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## **Delivering Social Inclusion**

Social Inclusion is the process of ensuring everyone can access the services they need to participate fully in society.

There are many barriers to inclusion, and we are working to reduce or remove them. We also work with partners to make sure their investment in communities is targeted where it's needed most.

Whilst many residents within the borough enjoy a good quality of life, significant numbers experience some form, or forms, of deprivation, exclusion or abuse.

We have a duty, in the short term, to work with partners on schemes to prevent exclusion.

We also work with all sectors towards the long-term improvement of residents' economic prospects.

Through our community leadership role, we help other agencies have a positive impact on social inclusion, ensuring facilities and services are available to all.

To achieve this, we work with partners on these issues:

