

This is our health.

Programme Summary

Northern Ireland needs a new conversation about health. One that strengthens people's sense of contribution, builds confidence in what they can do for themselves and each other and helps protect the capacity of the health and care system for the moments when it is most needed. Currently, demand for health and care is rising faster than the system can sustainably meet. On its current trajectory, the gap between rising need and available capacity will continue to widen.

Consider a spectrum of health and care. At one end are the areas where only a professional system can act, such as emergency care, surgery, acute medical intervention, diagnostics, therapies and hospital admission. At the other end are the everyday things that keep people well, such as relationships, movement, food, purpose and community connection. These everyday things are critical to health and wellness, but they don't require and shouldn't rely on the formal system.

If more people feel able and supported to do the small daily things that help them stay well, the system can focus on the areas where professional expertise is essential. This creates greater capacity, resilience and stability over time.

The aim of "This is our health" is to understand what a shared promise, or "deal", between the public and the health and care system might look like. A capacity-building promise where:

- The health and care system protects and invests in the things the public need most, and
- People contribute in the ways they are able to, for themselves, their families and their communities

so that everyone stays as well as possible and between us all we can deliver more.

To shape this responsibly, we need to hear people describe:

- What helps them stay well
- The part of the system they most need us to protect
- What they feel able to contribute by supporting themselves and those around them

The conversations themselves are part of the intervention. When people talk openly and without barriers about what keeps them well, and when they hear themselves say out loud what they can do, their sense of identity and agency shifts. These small shifts, at scale, add up. And when people go on to share these messages through conversations with others, the impact spreads naturally.

Our engagement model is designed around this. We will start early in 2026 with visible, accessible, in-person conversations in public spaces, then extend naturally into peer-to-peer sharing and wider participation through partnerships and digital and media channels.

We will collect thousands of insights to analyse and reflect back to people across Northern Ireland, and we will use these to frame a new "deal" to share in the Autumn. We also hope to hear hundreds of powerful stories that will make this feel very human, real and important as the work evolves.

For more information on This is our health email thisisourhealth@hscni.net

This is our health.

A new relationship between people and the health and care system

This is our health is designed to reshape how people and the health system work together.

It focuses on how people manage their health day to day and what they are willing to do differently in practice. It recognises that most of what shapes our health happens in everyday settings, like at home, with family and in our communities, not just when we use health and care services.

Take part online



<https://consultations2.nidirect.gov.uk/hsc/tiohbhst>

www.thisisourhealth.org.uk

thisisourhealth@hscni.net

If you have any information you would like to share across our Locality Planning Group members in Belfast please email:
LocalityPlanning@belfasttrust.hscni.net



Belfast Area
Domestic & Sexual Violence
and Abuse Partnership



Working Together to End Domestic & Sexual Violence and Abuse

Discover the innovative App that is designed to centralise key information and provide resources, ensuring professionals and those affected by domestic & sexual abuse have quick access to relevant information, support and guidance, as and when they need it.

- Early Help as and When it's Needed
- Innovative Support Helping Create Safer Communities
- Working in Partnership to Support Those Affected by Abuse

