

Disability North

Disability North provides free, confidential and independent information on a wide range of disability issues to disabled and older people and anyone with an interest in disability. General information can be given by telephone, email or drop in to the centre. For more in-depth advice it may be necessary to arrange an appointment. The Disability North Service Team provides advice and guidance on benefits (from initial applications to appeals and tribunals), equipment and disability legislation. Appointments can be made to have demonstrations or assessments involving a large range of equipment and is highly recommended if people are considering purchasing equipment or adapting their home. Disability North also provides commercial service which include access audits and advice, disability equality and awareness training and the Direct Payments Payroll service.

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