

Help us to keep your community connected: questionnaire



We are developing an equalities database and would like your help to gather local knowledge about voluntary organisations/groups that relate to ‘protected characteristics.’

The Equality Act 2010 introduced the term “protected characteristics” to refer to groups that are protected under the Act. Protected characteristics are legally defined as:

- age
- gender reassignment
- being married or in a civil partnership
- being pregnant or on maternity leave
- disability
- race including colour, nationality, ethnic or national origin
- religion or belief
- sex
- sexual orientation

We are looking to gather information on the following:

1. Voluntary organisation/group name
2. Main contact name (if known)
3. Email address (provide postal details if email is unknown)
4. Contact number
5. URL link to the voluntary organisation/group’s website or social media page (if known)
6. Which district the voluntary organisation/group is in

7. A short summary about what the voluntary organisation/ group seeks to achieve (if known)
8. Which category(s) the voluntary organisation/group represents (Age, Disability, Gender Reassignment, Marriage and Civil Partnership, Pregnancy and Maternity, Race, Religion or Belief, Rural Isolation, Sex, Sexual Orientation, Socio-economic)

If your town/parish has more than five groups to submit, please use the file upload button at the beginning of the questionnaire to upload a document or database that includes the above information.