



Coronavirus and People with Learning Disabilities Study
What we know about Support when someone dies
September 2021

What is this study about?



This study is about coronavirus (also called COVID-19) and people with learning disabilities.

We talked to 489 adults with learning disabilities. We talked to people living in England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland.



280 family carers or paid supporters of people with severe or profound multiple learning disabilities also gave us information.



This report is about what we have found in July and August 2021.

Death and COVID-19



27% of people with learning disabilities were close to someone who died during COVID-19



When someone who is close to you dies, people might need professional help



Only 6% of people with a learning disability had help from a professional

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