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1. For the purposes of this consultation paper, the term ‘lay people' is used to describe the patients, carers, people who use services, experts by experience, survivors and members of the public who contribute to the development of NICE guidance and quality standards. This includes people with a care or support need, condition or disability; family and friends who provide unpaid care; people who work at voluntary and community sector organisations; and people who have an advocacy role. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)