







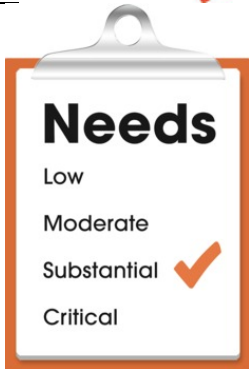





## EASY READ JARGON BUSTER

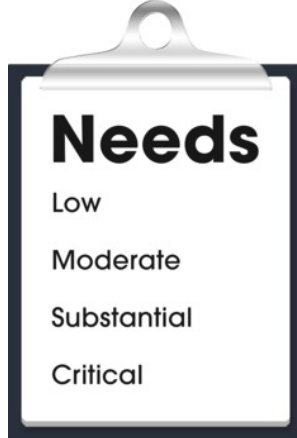
SYMBOL	TERM AND DEFINITION
	<p><b>Abuse</b></p> <p>When someone hurts another person, either physically, by not looking after them, or their money properly, or sexually hurting them.</p>
 <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Adult Social Care</b></p>	<p><b>Adult Social Care</b></p> <p>Care and support services for people who are not able to care for themselves.</p>
	<p><b>Assessment</b></p> <p>When your worker asks you questions about what you need, and talks to you about how to make that happen.</p>
	<p><b>Aids and Adaptations</b></p> <p>Equipment or changes to buildings to help people live in their own homes.</p>
	<p><b>Benefits</b></p> <p>Money from the Government to help you pay for your living costs.</p>
	<p><b>Co-funding</b></p> <p>The amount of money you may need to pay Adult Care towards the costs of your services.</p>

	<p><b>Community Care Services</b> Care services in the community, for example day care, or in your own home, for example personal care.</p>
	<p><b>Direct Payments</b> Money for you from Adult Care to buy your own services.</p>
	<p><b>Eligibility</b> A set of rules that Adult Care use to decide if you have enough needs to be able to get support from the council.</p>
	<p><b>Personal Assistant</b> Someone you employ to support you.</p>
	<p><b>Personal Budget</b> Money for you to pay for services for your assessed needs.</p>
	<p><b>Re-ablement</b> A service to help you gain new skills, or get skills, back after you have been ill or in hospital. This service only lasts at short time.</p>



## Referral

When someone asks a service provider to find out what your needs are.



## Review

To see if your needs have changed. To check the support you are getting is still right.



## Self Directed Support

Choosing how you wish to be looked after and supported.



## Social Worker

An adult care worker who works with individual people and families to make their lives better.



## Support Plan

A written plan which says how you need to be supported and how this will happen