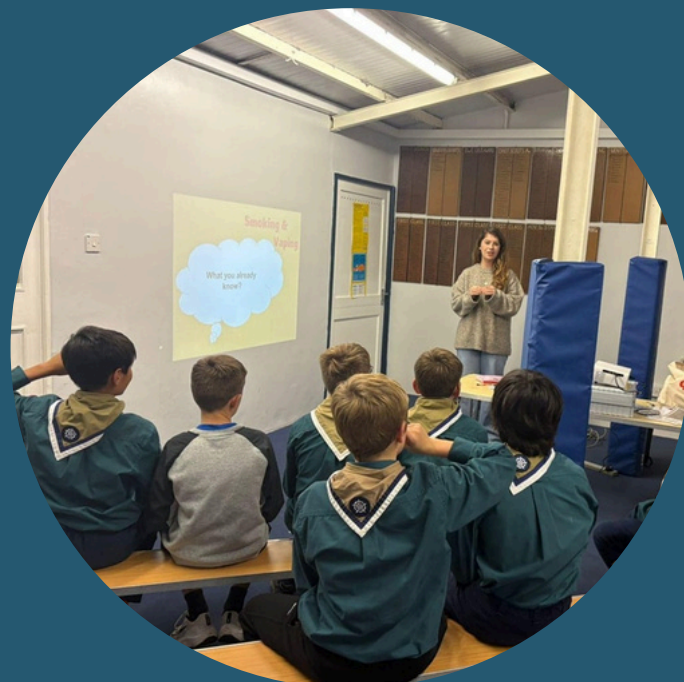




An introduction to the Guernsey Youth & Housing Project

Our mission in Guernsey is to prevent youth homelessness and to tackle its causes.



Since 2001



100

percent of young people who finish our tenant in training flats hold their tenancies for a year since 2021.

percent of young people who access life skills sessions improve their skills at the end of support in 2025.

90

We do this by providing services which deliver over 20 individual projects for young people which focus on our 5 key aims .

Action for Children has been the lifeline I never thought I would need, but I'm so glad was there.

Service User, 23 yrs



Meet our team

- 12 – full time positions
- 5 – part time roles
- 2 – casual contracts.
- 28 – regular volunteers



Prevent: **homelessness before it begins**

Through identifying risks early and supporting young people to stay safely housed and build stable futures.

**Homeless
Prevention
Mediation**

**The Risk
Avert
Programme**

**Outreach
tenancy
Support**



Protect:

Against a homeless crisis

**Providing safe emergency accommodation and support so
no young person is left without help in a crisis.**

**Nightstop
Community
Hosting**

**Our Day
Centre
offer**

**Home
Finding
Programme**

**The AfC
Landlord
Offer**

Prepare:

For living independently

Equipping young people with the skills, confidence & support they need to live independently & stable futures.

**Tenant in
Training
Flats**

**Life
Skills
Training**

**Community
Life Skills
flat**



Provide:

Wrap-around support

Providing support that meet the wider needs of young people who are experiencing homelessness or that tackles its causes. Each theme has its own projects and offers for young people.

**Substance
Use**

Employment

Wellbeing

Isolation

LGBTQ+

Wrap-around support

Substance Use

Supporting young people to recognise the dangers & reduce the harms of drugs, alcohol, smoking & vaping.

**Education
& training**

**The Risk Avert
Programme**

**Brief
Support**

**1:1
support**

Wrap-around support

Work and Wellbeing

**Supporting young people to develop resilience & skills
needed for work and independence.**

**One-to-one
Employment
Support**

**Skill
building
sessions**

**Action
Mentoring**

Counselling

Wrap-around support

Isolation and Activities

**Supporting young people to build social networks,
reduce isolation and take part in positive activity**

**The Qclub
(LGBTQ group)**

**Social
Spaces**

**Meal and
Meat draw**

**Trips
and
Events**

Promote:

Awareness & understanding

Raising awareness & improve understanding of youth homelessness by making information accessible and empowering others to recognise and respond to risk.

**Professionals
training
programme**

**World
Homeless
Day**

**Guernsey
Community
Events**



Our approach to working with young people.

**Building Trusted
Relationship**



**Personal Action
Plans**



**Therapeutic
Approach**



Service Map



Referrals & more info

Find out more about each project and
make a referral on our website.

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