

# Darlington Night Time Economy

This questionnaire is for disabled people and their families and/or support workers to complete.

Darlington Borough Council is asking for your help to make the town centre in the evenings (the night time economy) an even more attractive place to visit and to ensure we are meeting the needs of all residents and potential visitors. **Telling us what you think and answering the questions below today will help us make decisions about the night time economy in the future.**

There are other ways to let us know your views if you would prefer. You can answer the same questions...

On line via Survey Monkey

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/8B8B9ZY>



Via e-mail

Andrew.Allison@darlington.gov.uk



By telephoning Andrew Allison on

07384 797779 or 01325 406786



By printing the questionnaire and sending it back by post (address below).



'Face to Face' - ask for a meeting by contacting Andrew Allison.

Thank you for taking the time to share your views,

Andrew Allison

Darlington Borough Council

Community Resilience Officer

Central House Annexe

Gladstone Street

Darlington

DL3 6JX

1. **Is there anything you would like to do in Darlington in the evening that you can't do currently?** (If YES, please tell us in the comment box below)

YES  NO

Tell us what you do now and what you'd like to do...

**We want to know what encourages you to visit Darlington at night and also what barriers might exist that stop you visiting.**

**2. Do you face any barriers getting to the town centre in the evenings?**

If yes, please explain below...(if you want to make further comment than the box size allows, simply use another page)

YES  NO

Tell us about any barriers but also about any positive experiences...

**3. Have you experienced any barriers using the town centre in the evening?**

If yes, please explain below...(if you want to make further comment than the box size allows, simply use another page)

YES  NO

Tell us about any barriers but also about any positive experiences...

4. What do you think could be done to make a positive difference to your experience of Darlington town centre in the evening?

Comments (if you want to make further comment than the box size allows, simply use another page)

**Please help us understand you and your answers by telling us a little bit about yourself.**

How old are you / How old is the person you assist?

- Under 18 years
- 18 – 24 years
- 25 – 34 years
- 35 – 44 years
- 45 – 59 years
- 60 – 75 years
- Over 75 years

Can you please describe how your disability affects you / the person you assist?

(please tick all that apply)

- Mobility impairment
- Visual impairment
- Hearing impairment
- Learning disability
- Mental health
- Long-term limiting illness
- Other
- Prefer not to say

If you have selected 'other' please specify here

What is your sex?

Male  Female  Other  Prefer not to say

If you have selected 'other' please specify here

What ethnic group do you, or the person on whose behalf you are responding, belong to?

- White - English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British
- White – Irish
- White - Gypsy/Irish Traveller
- White – Other
- Mixed / Multiple Ethnic Groups - White and Black Caribbean
- Mixed / Multiple Ethnic Groups - White and Black African
- Mixed / Multiple Ethnic Groups - White and Asian
- Mixed / Multiple Ethnic Groups – Other
- Asian / Asian British – Indian
- Asian / Asian British – Pakistani
- Asian / Asian British – Bangladeshi
- Asian / Asian British – Chinese
- Asian / Asian British – Other
- Black / Black British – African
- Black / Black British – Caribbean
- Black / Black British – Other
- Arab
- Other
- Not sure/ don't know
- Prefer not to say

If you have selected any of the 'other' options above, please specify here:

The information you have provided **anonymously** will be used by Darlington Borough Council, who will share the data with its relevant partners, to inform decisions related to the night time economy and the town centre in Darlington.

Please indicate you consent to Darlington Borough Council using and sharing the data as stated above by ticking the YES box.

YES  NO

✂ .....we will remove the details below from the survey..... ✂

If you would like to be involved in a group that will look at issues that impact on disabled people and their families in Darlington then please tick the YES box and provide a name, telephone number or e-mail address so we can contact you.

You don't have to attend meetings to be part of the group, you can contribute in any way you would like to.

Saying YES at this stage does not commit you to doing anything in the future and you are free to change your mind at a later date. The personal data you provide below will not be linked to the information in the survey, which is anonymous.

"I would like to be contacted about sharing my views about Darlington town centre and issues that impact on disabled people and their families."

YES  NO

Name.....

Telephone.....

E-mail.....

**Further Comments.....**