

Guiding Principles



This is a list of the 'Guiding Principles' of ILF Scotland.



The **Guiding Principles** are good ideas that everyone has agreed to stick to. The Guiding Principles are rules that have to be followed when making decisions.



They were decided by the ILF Scotland Working Group.

The new Independent Living Fund for Scotland should:



- Support the idea that barriers in society make things harder for people with disabilities.



- Help people to reach their goals



- Be fair



- Be seen as a good thing by people with disabilities and their carers



- Add more to someone's life, rather than taking the place of something else



- Should be affordable and long lasting



- Support lots of people, and make sure the people who need the most help get it



- Work alongside other laws, like Self-directed Support and welfare powers



- Make it clear who can get money



- Be available to people across the country



- Fit in with support that already exists, not waste time or money