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National Assembly for Wales
Draft Autism (Wales) Bill
Online Survey DAB30
Evidence from Online Participant 30

Please refer to questions in the [Online Survey](#).

Question	Answer
01	Yes The spectrum is so wide and as a mum of a severely autistic child, I feel my son doesn't get as much help as is needed. When you have programmes on such as the A word it doesn't show the severe side of autism and people just think oh is that what autism is, it's not that bad then. My son self harm to the extent of breaking his own nose and lashes out at other people, he has to have 2 carers all the time due to his challenging behaviour and he is non verbal which makes him extremely vulnerable. People need to know about this side of the spectrum also .
02	Yes
03	Yes We rely on these authorities to help us wirh our children or adults so they need to do more
04	Yes Something needs to get done desperately so there is more of an understanding and guidelines what to do and more training seriously needs to be given to doctors, schools etc
05	I think a strategy is a good idea as it helps everyone to be on the same page and to know what to do
06	Yes that seems a good time scale to me as it needs to be done properly
09	Yes
10	Yes Yes all of them should definelty be involved as they are crucial to the diagnosis and the help after
12	In my experience a lot of professionals have been scared of my son or not known what to do so I feel they give up, if they want to do their jobs properly they need to help a lot more
13	Yes
14	All of the above
15	It should be written on the Bill.

16	Not sure
17	It should happen all the time. I completely agree with this as I feel some people judge you because of this disability
18	No I think it's a good idea as a lot more really needs to get done now for autism
19	There need to be more schools as there are hardly any or children get excluded from them if they have challenging behaviour. Doctors need to have a much better understanding and social services Autism should be seen as a lifelong disease as when parents