Service user consultation from the Learning Disability Partnership Board, January 2017

Who would you like to live with?

I live with my mum but recently my mum had a long holiday and so I've had a taste of what it might be likes to live on my own. I would like to do this now

I live with my wife now in Husbands Bosworth and before this I lived with my mum and dad.

I've lived in my council flat for 20 years. My partner has now moved in

I live in my own flat (x5 responses)

What would you tell people about living independently?

I recently moved into my own flat. You need confidence to become independent.

I'm part of the locality group as this has helped me to know who to tell my problems to, like the police and borough council

What is important to you about where you live?

I want to stay in the village that I live in as I have good friends, the church and know the bus routes to help me stay independent.

I have recently moved out of my flat back to my mum's (in a different area). I am now looking to get a flat on my own back in the area I previously lived in.

I wanted to move to an area where I knew people and I found it easy to use public transport to get around. My wife lived close by before she moved in so we both know the area well.

There is space for my mobility car My parents are close by My friend is in the village and my college

Do you worry about anything?

I think it's difficult to get the right flat and house which can be adapted to your needs.

I think it's wrong that I'm always telling people/agencies that they need to make their complaints systems and forms easier to understand

I have problems with school children and neighbours. It was hard to get things in the house fixed, it should be easier My parents worried about me! I sometimes have trouble when I go into town