

Our ideas about making services fairer and easier to use.

We want to know what you think.

Questionnaire



Tell us what you think

We want to know what you think about our plan.



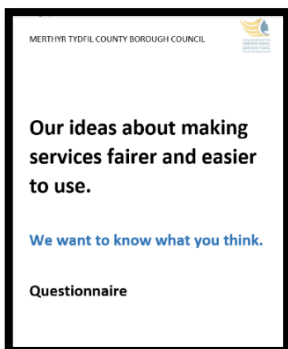
Important

Before you answer the questions read our **Short Summary Easy Read Information**. It tells you what our plans are.



It is on our website

www.merthyr.gov.uk



If you need a paper copy of the questionnaire or help to fill it in you can;



Telephone us

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Visit us or Post

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CF47 8AN



Email us

Equalities@merthyr.gov.uk



**We need your answers back
by 30 October 2023.**



You do not have to answer all of the questions if you do not want to.

How we look after your information



We will not write your name or anything about you next to what you tell us.



If you want to help us with our data you can fill in our equalities monitoring form.



You can read our privacy notice on our website. It tells you what we do with your information and how we keep it private and safe.

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Question 1.

Who are you?

A person who lives in Merthyr Tydfil

A person who works for Merthyr Tydfil Council

A person who is a Councillor in Merthyr Tydfil

A person who has a business in Merthyr Tydfil

A person who works in the community

Other. Please tell us.



Question 2.

We think Merthyr Tydfil should be a place where differences are celebrated and where everyone can take part and be the best they can without feeling like they can't be themselves.

Do you agree with this?

Tick one box.



Yes

I'm not sure

No

Why did you tick this answer?

Question 3.

Do you think we should carry on giving you more opportunities to have your voice heard?

Tick one box.



Yes

I'm not sure

No

Why did you tick this answer?

Question 4.

Do you think we should carry on helping our communities to feel safer to be themselves and stronger together?

Tick one box.



Yes

I'm not sure

No

Why did you tick this answer?



Question 5.

Do you think we should carry on helping people to feel more included where they work and live?

Tick one box.



Yes

I'm not sure

No

Why did you tick this answer?

Question 6.

Do you think we should carry on making sure people are paid fairly no matter who they are?

Tick one box.



Yes

I'm not sure

No

Why did you tick this answer?

Question 7.

Do you think we should carry on making our services easier to use and fair for everyone?

Tick one box.



Yes

I'm not sure

No

Why did you tick this answer?

Question 8.

Have we missed anything from the plan that is important to you?

Tick one box.



Yes

I'm not sure

No

Why did you tick this answer?



Question 9.

Could we do anything different?

Tick one box.



Yes

I'm not sure

No

Why did you tick this answer?



Question 10.

Are there any problems you have when trying to access our services?

Tick one box.



Yes

I'm not sure

No

Why did you tick this answer?



Question 11.

What do you think we could do to be better?



Question 12.

What else could we do to be fairer in the workplace and community?



Question 13.

Should we do anything different?



Question 14.

Do you have any other comments?

Thank you.

Questions about you



We want to treat people fairly.
We are asking these questions because we want to hear from lots of different people.



We will use this information to help us write our new plan.



We will keep your information safe and will not tell anyone else what you have said.



You do not have to answer all of the questions if you do not want to.

Question 2. What is your gender?



Female



Male

I don't describe myself as either.

Please tell us what you prefer.

I don't want to say



Question 3. Is your gender now different to when you were born?

Yes

No

I don't want to say



Question 4. How old are you?

Question 5. What is your sexuality? That means who you fancy?



Gay or Lesbian

Lesbian means a woman who fancies other women.



Gay means a man who fancies other men.



Heterosexual or straight

A woman who fancies men, or a man who fancies women.

Asexual

A person who does not fancy either women or men.

Bisexual
You fancy both men
and women.

Other

I don't want to say

Question 6. Marital status



Married

Civil Partnership

Living with a partner



Single

Separated

Divorced

Widowed

Other

I don't want to say



Question 7. Do you have a disability or long term illness?



Yes

No

I don't want to say

Question 8. If you said yes to question 7 tell us what disability or long term illness do you have.



I have an illness that lasts a long time. This means things like cancer, diabetes and epilepsy



I have a mental health condition. For example depression or anxiety



I have problems moving or walking



I have a social or communication difficulty. This is things like Aspergers Syndrome or Autistism



I have a learning difficulty. This is things like dyslexia or ADHD. It is not the same as a learning disability



I have a learning disability

I am blind or I find it hard to see



I am deaf or I find it hard to Hear

A disability, health condition or learning difference that is not on this list

I don't want to say

Question 9. What language do you speak?



English



Welsh



British Sign Language (BSL)

Other please tell us.

I don't want to say



Question 10. Are you pregnant or have you had a baby in the last year?



Yes

No

This is not a question for me

I don't want to say



Question 10. What is your race or ethnic group?

White

Welsh

English

Scottish

Northern Irish

British

Irish

Gypsy or Irish Traveller

Other White
background Please tell us.

Mixed/Multiple Ethnic Groups



White and Black Caribbean

White and Black African

White and Asian

Other Mixed/Multiple ethnic
background please tell us.

Asian/Asian British



Indian

Pakistani

Bangladeshi

Chinese

Other Asian background
please tell us

Black/African/Caribbean/Black British



African

Caribbean

Other Black background
please tell us

Other Ethnic Group



Arab

Other ethnic background
please tell us.

I don't want to say



Question 11. What is your religion or Belief?

Buddhist

Christian

Hindu

Humanist

Jewish

Muslim

Sikh

No religion

Other religion please tell us.

I don't want to say

**Question 12. What is your full
postcode?**

You do not have to tell us your
postcode. If you do it will help us to
check we are talking to people in
different areas