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**Making a difference together: A health toolkit to promote access to healthcare**

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**Aim:** People with intellectual disabilities (ID) often have worse health than other members of the population, but have difficulties accessing healthcare. This study involved the development and evaluation of a bespoke toolkit to facilitate better health access for people with ID. **Method:** A participatory action research framework was used to work with people with ID, families, clinicians and academics across the West Midlands (UK). The project was funded by the West Midlands Education Council, and pre and post evaluation surveys were used to review its usage. **Results:** The toolkit's 40 components support healthcare professionals when caring for people with ID in hospital and community settings. Resources include booklet, leaflets, workbooks, films Power Points and a communication app. **Conclusions:** Toolkits need to be accessible, portable, flexible and cost-effective in order to maximize their true potential and a collaborative approach to toolkit development is crucial throughout to ensure they remain 'fit for purpose'.