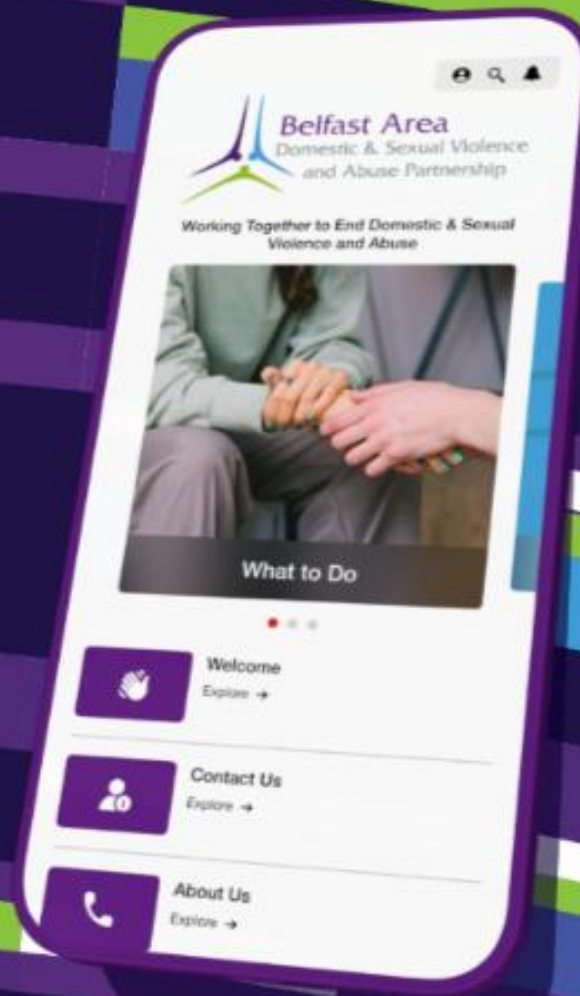


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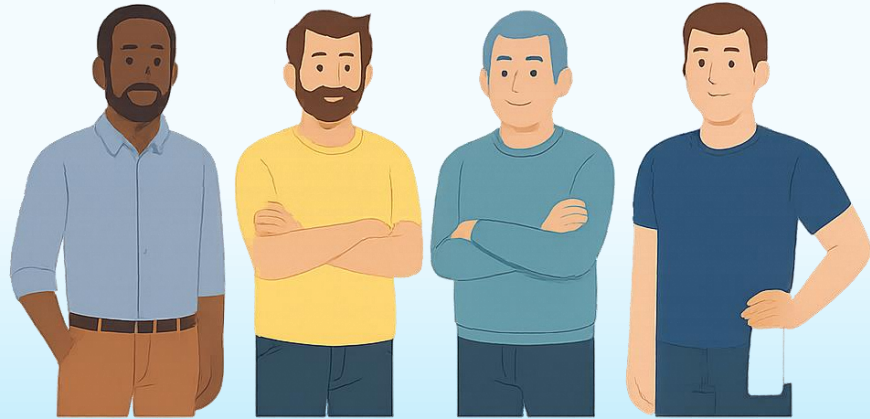
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BELFAST RECOVERY COLLEGE MEN'S HEALTH EVENT



Join us for an afternoon filled with advice and information ranging from health, fitness opportunities in the community and lots more.

This is a free event with tea/coffee available,
Drop in to find out more.

Monday 8th June 2026
1pm – 3pm
Recovery College
10 North Derby Street
Belfast BT15 3HD



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Inter Community Group

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IN IT ALONE**
*Let's support
each other*



**LAST THURSDAY
OF EVERY MONTH**



6PM



**FOOD AND
CONVERSATION**

WHY JOIN THE MEN'S GROUP?



**TALK &
BE HEARD**

Share, listen
and connect in
a safe space



**SUPPORT &
FRIENDSHIP**

Build friendships
and support
each other



**IMPROVE
WELLBEING**

Reduce stress,
boost mental
health and
wellbeing



**PRACTICAL
SUPPORT**

Get advice and
information
when you need it



**GOOD FOOD,
GOOD COMPANY**

Enjoy great food
and even better
conversation



ALL MEN WELCOME – COME AS YOU ARE.

Join us for good food, great chats and real support.



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Belfast, BT12 7DG



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Just a quick reminder about our upcoming Men & ADHD event as part of Men's Health Week.

 Wednesday 17th June

 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

 Fisherwick, 2 Chlorine Gardens, Belfast, BT9 5DJ

This promises to be an engaging and informative evening featuring guest speakers, lived experience, practical insights, and an opportunity to ask questions in a supportive and welcoming environment.

The event is open to everyone (no diagnosis required) and may be particularly beneficial for:

- Young people aged 17+ preparing to transition into adult services
- Parents, carers, grandparents, and family members supporting a young person or adult with ADHD
- Support workers, healthcare professionals, educators, and workplace wellbeing teams looking to better understand and support individuals with ADHD
- Adults with ADHD seeking greater understanding and connection
- Anyone with an interest in ADHD, wellbeing, and Men's Health Week

Whether you attend personally, support someone with ADHD, or work alongside individuals with ADHD, this evening offers valuable insights, practical learning, and the chance to be part of an important conversation.

 £20 per person

 Book your place here: <https://addni.org/ols/products/adhd-men>



ADD-NI Children's Charity
91 Wellington Park
Belfast
BT96DP

Telephone: 028 9081 2222

Website: www.addni.org



Information and support on: Spice

Information

Effects, Appearance & Key Facts



Green/ Brown plant material sprayed with synthetic chemicals




Often sold as liquid for e-cigarettes, usually masked as THC or cannabis oil.

Effects can arise within minutes or hours of consumption and they can last from minutes to several hours.
Spice is anywhere from **10-200x more potent** than cannabis, with the nature of it being synthetic, has potential to make it stronger again.
Spice is fully synthetic, and contains no cannabidiol; this in itself is problematic, as there is no inhibitor or buffer to slow or prevent binding to the receptors within the body, leading to significantly higher risk of overdose.
Effects include:

- Altered Perceptions** 
- Anxiety or Panic Attacks** 
- Red Eyes or Dry Mouth** 
- Euphoria** 
- Nausea** 
- Twitching or Spasms** 
- Increased Sociability** 
- Relaxation & Sedation** 

The Law

- Spice is classified under the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971 and also covered by the Psychoactive Substances Act 2016 and generally treated as a **Class B drug**
- Penalties for possession can be up to 5 years in prison
- Penalties for supply and production can be up to 14 years in prison, a fine or both
- Possession in prison is punishable by an additional sentence of up to two years.



