

Telling It Like It Is Membership Form



**Changing
thinking**



**Changing
practice**



**Changing
lives**

Who we are



Telling It Like It Is is a group of adults with a learning disability.



We work to

- ✓ get our voices heard about things that are important to us
- ✓ and make good changes happen in our lives.

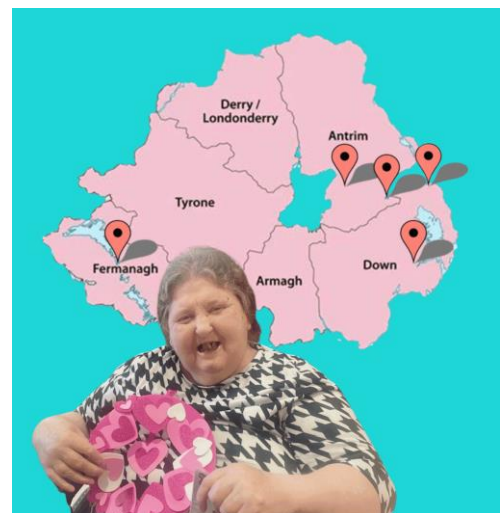
This is called self-advocacy



We support you to build your skills and confidence.

We have TILII Groups in

- Belfast
- Downpatrick
- Enniskillen
- Bangor

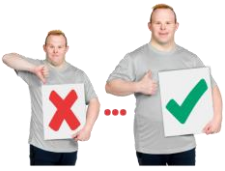


Each group has 2 meetings a month.

Sometimes we ask you to come to other events and meetings to represent TILII.



What we do



Learn new skills

We learn about

- our rights
- keeping yourself safe
- respecting different values and beliefs
- how we can help everyone be part of our communities and
- ways to make change happen.



Train others

We train people with a learning disability about advocacy and how to speak out for themselves.

We train new health and social care staff about our experiences of being supported.

We help staff do their jobs well and make a real difference to our lives.



Film and Report

We make films and write stories through TILII TV and Roving Reports.

- We interview people.
- We tell our stories.
- We ask important questions.
- We share useful information.
- We have good craic!



Make Easy Reads and plain English films

We make hard information easy to understand through our Accessible Information Service, TILII Translates.

We make easy reads and easy to understand films.

We give people the information they need to make decisions and do more for themselves.



Get our voices heard and make change happen
We say what we think.



We answer questions about important things that are happening in Northern Ireland. These are called public consultations.

We take part in research and help to write reports.

We speak at events to tell our stories and say what we think.



We take part in projects to look at new ways of doing things.

If you would like to join TILII please fill in the following form and return them to us.

Any questions, just give us a call.



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Telling It Like It Is (TILII)

Membership Form

Your Contact Information



Your name



Your address and postcode



Your home telephone number



Your mobile number



Your email address



Your date of birth

In Case of Emergency Contact



Who should we contact if there is an emergency?
For example, a family member, friend or support worker.



Their name



Their address and postcode



Their home telephone number



Their mobile number



Their email address



What is your relationship to this person?



Transport

Can you travel to places on your own? For example, unsupported by family or staff.



Yes



No

If your answer is no, tell us how you will get to your TILII meeting.



Medical Information


Is there any medical information we need to know?



Support Information

Please give any information we need to best support you in TILII group meetings.



Are you on Social Media? Tick  any you use.



Facebook



Twitter



Instagram

About you

Tell us about your skills.

Circle the things you would like to do at TILII.



Help train people and give talks



Welcome people



Ask questions



Make videos



Take photos



Talk about yourself and your experiences



Draw or make things



Tell people what you think

Something else? Tell us more.



Name

Signature



Date

Photo and Video Form



This form asks you if it is ok for us to take photos and videos of you.



We want to know if you are happy to be photographed or videoed.

This is called giving your consent.



Please read this form carefully.



If you sign this form you are saying that you are happy for ARC to use photos and videos with you in them.

Why do we take photos and videos?



- Photos and videos of you help ARC to get your stories heard and show people what TILII do.



- They help show what people with a learning disability can do and what is important you.

How will we use your photos and videos?



We will use your photos or videos for our work as an organisation. This may include

- printed materials, for example leaflets



- marketing and publicity materials, for example in newspapers



- social media, for example Twitter



- websites, for example YouTube



When anything is posted on websites or social media people from all over the world can see it.



We may change photos or video from how they looked when they were first taken.



ARC will keep photos/videos for 5 years after you leave the group. They will be archived.

Photos over 5 years old will only be used for historical reasons. For example, an anniversary. We will try and contact for your consent.

Photo and Video Consent Form



Consent is saying that you want to do something or let something happen. You can say yes or no. It is your choice.

Please tick  the boxes and sign this form to give your consent.



I am happy that photos or videos of me are taken and used by the ARC NI.



I understand that photos and videos of me will be used by ARC NI to do our work.

This includes their use in print, project, publicity and marketing materials and use online in websites and social media.

Date



Name

Signature



If signing due to parental or guardian responsibility, please state your relationship to person named: