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Consultancy Services

In-House Workshops, Presentations and Other Services

The staff of AbilityNet have over 100 years of combined experience in the use of computers by people with disabling or painful conditions. Their clients include all major government departments and many of the largest companies in the UK, as well as small companies and individuals. This experience can be made available to employers in many different ways.

We offer assessment of individual need, and open enrolment courses, as well as our free advice and information service, but often something additional or more specific will better meet your needs.

- **Would you like to deal more pro-actively, more positively, with “RSI” and the impact of computers on workplace health and safety?**
- **Are you confident that you are able to respond to the letter and the spirit of the Disability Discrimination Act?**
- **Are your IT, Occupational Health and Safety, and Human Resources specialists working together to best effect?**

AbilityNet will tailor its services to meet your needs. The following are a few **examples** of initiatives that have produced practical and effective results:

***A tailored workshop on “RSI”**

A full half day. Involving Occupational Health, IT, line management and workstation assessors. Accent on prevention and minimising risk. Including: free but unused facilities that save strain; positive training options; effective hardware; examples of good and successful practice; demonstrations and case histories.

***A presentation to a management conference**

A session delivered to a large audience, with live demonstrations on a large screen, case histories, and equipment to “touch and feel”. Designed to stimulate new thinking on disability and workplace health issues and, unashamedly, to entertain.

***Planning a pro-active and practical IT response to the Disability Discrimination Act and the requirement for “Reasonable Adjustment”**

IT systems can promote, or defeat “reasonable adjustment”. This participatory workshop included detailed work looking at systems design, provision of alternatives and adaptations, and systems testing to ensure accessibility of systems for all employees ... the legally essential, the “should haves” and the “nice to haves”

We also offer Accessibility, Usability and Design services. Please contact us for further information about these services.

Charges

Standard charges are:

£700 per half day

£850 per full day

+ £20 per participant, to a maximum of £400

+ Travel and expenses.

Discuss Your Needs With Us

Each event is treated as “special”. We would want to tailor content, format and charging to reflect your situation and your needs.

To explore these ideas further, telephone 01926 312847 or email enquiries@abilitynet.org.uk

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