Western Trust



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Northern Trust





You're invited!

Building Carer Friendly Workplaces



1 IN 8 EMPLOYEES
in Northern Ireland
are unpaid carers

Join the Economy Minister, Dr Caoimhe Archibald MLA, employers across multiple sectors, carers & MLAs for an event exploring best practice, proposed changes to legislation and practical ways to support unpaid carers in the workplace.



TUESDAY
9 June



Long Gallery
Stormont



5.00pm - 7.00pm
Inc. Light Supper

Register Today!



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ANY DISABILITY / AGES 12+

JORDANSTOWN SPORTS VILLAGE
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6-7 PM
EVERY MONDAY
FREE

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All Abilities Cricket is a fully inclusive form of cricket that allows people of all ages, genders, and abilities, including those with physical, intellectual, or sensory disabilities, to participate in fun, competitive, and skill-building cricket programmes.

YOUTH MATTERS

Programmes and Activities

Belfast/SE Trust

July & August

2026



YOUTH MATTERS

Summer Scheme 2026

Our Summer Schemes run on a first come first serve basis. There are 10 spaces for each session and once you have completed the sign up document Lucy will be in touch within 5 working days to confirm your space.

Please note that the deadline for completing the sign up document is the 8th of June 2026.

Sign Up link attached in email - if any issues occur please do not hesitate to reach out to Lucy on 07912046089 or lu.baxter@cedar-foundation.org

Act-Up

DROP-IN CLUB

A FREE fun-filled personal development programme focusing on mental wellbeing for young people aged 12-18 years with a physical disability, Acquired Brain Injury, Autism or ADHD including those waiting on a diagnosis.

Drop In will run for 10 week programmes throughout the year. Each young person can avail of 2 programmes per year (from April).

Sign ups are made through the Sign Up Link attached in email. Please allow 5 working days for confirmation on place in current programme.



Ravenhill Office
5.30pm-8.30pm
Belfast (ages 12-17)



DROP-IN CLUB Summer Connections

Thursday 2nd July	Summer connections Drop In	Friendship Bracelets/Keyrings
Thursday 23rd July	PosAbility (16plus)	Barnardos Workshop
Thursday 30 th July	Summer connections Drop In	Ormeau Park
Thursday 6 th August	Summer connections Drop In	Summer Quiz
Thursday 13th August	Summer connections Drop In	Ice Cream Sundaes & games
Thursday 20 th August	Summer connections Drop In	Team challenges
Thursday 27 th August	Summer connections Drop In	Summer memory wall

YOUTH MATTERS

Youth Matters is a dynamic youth work service for young people under 18 with a physical disability, acquired brain injury or a diagnosis of autism.

We provide the support you need to access our activities independently.

Due to safeguarding parents and carers don't remain at activities.

If you would like to know more or sign up to the activities, please contact your local youth officer
All paperwork needs returned before a young person can attend.

Please allow for 5 working days notice of signing up before the activity



Lucy Baxter is our Youth Officer for the Belfast and SE Trust areas

Contact :



07912046089



lu.baxter@cedar-foundation.org

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Whiterock Young Minds

Meet new people in your local community and learn more about a wide range of issues.

Enjoy talks from guest speakers and take part in workshops and activities.

Suitable for children over 8 years.



Monthly Club
Starts Wednesday 3 June
3:30pm - 4:30pm
Suitable for children 8 years old and older

Booking essential

Ask staff for details

t: 028 9050 9236

e: whiterock.library@librariesni.org.uk



Connect with us

www.librariesni.org.uk



Belfast Summer Scheme

Juniors ages 7-11
Seniors ages 12-17

Date	Time	Location	Activity	Price
Monday 6 th July	(Juniors)10am-1pm (Seniors)2pm-5pm	Streamvale Farm	Farm & activities	£9.60
Tuesday 7 th July	(Juniors)11am-1pm (Seniors)2pm-5pm	Pirates Adventure Golf Dundonald	Mini Golf & Play Park	£9
Wednesday 8 th July	(Juniors) time to be confirmed (Seniors) time to be confirmed	Cineworld	Cinema	£6.95
Thursday 9 th July	(Juniors)10am-1pm (Seniors)2pm-5pm	Ravenhill	Bugs & Beasties and Ormeau Park	free



 SUMMER



Lisburn



Date	Time	Location	Activity	Price
Wednesday 15 th July	9am - 5pm (approx)	Portrush	Train journey, trip to Currys, amusements & lunch	£12 return ticket plus spending money
Thursday 16 th July	12pm-4pm	Boucher Road - Prison Island	Escape Room (limited spaces available) & cafe afterwards	Spending money for cafe
Friday 17 th July	tbc	Omniplex Lisburn	Cinema & KFC	£6.95 plus money for KFC



Working together to support you and your child

We understand that now is a difficult time for you because you may be dealing with your own feelings. And we believe that you have a vital role to play in supporting your child following their experience of domestic abuse.

Children often need time to make sense of the work we are doing. To keep on top of things, it will be helpful if you let us know about your child's reaction to the work, or about any changes in their behaviour or about any other significant events.

This'll help us to work together, getting better support to you both.

Get in touch

If you have any questions or worries about DART, you can contact us at NSPCC NI Hub, The Lanyon Building, Jennymount Business Park, North Derby Street, Belfast, BT15 3HN email: nihubadmin@nspcc.org.uk and Tele: 02820 441650

Where to get support

If you have any worries about a child, the NSPCC helpline offers advice and support 24 hours a day. You don't have to say who you are. And the sooner you call, the sooner it's off your mind.

Call 0808 800 5000 or email help@nspcc.org.uk

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Domestic Abuse Recovering Together (DART)

Information for mothers

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NSPCC Learning

Remember these selection criteria

- ▶ Children must be aged 7-14.
- ▶ The programme works with one mother and one child at a time. If there is more than one child, you could ask the mother if she'd like to work through the programme again at a later stage with the other children.
- ▶ The perpetrator of domestic abuse must not be living within the family home, and must no longer be in a relationship with the mother. This is because it's important that mothers and their children feel safe enough to take part in the programme.

Get in touch

If you know a family who could benefit from attending DART, or for more information, contact:

NSPCC NI Hub, The Lanyon Building,
Jennymount Business Park, North Derby
Street, Belfast, BT15 3HN email:
nihubadmin@nspcc.org.uk and Tele: 02820
441650

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Domestic Abuse Recovering Together (DART)

Information for Professionals

Helping children and families recover
from domestic abuse.



What to do if you're unhappy

We hope that you enjoy coming to DART and find it helpful. Our workers will try to help you in a way that feels OK for you. If you're worried about something, it's best to talk to the person who's working with you - they'll listen and try to sort things out quickly. But if you're still unhappy, tell the person you spoke to and they'll arrange for you to see their manager. We will do all we can to put things right as soon as possible.

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Need to talk?

Childline is here for you
If you feel you need to talk, Childline is here to listen. It's a free, confidential helpline for young people and it's available 24/7 - online and on the phone.
childline.org.uk
0800 1111

Domestic Abuse Recovering Together (DART)

A guide for children

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NSPCC Team to whom the referral is being made:

NI Hub
The Lanyon Building
Jennymount Business Park
North Derby Street
Belfast
BT15 3HN
nihubadmin@nspcc.org.uk

**Please note, we are also happy to take referrals via phone.
Please call your local office on:
02820 441650**

Service the referral relates to: Domestic Abuse Recovery Together (DART)

Date of request:

Referral Criteria

A referral can only be accepted if:

- Programme is for one child aged 7-14.
- Lived with domestic abuse experience.
- Assessed as harmed by this.
- Perpetrator no longer part of household.
- Abuse perpetrated towards female (mother).
- Able and willing to travel to Belfast for the programme.



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Social Smarts: Helping Your Child Build Meaningful Connections

Free Workshop For
Parents and Caregivers

From playground friendships to classroom teamwork — learn how to support children who find social situations challenging.

This free workshop helps parents and caregivers understand what social skills are, how difficulties with these skills affect children's daily lives, and what can be done to help them build confidence and connection.

Whether your child has a diagnosis, is waiting, or you're beginning to explore the possibility, this session offers knowledge, confidence, and practical strategies you can use right away.

In this workshop you can expect:

- ✓ Parent-friendly information on what social skills are and how they may look different in neurodivergent children
- ✓ Practical strategies to support your child

Event Details:

 11th JUNE 2026

 10:30AM - 11:30AM

 **Duncairn Centre for
Culture and Arts**
Duncairn Avenue
Belfast
BT14 6BP



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A project supported by the PEACEPLUS Programme, managed by the Special EU Programmes Body (SEUPB).
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SUNDAY 28TH JUNE



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8AM



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Online Safety Mini Webinars for Parents and Carers

Supporting children online can sometimes feel challenging, especially as the digital world continues to change.

Each mini webinar lasts around 15-20 minutes and includes practical tips, conversation starters and signposting to further support. They are suitable for parents, carers, wider family members and professionals supporting children and young people.

Topics include privacy settings and parental controls, group chats and peer pressure, online bullying, image sharing, harmful content and online grooming – covering everything from everyday online use to more serious risks.

Created by Childnet and supported by the Safeguarding Board for Northern Ireland (SBNI), the mini webinars reflect real life experiences shared by families.

Watch the mini webinars here

[Online Safety Mini Webinars for Parents and Carers - Safeguarding Board for Northern Ireland](#)

DI&CE WORKSHOP

Thursday 4th June

7pm – 9.15pm

McDonald Centre

Seaview Stadium, St Vincent
Street, Belfast, BT15 3QG

Equipping groups
in how to be more
inclusive of those
with learning
disabilities, autism
& neurodivergent
conditions

Ideal for
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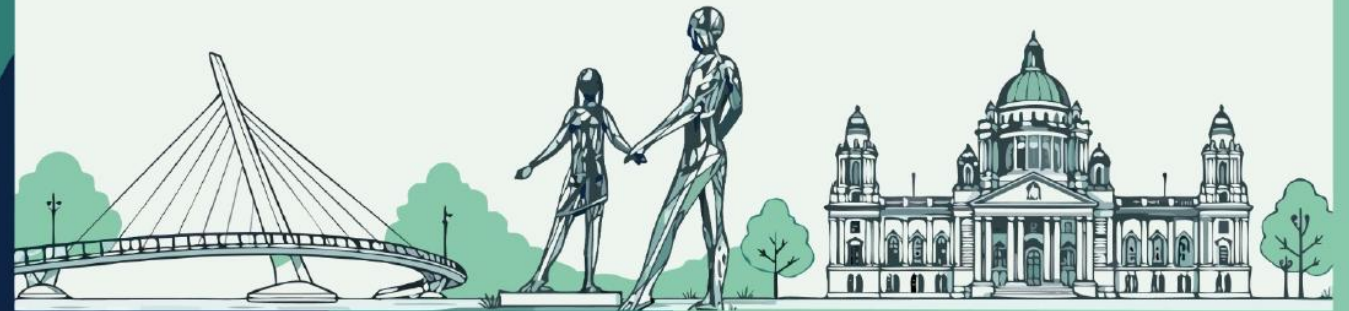
Invitation

COMMUNITY SECTOR PAY AND CONDITIONS RESEARCH LAUNCH

Join us for the launch of new research examining pay,
terms and conditions across the community sector.

Research by Queens University Belfast

Friday 19 June 2026 11.00am - 1.00pm St Comgall's,
Ionad Eileen Howell, Divis Street, Belfast BT12 4AQ



City for
working and
learning

Big Sanctuary Information Fair

Advice for newcomers, minority ethnic communities, refugees and people seeking asylum.

Belfast

🕒 5pm-7pm, 16 June and 10am-1pm, 17 June 📍 2 Royal Avenue



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Working Together



Department for
Communities



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CIVIC ENGAGEMENT
AND STRATEGIC
COMMUNICATIONS



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PHOENIX EDUCATION CENTRE EMPLOYERS FAIR

Come to our Employers Fair to find out about exciting career opportunities across Belfast that align with your skills and interests.

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25 JUNE, 2026 - 10AM-1PM

Avoniel Leisure Centre, Avoniel Road
Belfast BT5 4SF



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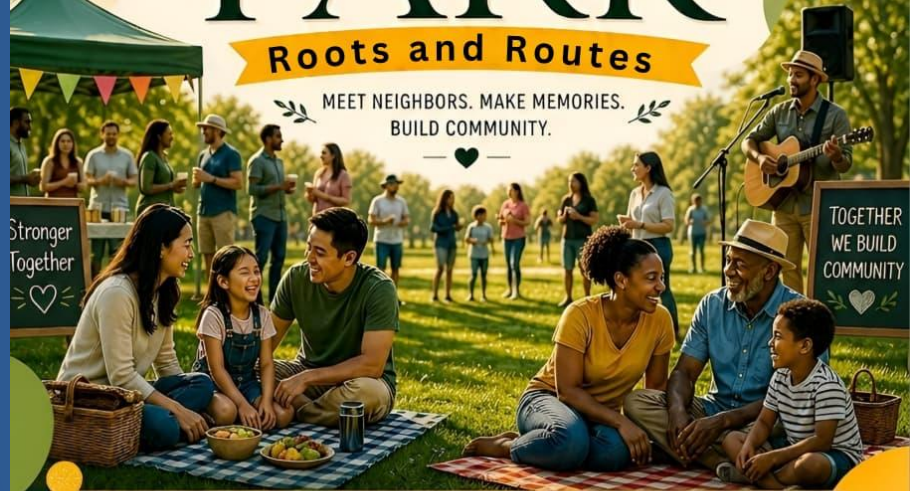
Diverse Youth NI



— presents — Together in the PARK

Roots and Routes

MEET NEIGHBORS. MAKE MEMORIES.
BUILD COMMUNITY.



