

## Links - Charities

Link title & URL	Description
<p>AbilityNet - Championing IT for People with a disability</p> <p><a href="http://www.abilitynet.org.uk">www.abilitynet.org.uk</a></p>	<p>AbilityNet is a national charity with centres throughout the UK. We help people with a disability gain access to IT.</p>
<p>Arthritis Research UK</p> <p><a href="http://www.arthritisresearchuk.org/">www.arthritisresearchuk.org/</a></p>	<p>Arthritis causes long term health problems for more than one in seven adults and many thousands of children. arc is the only UK charity wholly dedicated to curing it.</p>
<p>BackCare</p> <p><a href="http://www.backcare.org.uk">www.backcare.org.uk</a></p>	<p>BackCare is an independent national charity that helps people manage and prevent back pain by:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* providing evidence-based information via our website, facts sheets, publications and Talkback magazine.</li> <li>* providing a telephone helpline service</li> <li>* promoting best practice in the prevention and management of back pain</li> <li>* funding research into the causes, treatments and management of back pain</li> <li>* Promoting self-help via our local branches</li> </ul>
<p>Diabetes UK</p> <p><a href="http://www.diabetes.org.uk">www.diabetes.org.uk</a></p>	<p>Diabetes UK is the largest organisation in the UK working for people with diabetes, funding research, campaigning and helping people live with the condition.</p>
<p>Private Physiotherapy Educational Foundation</p> <p><a href="http://www.physiofirst.org.uk/ppef">www.physiofirst.org.uk/ppef</a></p>	<p>It has the following objective:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* The advancement of education in the field of physiotherapy for the benefit of the public, in particular by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ (i) the provision of education and training in physiotherapy to the public at large and in particular: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># (a) to physiotherapy patients to enable such patients to relieve or assist in relieving their own suffering</li> <li># (b) to persons (professionally qualified or not) providing paid or voluntary care to any person in need of physiotherapy</li> </ul> </li> <li>+ (ii) the promotion of research and the dissemination to the public at large of the results of research in the field of physiotherapy</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p>The Stroke Association</p> <p><a href="http://www.stroke.org.uk">www.stroke.org.uk</a></p>	<p>The Stroke Association's main focus is to prevent strokes and to give support to people who have had a stroke and their families through our information and community services.</p>