

4+1 Review Example – Adebola going to church

Scenario – Since Adebola knows so many friends at her local church, she and her support team decided that she no longer needed paid-support at this time, but rather she spent time with her friends and they took over any specific support that she required during church. Adebola has learning disabilities and uses a wheelchair. This practice has been in place for 6 months and Adebola’s team are undertaking a 4+1 questions review.

<p>Tried?</p> <p>Driving Adebola to church and meeting her two best friends Maisy and Atta outside.</p> <p>Handing over any specific/necessary information to Maisy and Atta about Adebola’s support for that day.</p> <p>Picking Adebola up an hour later after the service.</p> <p>Adebola has her own phone if she needs to call.</p> <p>Staff wait in the café down the road from the church.</p> <p>Inviting Maisy and Atta ‘round for tea and cake to get to know them better.</p>	<p>Learned?</p> <p>Adebola is an independent and well respected person at church.</p> <p>Given the opportunity, Adebola is very capable of making friends.</p> <p>Adebola wants to lengthen her time without paid support.</p>
<p>Pleased about?</p> <p>Adebola tells us she enjoys church even more than before.</p> <p>Adebola has become very well known for being herself in the church community</p> <p>Maisy and Atta have never let Adebola down, they are always on time.</p> <p>They have become even closer friends since staff have taken a back-seat.</p> <p>Adebola seems to respect her staff even more for listening to her.</p>	<p>Concerned about?</p> <p>Adebola gets frustrated that she does not spend more time with her friends on Sunday.</p> <p>Adebola would like to do other things in her life without paid-support, such as go to the cinema or theatre.</p>
<p>Do next?</p> <p>Carry on, but lengthen the time to two hours so Adebola can experience tea and coffee after the service with the other church-goers. Staff can drop-off and pick-up.</p> <p>Support Adebola to talk with friends about other interests, such as the theatre and cinema, with a view to organizing regular trips.</p>	