DATE

13
June, 2026



TIME

12pm



Alexandra
park
BT15 3BY



Welcome
Everyone



PHONE
028 9013 8615



WEBSITE
diverseyouthni.com

COME FOR THE FUN, STAY FOR THE CONNECTION!



Register Here



Housing
Executive



Mental Health Early Intervention Training

For Benefit Advice Workers and
Community Support Staff



Recognise.



Respond.



Refer.



Reflect.



Purpose: Build confidence to spot early signs of mental health challenges and respond with empathy and practical support.

You'll Learn To:



Identify potential signs of distress or change



Understand higher risk groups and individuals



Explore intervention models suited to advice settings



Discuss real life scenarios and approaches



Signpost effectively to local and national supports



Practise self-care awareness for workers supporting others



Approach:

Delivered in a warm, interactive environment, this session blends discussion, reflection, and scenario-based learning. It encourages participants to share experiences, learn from each other, and strengthen their ability to respond compassionately while maintaining professional boundaries.



Outcome:

Participants will leave with a clearer understanding of how to identify early signs, respond appropriately, and look after their own wellbeing — helping create safer, more connected communities.

Stronger support. Safer communities. Better together.



Dates:

23rd & 30th
June 2026



Venue:

Ardoyne Association Office,
Etna Drive, BT14 7NN



Time:

9:30am
to 1pm



Dyslexia Masterclass for parents - online

Sat 6 Jun 2026 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM BST Online, Zoom

Join Dyslexia Scotland and Sharon Hall online for a whistle-stop tour of supporting children and young people with dyslexia.

This free talk will cover:

- What we know about dyslexia
- Some of the barriers that can be experienced in the classroom
- How dyslexia is identified in school
- Things you can do to help
- Maintaining good communication with schools.

This event is aimed at parents/carers of children and young people. The event will not be recorded but we will hold more in the near future.

A Zoom link will be emailed to you the day before the event.

Dr Frances P. Beagon
Consultant Clinical Psychologist
Neurodiversity Lead for Psychological Services

Fairview 1, Mater Hospital, 37-47 Crumlin Rd,
Belfast BT14 6AG

✉ Frances.Beagon@belfasttrust.hscni.net

☎ 02895045282

[Book your free place – Dyslexia Masterclass for parents - online – Zoom](#)

BBQ - Playbus -
Facepainting -
Sensory Bus - Art -
Ice cream and more

Sense family fun day

Saturday 20th June | 11am-2pm

Belfast Hub
34 Annandale Avenue

RSVP grainne.gibson@sense.org.uk

Forthspring
Inter Community Group

AUTISM SUPPORT GROUP



Support when you need it most

A welcoming, understanding space for
parents and carers of autistic people
to connect, share experiences,
and access support.



LAST TUESDAY
OF THE MONTH
6.30PM - 8PM



OFFERING SUPPORT TO
PARENTS AND CARERS
OF AUTISTIC PEOPLE

WE CAN SUPPORT YOU WITH:



Sharing
experiences
and advice



Emotional
support



Information on
services and
resources



A safe &
understanding
environment



Refreshments
& a friendly
welcome



Everyone is welcome. Come as you are.
Listen • Connect • Support • Belong



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373 Springfield Road,
Belfast, BT12 7DG



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Funding Opportunities



Belfast
City Council

The North Belfast DPCSP has a small amount of funding available again this year for groups to apply for under our 'Reactive' Project. The purpose of the project is to support groups to deliver small interventions regarding Anti-Social Behaviour or another Community Safety related issue in your community.

Projects need to benefit the local community of North Belfast and be delivered within North Belfast.

The funding is for individual projects up to a maximum of £250. Groups can apply up to 3 times this financial year.

If you have any queries or would like a copy of application and guidance email ClearyP@BelfastCity.gov.uk or phone 07825 140523.

There are 3 things we require for each project.

- Completed application
- Social media post to promote your work and that of the DPCSP – tagging @BelfastPCSP
- Monitoring form completed at the end of project (within 10 days)

This is for projects that will deliver between now and March 2027.

Funding Opportunities



CRC's Community Relations/Cultural Diversity Grant Scheme.

The CRCD grant scheme is now open and the deadline for applications is 15 January 2027 at 4pm (subject to available budget). The CRC website holds a lot of information and a pathway to the portal to be able to apply.

Useful Links:

- Application Portal: <https://community-relations.flexigrant.com/>
- About Community Relations / Cultural Diversity Grant Scheme: <https://www.community-relations.org.uk/funding-scheme/community-relations-cultural-diversity>
- Eligibility and Guidance of costs/capped rates: [CR/CD Scheme Criteria and Eligibility | Community Relations Council](#)
- CR/CD Most Frequently Asked Questions: <https://www.community-relations.org.uk/crcd-most-frequently-asked-questions>

Please forward any enquiries about the scheme to Helen DiDuca HDiDuca@nicrc.org.uk and Judith Hamilton jhamilton@nicrc.org.uk

Also, Good Relations Week takes place during 12th October– 18th October 2026.

