

How do people with disabilities:  
... experience everyday life?  
... overcome barriers to live independently?  
... make their own decisions about their lives?  
... exercise their right to participation in political and public life?  
... deal with stigma, hostility and hate crime?  
FRA works with disabled people's organisations to help address these and many other issues. To find out more contact FRA at:  
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## FRA and disability rights

## The fundamental rights of people with disabilities

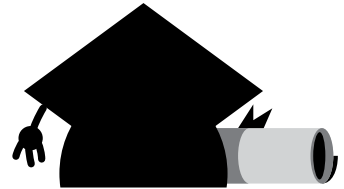


Nothing about us without us



You must not go out on your own!

The person with a disability is the problem.



You don't need an education!



You are sick!



You should not have a relationship!

## The 'unabling' model of disability

## The enabling model of disability



With the right kitchen tools!



With an adapted computer.

The barriers are the problem.



With a personal assistant, friends and/or by taxi.



With an automatic car!

Are you taking the rights approach?