

Reclaim Social Care

Campaigning for social support, independent living and care

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP FORM

We are a non-party political campaigning organisation involving disabled people, carers, trade unionists, activists, academics and health and social care professionals and workers. We are a coalition of individual members and affiliated organisations.

We are calling for a universal system of social care and support based on a universal right to independent living which should be:

- Free at the point of use
- Fully funded through progressive taxation
- Subject to national standards based on article 19 of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of Disabled People, addressing people's aspirations and choices and with robust safeguarding procedures.
- Publicly and democratically run, designed and delivered locally and co-productively involving Local Authorities, the NHS and service users, disabled people and carers
- Underpinned by a workforce who have appropriate training, qualifications, career structure, pay and conditions.
- Committed to giving informal carers the rights and support they need.

We urge individuals to become involved and join our campaign to fight against the cuts in social care and support and for a radical change in the way social care is delivered. You can join as an individual member for £5 per year which entitles you to attend Reclaim Social Care meetings, to vote, and to receive communication about our events and policy discussions. If you are a member of a trade union, campaign, other organisation ask them to affiliate too (see separate form).

We have kept the membership fee low to ensure we are as inclusive as possible. However, we ask those who can afford it to consider a donation in addition to the membership fee. We need funds for the campaigning work including leaflets, posters, and room hire for meetings.

Overleaf is the membership form and a series of questions about how you could help Reclaim Social Care that we would like you to complete.

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INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP (please complete all sections of the form)

Name _____

Address _____

Email _____ Telephone _____

I agree to being contacted by Reclaim Social Care by– See Privacy Policy for more detail.

Post SMS/Text email Telephone call (please tick)

I agree to pay annual membership fee to Reclaim Social Care of £5. In addition, I agree to donate £_____ towards Reclaim Social Care campaign.

I will pay £_____ by cheque ____ BACS ____ PayPal payment ____ (tick payment method)

Date form completed _____

You can make direct payments online to our Lloyds Bank account:

Sort Code 30-90-99, Account Number 31442068 but **please email**

reclaimsocialcare@gmail.com to let us know how much you have paid.

Or you can make a payment by PayPal by pressing the donate button.

Or make out a cheque to **Reclaim Social Care and send with this form to Reclaim Social Care, 11 Regina Drive, Leeds, LS7 4LR**

HOW YOU CAN HELP RECLAIM SOCIAL CARE

Do you have any links with any local or national organisations that could be helpful to Reclaim Social Care? Please provide details below of the organisations that you are involved with(insert text)

Trade union _____ Campaign _____

Political Organisation _____ Other organisation _____

Workplace _____

Do you have any particular areas of expertise, knowledge, or experience relating to social care and support that you would like to share with us?

Please provide details _____

Would you be prepared to become involved in a Reclaim Social Care working group to develop policy around the above? Yes/No

Would you be interested in helping to organise Reclaim Social Care nationally by helping with meetings, events, administration, social media, communication?

Please detail _____

Would you be interested in setting up a local Reclaim Social Care organisation? Yes/No

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO reclaimsocialcare@gmail.com or post to Reclaim Social Care, 11 Regina Drive, Leeds, LS7 4LR