Funding Opportunities

£1.5 million Local Community Ownership Fund now open

Belfast City Council's Local Community Ownership Fund is now open for Stage One Expression of Interest applications.

The Fund has been established to support groups with the acquisition of community assets or existing derelict sites for viable and sustainable community use, allowing them to invest in their areas and improve local economic outcomes.

The Stage One Expression of Interest stage will close at 12noon on **Wednesday 17 June 2026**.

Please visit www.belfastcity.gov.uk/lcof for further information on how to apply.

Eligibility

To be eligible for funding, projects must be able to demonstrate:

- Alignment with the purpose of the Local Community Ownership Fund.
- Delivery against any of the Local Community Ownership Fund outcomes.
- Costs of acquisition and revenue funding, used to fund the initial running costs of the project, of no more than £25,000 or 20% of the total capital funding applied for (whichever is smaller).
- Financial sustainability, with no ongoing revenue implications for the Council.
- That the asset is located within the Belfast City Council area but not located within the city centre retail core.
- The funding will not be used to purchase sites for or develop housing.
- The applicant is not an individual, sole trader or profit-making organisation.
- The applicant is a formally constituted voluntary or community group, community interest company, not-for-profit company limited by guarantee or social enterprise.
- That the applicant has good governance and is in good financial health.
- That no retrospective costs are required.
- If the asset is being released as part of the Government D1 process, then the Council will act as the Sponsoring Body

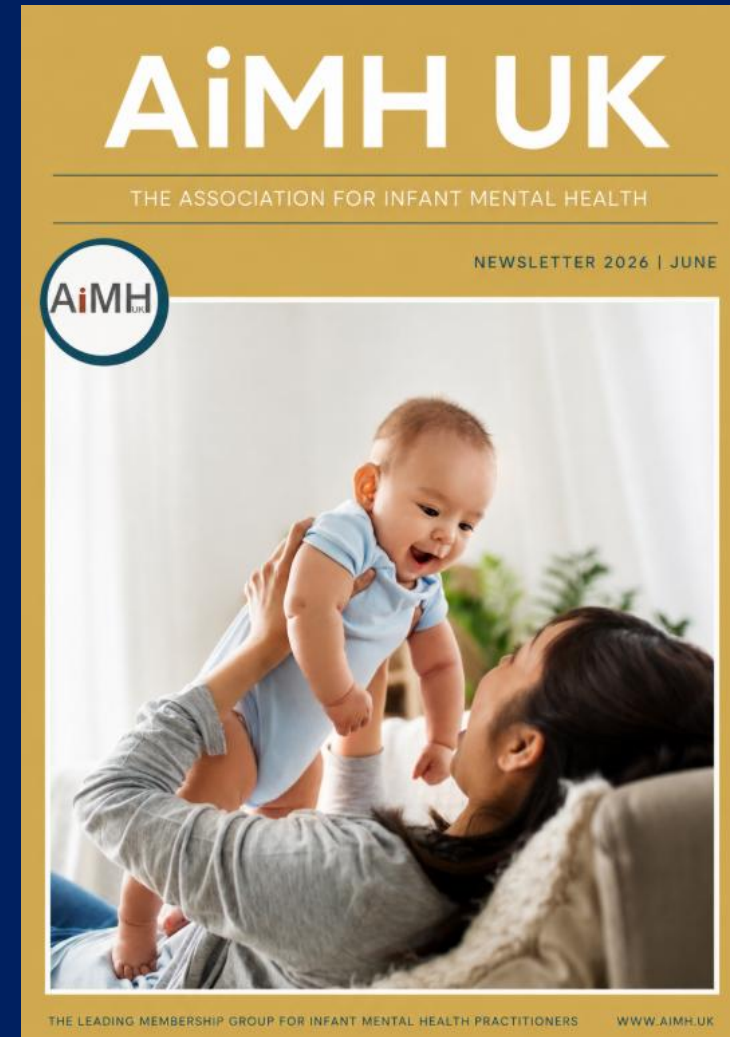
Assistance for applicants

Information on the Fund can be found on our web page www.belfastcity.gov.uk/lcof. Interested groups can complete the Stage One Expression of Interest online form on the webpage. Throughout the process, they can email lcof@belfastcity.gov.uk and staff will be available to answer any queries.



Support Group Schedule June 2026

[Support Group Meetings](#)



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Job and Training Opportunities



Workable (NI) Programme Guide for Employees

Do you have a **disability** or **health condition** which is affecting your ability to work?

Would you like **support** to retain **employment**?



