

National Sensory Impairment Partnership

ONLINE TRAINING EVENT

FACT SHEET



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The Equality Act 2010 and Educational Settings- Disability Discrimination and Reasonable Adjustments- The Role of the Tribunal

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1. Clive Dow's Presentation

Equality Act 2010: <https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2010/15/contents>

Education Act 1996: <https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/1996/56/contents>

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2. Brian Lamb's Presentation

Equality Act (see above)

ECHR Guidance on reasonable adjustments: <https://www.equalityhumanrights.com/en/advice-and-guidance/what-are-reasonable-adjustments>

SEND Code of Practice (2015): <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/send-code-of-practice-0-to-25>

DFE Guidance on school exclusions: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/school-exclusion>

School Exclusion Guidance for Parents: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/school-exclusions-guide-for-parents/a-guide-for-parents-on-school-behaviour-and-exclusion>

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ECHR Guidance on Reasonable Adjustments (England): <https://www.equalityhumanrights.com/en/publication-download/reasonable-adjustments-disabled-pupils>

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Citizens Advice: Disability discrimination in schools in Scotland <https://www.citizensadvice.org.uk/scotland/law-and-courts/discrimination/discrimination-because-of-disability/disability-discrimination-in-schools-s/>

Special Educational Needs Tribunal for Wales: Disability Discrimination in Schools - Preparing a Case Statement A guide for responsible bodies <https://specialeducationalneedstribunal.gov.wales/sites/specialeducationalneeds/files/2019-08/sentw-8.pdf>

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