

Improving the mental health of the population: Towards a strategy on mental health for the European Union – Green Paper

Capability Scotland is the country's leading disability organisation working for a just Scotland. We work with disabled people, family members and carers to influence legislation, policy, practice and attitudes. We also work with children, adults and families living with disability to support them in their everyday lives. We are skilled in working with a range of statutory and voluntary sector agencies and local communities to design flexible care packages which meet health, social care, education and leisure needs.

We welcome the opportunity to ensure the views and experiences of our organisation and the people we work with are fully included in the development of policy and legislation.

On this occasion we feel that a mental health specific organization such as the Scottish Association for Mental Health (SAMH) is best placed to respond to your consultation.

However, Capability Scotland has a great deal to contribute in any discussion that affects disabled peoples lives, and we would welcome the opportunity to be involved in any future consultation.

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