

Common Assessment Framework (CAF)

for Shropshire

Shropshire Council has been chosen by the department of health and Connecting for Health to create a Common Assessment Framework (CAF) for Shropshire.

Who are we working with?

During the 3 year project we will be working in South Shropshire with:

- Adults with Learning Difficulties
- Carers
- Our partners
- Advocacy groups
- West Mercia Police
- Health partners

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What is it all about?

- Protecting and enabling vulnerable adults
- Sharing information
- Helping service users to develop their own services
- Giving people more choice and control
- Improving communications so agencies don't keep asking the same questions
- More informed decisions in meeting care needs

How will we do it?

- Sharing information electronically with health and other partners
- Creating Emergency Action plans
- Creating Person Centred plans
- Using NHS numbers as the common identifier
- Online Self and Supported Assessments