



# About us and our work





#### **About us**

We are Transport for All. We are a charity run by disabled people.



Our job is to make **transport** better for all disabled people.

**Transport** means ways of travelling around. Things like buses, trains and taxis.



At the moment, our streets and transport in the UK are not always **accessible** for disabled people.

**Accessible** means easy for everyone to use.



This means disabled people do not travel around as much as other people.



We want to get rid of things that stop disabled people from travelling around easily.

Things like no lifts in stations or roads that are hard for wheelchair users.



We want all disabled people to have good transport and be able to get around easily.



#### What we do

We tell people why it is important to make using transport easier and better for disabled people.



People can join our charity. They are called **members**.



We work together with our members to fight for change and stand up for disabled people's **rights**.

Your **rights** are things you are allowed to do and how you should be treated by other people.



To try to make change happen, we talk to:

 the Government. The Government are the people who run the country



businesses and shops



people in the community



# The people we speak up for

We speak up for all disabled people. This includes people who:



have a learning disability



are neurodivergent. We say it like this: new-row-die-ver-jent

**Neurodivergent** means your brain works in a different way to most people. You might be autistic or have ADHD



 are deaf or cannot see very well, even with glasses on



 are ill for a long time or who have a disability when they get older



need support with their mental health

**Mental health** is how you feel in your mind and how you cope with everyday life.

# Values 1 —— 2 —— 3 —— 4 ——

#### **Our values**

Our **values** are what we believe in. They help us with our work.

We have 4 values.



#### 1. We are strong

We are not scared to stand up for what we believe in. We will speak up and tell people the truth.



We will fight to make change happen and make a plan to do this.



### 2. We are stronger together

Our organisations has lots of members. They are part of everything we do.



We work together with disabled people who use transport. They are part of any plans or choices we make.



We work together with lots of other groups and organisations to get things done.



#### 3. We are experts

An expert is someone who knows a lot about something. We know lots transport and how it can be made fairer for disabled people.



We work hard and are honest about what we do.

## 4. We are proud of who we are



We are proud to be run by disabled people. We ask people to respect our values if they want to join us



We make sure we think about the everyone's needs in all our work



We do the best job we can as a small charity



We fight for change in lots of different ways. We find ways for everyone to join in.

Things like writing an email, holding a protest march or making a piece of art.

#### **Priorities**

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## **Our priorities**

We have 5 big things we want to do in our work. We call these things our **priorities**.



# Priority 1: Better transport for communities

We want all disabled people to have the right information and support they need to travel.



#### We will:

 offer support to disabled people if they are having problems with transport



 support our members to help each other to use transport. This is called peer support



 give people information and advice on our website



# Priority 2: Better and fairer transport

We want disabled people to be included in any talks and choices about transport.



#### We will:

 find out what disabled people think about transport and how it can be made better

We will do this by talking to people and asking them to fill in questionnaires.



 tell the people who have the power to make change happen what we found out

People like local councillors and transport bosses.



# Priority 3: Training and support for people who work in transport

We want to give good training to people who work in transport on how to treat people fairly.



The training will tell staff what the law and rules are. It will say why everyone must be treated fairly.



We have given this training to lots of transport staff already.



#### Priority 4: A fairer world

We help disabled people have their voices heard.



We tell people about what we do online and in the **media**. **Media** means things like TV, films, radio, magazines and newspapers.



We want even more people to know why we need to make transport better for disabled people.



## Priority 5: Work in a fair way

We will include disabled people and treat everyone fairly in all of our work.



## For more information

For more information about us and the work we do, look at our website: www.transportforall.org.uk