure only one response per resident is received.
- Once this is checked the IP address information is deleted.



Personal information.

- We are collecting name, email address and telephone number so we can share the report with you if you want.



Equalities Questions.

These are collected to show what groups of people are responding to the questionnaire.

This also lets us know if we need to use different ways to contact groups of people who are not responding.



How long we keep your information.

The IP address will be deleted immediately after the checks are done.

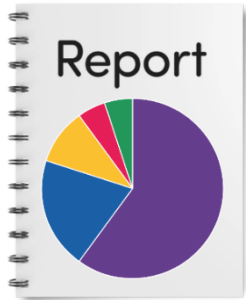
The personal information will be kept until the coproduction activity is completed.



The equalities information will be kept until the information has been looked at and a report written.

How we use the information and who we share the information with.

The information collected in this questionnaire will only be used as numbers in the report.



Storing the information.

All information is kept safe.

Sefton Council follows the laws around data protection.



The laws.

We need to make sure we

- Only ask the questions we need to in the questionnaire.
- Ask the equalities questions.



The law says we must ask and act on this information.

It helps us to know what groups of people are responding to the questionnaire.

It also helps us to know that we are not missing groups of people.



Confidential.

Your answers will not tell us who you are. The answers will be collected to help us know what people think.





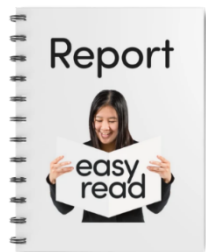
Who will we share this information with?

Your information will not be shared with any other organisations.

Asking to see your personal information.

You can ask to see what personal information we keep about you.

Be aware there are some rules about why some information cannot be shared.



You can refuse to answer any questions in the questionnaire.

If you want to ask to see your personal information you can. Use the Council [website to complete a request form.](#)



Or you can call Sefton Council on 0345 140 0845.



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