

# NaCSILS MOTION

## Campaign for a National Care Support and Independent Living Service

England's social care is broken

- 26% fewer people are supported than in 2010, while demand soars
- People face isolation, indignity, maltreatment, neglect and barriers to inclusion and independent living which breach the UN Convention on the Rights of Disabled People
- Most care and support is marketised, privatised and unstable
- Disabled and older people in need of social care and support face high charges, leaving thousands in poverty
- Care and support doesn't reflect users' needs, wishes and diversity. It gives them little say in designing, planning and running services and side-lines their collective expertise
- Staff wages, training and conditions are at rock bottom – annual staff turnover is over 30%
- 8 million unpaid, overworked family carers, including children and older relatives, provide vital support

**This (*organisation/party branch/union branch etc.*) demands the Government establish a new National Care, Support and Independent Living Service (NaCSILS) which is:**

- ❖ Publicly funded, free at the point of use
- ❖ Publicly provided, not for profit
- ❖ Nationally mandated but designed and delivered locally
- ❖ Co-produced with service users and democratically accountable
- ❖ Underpinned by staff whose pay and conditions reflect true value and skills
- ❖ Designed to meet the needs of informal carers
- ❖ Informed by a task force on independent living led by user controlled groups from diverse backgrounds

*The NaCSILS campaign has been set up by Keep Our NHS Public, Reclaim Our Futures Alliance of Disabled People's Organisations, the Socialist Health Association, Act 4 Inclusion ( previously Reclaim Social Care ) with the National Pensioners Convention, the Women's Budget Group, Health Campaigns Together, Doctors in Unite, PCS Retired Members, Greater Manchester Association of TUCs et al.*

Please contact [nacsilservice@gmail.com](mailto:nacsilservice@gmail.com) to let us know if your organisation passes the motion and consider affiliating your organisation to NaCSILS. It only cost £50 and helps to spread the word and build the campaign. You can also join as an individual supporter for free. See:

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