SES Workable (NI) can support employees by:



Helping people return to work following illness or disability



Advising on reasonable adjustments and adaptations



Mediate between employee and management to achieve best solution for all



Providing impartial support for all involved



Disability Awareness training for staff teams



Removing stigma and perceptions around disability



Minimising impact of disability in the workplace



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Benefits to employers:

Support



Free advice and guidance - around equality, DDA, reasonable adjustments, benefits



Best practice approach to support staff



Expert pan disability SES staff with knowledge and experience



Staff training and enhanced team morale



Proactive corrective measures



Job coach available where intense support required



Attendance at meetings - attendance reviews, performance reviews



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SES Workable (NI) can support any employee who meets the following eligibility criteria:



Be in employment of 10+ hours per week



Have a disability or health condition which affects their ability to do their job



May be at risk of losing their job due to their disability



Their employment is based in Northern Ireland

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We Are **Whiterock**
Child & Family Centre

TRAINING

ANTI-HUMAN TRAFFICKING TRAINING

 **24TH**
OF JUNE

 **10 AM**
TRAINING

WITH
**INVISIBLE
TRAFFICK**

Recognise warning signs and areas
of vulnerability.

AT **Whiterock Child and Family Centre.**

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BOOK IN WITH EMMA AT
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Upcoming courses

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[Upcoming courses from The King's Trust](#)

The poster is for the 'Springvale Cyber Quest' program. It features a vibrant purple and blue color scheme with various icons representing technology, education, and security. The text is bold and clear, with a 'REGISTER NOW' button and a '16-25 Year old?' age restriction. The program details include qualifications like 'INTERNATIONAL COMPUTER DRIVING LICENSE' and 'ILM LEVEL 2 YOUNG LEADERS', and other activities like 'TRIP DAY', 'ACTIVITY DAY TRIPS', 'DAY RESIDENTIALS', 'AI SESSIONS', and 'VISIT INSTITUTES OF TECH'. Contact information for the Springvale Learning Youth Department is provided, along with logos for the supporting organizations: Springvale Learning, Peaceplus, and the UK Government.

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CYBER QUEST

16-25 Year old?
REGISTER NOW

20 WEEK CYBER SECURITY PROGRAMME

QUALIFICATIONS

- INTERNATIONAL COMPUTER DRIVING LICENSE
- ILM LEVEL 2 YOUNG LEADERS
- CYBER SECURITY AWARENESS

OTHER

- TRIP DAY
- 2 & ½ DAYS A WEEK
- ACTIVITY DAY TRIPS
- DAY RESIDENTIALS
- AI SESSIONS
- VISIT INSTITUTES OF TECH

CONTACT US
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SPRINGVALE LEARNING YOUTH DEPARTMENT

PEACEPLUS
Multi-agency Ireland - Ireland
Supported by the
European Union UK Government

THIS PROJECT IS SUPPORTED BY THE PEACEPLUS PROGRAMME

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WE'RE Hiring!

Family Development Supervisor – Sure Start

Make a real difference in the lives of families and children every day. ♡

CONTRACT TYPE
Temporary

HOURS
30 hrs per week

HOURLY RATE
(in line with BHSCT B4)

JOB PURPOSE

To work as part of a team ensuring effective supervision of a Multidisciplinary team of family support workers, early years development workers and early years assistants. Managing accountability and responsibility for the delivery of 1-1 family work in the home alongside a suite of parent and child programmes on a weekly basis.

ESSENTIAL CRITERIA

- ✓ Hold 5 GCSE's (A-C) including maths and English.
- ✓ Hold a Level 5 Childcare learning and development (CCLD) OR equivalent.
- ✓ Hold 2 years supervisory experience.
- ✓ Hold 2 years experience of working with families and children aged 0-4 years old.

DUTIES

- 1 Responsible for the day to day supervision of the family development team, both during groups and in the office space.
- 2 Have a knowledge and understanding of the Minimum Standards.
- 3 A robust knowledge of child development from ages 0-4 years old.
- 4 Supervise and be accountable for a multidisciplinary team ensuring compliance with the policies and procedures of the organisation.
- 5 Support and monitor planning and evaluation of a suite of programmes delivered by the team.
- 6 Completing supporting supervisions for a team.
- 7 Working in partnership with families and children and providing evidence based support and guidance.
- 8 Complete focused observations of play.
- 9 Provide a service that upholds the values of the organisation.
- 10 All other duties as required and appropriate to the post.

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Help build stronger families and brighter futures in our community.

Apply Today!

Please contact the Wishing Well for further information and to collect an application pack.
The closing date for applications is 17th June.

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JOB | PART TIME

Senior Befriender

Upper Springfield Development Trust

Friday / 12 June 2026 12:00pm

Salary: £23,251.20

Hours per week: 30.00



<https://www.communityni.org/job/senior-befriender-4>