

Register of Playground Inspectors International

Equal Opportunities Policy

The Register of Playground Inspectors International (RPII) firmly supports the principle of equal opportunities throughout its range of training services and opposes all forms of unlawful or unfair discrimination on the grounds of race, ethnic or national origin, gender, marital status, sexual orientation, disability, class, age, religion or membership of a trade union.

RPII:

1. Seeks to comply fully with the requirements of the Race Relations Act 1976, the Sex Discrimination Act 1975 (as amended) and the Disability Discrimination Act 1995 and will take note of the various codes of practice dealing with the elimination of discrimination and the promotion of equal opportunities. RPII has a positive commitment to equal opportunities beyond legislation and will seek to ensure that all its training services are available equally to all without discrimination.
2. Holds the principle of equal opportunities as central to its strategic development and to its planning and implementation strategies.
3. Recognises that equality is a key aspect of quality assurance and should be addressed as part of the company's standard quality assurance procedures.
4. Recognises that individuals are disadvantaged in society by sexist, racist and other stereotypical expectations.
5. Seeks to counteract this stereotyping and will offer positive images where possible. All staff will be encouraged to become aware of direct and indirect discrimination in their dealings with Candidates and in action planning and delivery.
6. Seeks to ensure that Candidates are placed on programmes which are appropriate to their needs so as to encourage them to meet their full potential and to ensure that all programmes are free from artificial barriers which restrict access and progression. As part of this commitment, RPII will seek to ensure that appropriate support is available to all Candidates.