



# What is the Safety in Town Scheme?



The scheme has been developed by Learning Disability Partnership Boards across Lancashire. It includes partners like Self Advocacy in Lancashire, Lancashire Constabulary, Lancashire County Council and others.



The scheme is about making our towns feel safer for people.



Cafe



Church

Libraries, shops, bus stations and other well known places in town will be Safety in Town places.



Supermarket



Newsagent



Safety in Town places will provide people with somewhere welcoming to go for help.



Safety in Town will help people feel safer knowing there is support if they need it.

## How would Safety in Town places help?



A Safety in Town place is where you would be welcomed and offered support.



A Safety in Town place would

be welcoming and understanding



be a place to wait until help arrives



call family, friends or support workers to come to help you



call the Police if a crime has happened.

It may help you report a hate crime or incident.

A hate crime is when someone has threatened or bullied you because of who you are.

## How will it work?



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These places should be somewhere well known and easy for people to get to when in town.



Safety in Town places will have a sticker in their window so that people will know it is part of the scheme.



Safety in Town places will be given tips on how to support people who come to them for help.



People can have a Safety in Town card.

You can use the card to keep your important information handy.



Libraries across Lancashire are part of the Safety in Town Scheme.



The Safety in Town Scheme is about people working together to support each other.

There is a directory of all the Safety in Town places on our website.



If you want more information or training about the Lancashire Safety in Town scheme, hate crime or learning disability awareness please phone:



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