

Becoming a good and responsible individual employer



Good Boss Support Network is a support group for individual employers (IEs) or the people who represent them, across the UK. It is for individuals who use their Social Care Personal Budgets/direct payments (DPs) and/or Personal Health Budgets (PHBs) to employ personal assistants (PAs) to deliver the care and support they need to help them in all areas of independent living. Here, Sebastian Lynn, Admin Assistant, shares his experience of being involved in peer support.

As an individual employer, I have found it challenging to find the right support. However, the Good Boss Support Network has been a game-changer for me. It provides a safe space to share experiences and learn from others who are in a similar position.

One of the main benefits of the network is the access to expert advice. The team offers guidance on everything from legal requirements to financial management, ensuring that I can make informed decisions for myself and my employees.

Another key benefit is the opportunity to build a strong support network. Being able to connect with other individual employers has been invaluable. It allows me to share my own experiences and offer support to others, creating a sense of community and mutual aid.

In addition, the network provides a platform for raising awareness and advocating for the needs of individual employers. By working together, we can ensure that our voices are heard and that the services we need are available to all.

Overall, the Good Boss Support Network has been an essential part of my journey as an individual employer. It has provided me with the support, advice, and community I need to thrive. I highly recommend it to anyone who is looking for a supportive and informative network.

