



Further to your information request FOI/EIR 25/26-084, please find your question and our response below.

**Request:**

I am writing to seek information on your authority's approach to disability issues. I would be grateful if you could respond to the following questions under the Freedom of Information Act.

1. Has your authority adopted the social model of disability in its practices?
2. If yes to Q1, has this been formally adopted at a council meeting or similar?
3. Have your staff and councillors been trained in disability awareness, including the social model of disability?
4. Do your equality impact assessments include reference to the social model of disability and its implications for policy decisions?
5. Does your authority employ an access officer or similar (e.g. access design officer or disabilities officer) to provide advice to officials and others about access standards and design? If yes, please provide the specific job title.
6. Does your authority have a policy or charter covering accessible streets for disabled people, for example a Streets Charter, accessible streets policy or similar? If so, please can you provide a copy.
7. Is your authority part of the Disability Confident scheme? If so, at what level - Committed, Employer, Leader?

**Response:**

1. No
2. n/a
3. No, only more general equality and inclusion training
4. No
5. No
6. Information Not Held. This responsibility would fall under the remit of Cambridgeshire County Council
7. No

This concludes your request FOI/EIR 25/26-084.

If information has been refused, please treat this as a Refusal Notice for the purposes of the Act.

If you disagree with our decision or are otherwise unhappy with how we have dealt with your request in the first instance you may approach [foi@eastcambs.gov.uk](mailto:foi@eastcambs.gov.uk) and request a review. A request for review must be made in no more than 40 working days from the date of this email.

Should you remain dissatisfied with the outcome you have a right under s50 of the Freedom of Information Act to appeal against the decision by contacting the Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow SK9 5AF.