## **Participant Snapshot - Hayley**



Hayley is a lively, fun loving and sociable young woman who left school this year. She lives at home with her family and loves swimming, cycling and making music. She has high support needs and needs someone to support throughout the day and night for her to remain safe and well. Hayley also needs assistance with her communication to ensure that those around her understand her.

## Life prior to In Control

Prior to *In Control* Hayley had left school and she and her family were considering her options. They had looked at Hayley leaving home to live at a residential college outside Herefordshire, but she was not offered a place this year. Hayley and her mother became very worried about the options that were available, as the places they had visited did not offer any of the activities or the levels of support that Hayley needed.

### Hayley's goals, and aspirations

Hayley really wants to have a busy life in her local community. She wants the opportunity to go swimming, cycling and to join a music group. She does not want to stay in an unfamiliar place while her mother and father take a break from caring; she is keen to stay only with people she knows well. In the future, Hayley would like to have a home of her own but would like to share this with a friend.

#### **Outcomes**

Hayley and her family worked with a broker to think about her needs and aspirations and agreed a plan for the future.

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Hayley needs help to do all the things she needs to do, so she employs two Personal Assistants, using money from the Independent Living Fund, who assist her to go swimming and cycling. The local Direct Payments Support Service helped Hayley recruit her Personal Assistants.

Hayley applied for a small project grant to set up a music group in her local area, which is great as she loves music and has met lots of new friends through the group.

Hayley used her individual budget from Herefordshire Council to arrange to pay a family friend to offer her a night per week overnight stay to allow her mum and dad a break from caring. Her individual budget also pays for all her daytime activity costs and for Personal Assistant time so that she can access activities at weekends.

Personal support	Annually From the ILF	£19364.80
Respite support	Annually	£7169.76
Sessional Costs	Annually	£4160.00
PA Support for week-ends	Annually	£2904.72
Annual Lump sum	Annually	£547.00
One off Brokerage cost @	Set up fee	£630.00
£25.20 per hour for 25 hrs		
TOTAL OF ALL COSTS		£34776.28
Hereford Council Costs		£ 14,781.48
Income from ILF		£19,364.80

# Traditional Service options - Costs

St Owens Day Centre	5 days per week	£24,845.60
Transport to St Owens	5 days per week	£2,730:00
Respite at Southbank	1 night per week	£8,580.00
Weekend support-	6 hours per weekend	£ 5,304.00
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Total		£ 41, 459.60