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DRUGS AND ALCOHOL COORDINATION TEAM



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DIRECTORY SERVICES

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Introduction

The Western Drug and Alcohol Coordination Team (WDACT) is a local interagency partnership with lead responsibility for the local implementation of the New Strategic Direction for Alcohol and Drugs (NSDAD) 2006-2011.

The WDACT is committed to keeping alcohol and drug users, their families, carers and the wider community informed about alcohol and drug issues and services.

This directory outlines the available services for children, young people and adults affected by alcohol or drugs living in the Northern (Derry, Limavady, Strabane) and the Southern (Fermanagh, Omagh) Sectors of the Western Health & Social Care Trust.

We hope you find this directory a useful resource and we welcome any comments you may have to improve this publication.



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Divert Project

Divert provides drug and alcohol education, prevention and early intervention services for children of drug and alcohol using parents (Hidden Harm Project); children & young people (Vulnerable Young Persons Project) parents & carers. This service is available to individuals living within the Derry, Limavady and Strabane District Council Areas.

Access: Open referral

Opening hours: Office hours 9am - 5pm
Provide evening and weekend sessions.

32 Meenan Square, Derry. BT48 9EX

Tel: 028 7126 9327
Fax: 028 7126 9327

Email: divert@freederry.org
Website: www.freederry.org/dovehouse/divert

Breakthru

Delivery of education and early intervention/prevention programmes to selective and indicated groups and identified areas of need. Main focus upon at-risk and socially excluded young people. Programmes include peer education, personal development and life skills. Coverage across Fermanagh and Omagh District Council Areas on a community-based and outreach basis.

Access: Open referral

Opening hours: Office hours 9am - 5pm
Provide evening and weekend sessions.

C/O 18 Killymeal Road, Dungannon,
Co. Tyrone, BT71 6LJ

Tel: 028 87 753 228 Helpline: Freephone 0800 800 2020
Fax: 028 87 753 229

Email: mail@breakthru.co.uk Website: www.breakthru.co.uk

WELB Youth Advisory Service

Senior Youth worker with responsibility for alcohol and drug education.

Access: Open access

Opening hours: 9am - 5pm

Strabane Youth Office
Unit 9
Market Street
Strabane
BT82 8AR

Tel: 028 7138 2096

Email: sean_cassidy@welbni.org
website: www.welbni.org

WELB CASS

Assist in alcohol and drug education for teachers and schools and supports policy development.

Access: Through Curriculum Advisory and Support Service (CASS).

Opening hours: 9am - 5pm

Mrs Bridie Mullin,
Support Officer to Schools,
North West Teachers' Centre,
24 Temple Road, Strathfoyle,
Co Derry, BT47 6TJ.

Tel: 028 7186 1116 Fax: 028 7186 1105

Email: bride_mullin@welbni.org
website: www.welbni.org

DAISY - Opportunity Youth and ASCERT

Drug And Alcohol Intervention Service for young people and their families. Accessible to young people under 18 years. Tier 2/3 treatment, counselling and mentoring support service, provided in a friendly non-judgemental way that is young people centred.

Access: Self-referral and open referral.

Opening hours: 8.30 – 4.30pm

Out of hours – evenings and weekends

29a Strand Road,
Derry, BT74 7BL

Tel: 028 7137 1162 Fax: 028 7137 2572

Email: info@opportunity-youth.org or info@ascert.biz

Website: www.opportunity-youth.org or www.ascert.biz

Drugwiser Family Support Group

This group is a safe and confidential place for family members of alcohol and drug users to come together to discuss their common issues and experiences. This group belongs to a range of similar groups nationwide.

Access: Can be contacted through Aisling Centre

Opening hours: 9am-5pm Mon-Fri
24 hr telephone service seven days a week

Tel/Fax: 07749699243
Helpline: 07708758924

Email: flanagan827@btinternet.com
jacquipinholes@hotmail.co.uk

HURT - Have your tomorrows

Provides support to families of alcohol and drug users. Services include a listening ear service, alternative therapies, and specific programmes for young people.

Access: Self

Opening hours: 9am-5pm Mon-Fri

14 Clarendon Street, Derry.
BT48 7ES

Tel/Fax: 028 7136 9696

Email: sadie@hurtni.org

Website: www.hurtni.org.uk

Damien House

A 12 bedded hostel providing holistic support to men with mental health and alcohol misuse problems.

Access: NIHE referral
WHSCT referral

Opening hours: 24/7

12 Foyle Road, Derry,
BT48 6SQ.

Tel: 028 7136 1156
Fax: 028 7136 1157

Email: damienhouse.firsthousing@btinternet.com
Website: www.first-housing.com

Foyle Valley House

A 14 bedded crisis residential facility for women with severe alcohol problems.

Access: Open referral (anyone)

Opening hours: 9.00am - 5.00pm Mon-Fri
Staffed 24hours/day

30 Foyle Road, Derry
BT48 6SQ

Tel/Fax: 028 7136 2689

Email: m.poole@nwh.co.uk
Website: www.nwhgroup.com

House-in-the-Wells

A 25-bedded facility for men, some long stay residents. Provides chalet accommodation for people moving towards recovery.

Access: Open referral and self referral

Opening hours: Visiting 9.00am -11.00pm
Referrals at any time.

The House, 130 St Columbs Wells,
Derry, BT48 6LY.

Tel/Fax: 028 7126 7957

Email: a.bonner@nwh-group.com

Website: www.nwhgroup.com

Ramona House

A residential facility. Provides 4 emergency/acute beds to help chronic drinkers recover from a drinking episode in a supportive environment. Provides 4 medium/long stay beds for individuals with a history of excessive drinking.

Access: GP referrals from Omagh and Fermanagh.

Opening hours: 24/7

96 Circular Road, Omagh
County Tyrone, BT79 7HA

Tel/Fax: 028 8225 2730

Email: Ramona.firsthousing@btinternet.com

Website: www.info@firsthousing.com

Addiction Treatment Unit: Southern Sector

Provides inpatient hospital treatment for those with alcohol and drug problems.

Access: GP Referral, Social Services, CPN's, PBNI.

Opening hours: 8.00am-10.00pm Mon-Thurs
8.00pm - 5.00pm Friday
Telephone answering service available out of hours

Addiction Treatment Unit, 1 Donaghane Road,
Tyrone and Fermanagh Hospital, Omagh. BT79 0NS

Tel: 028 8283 5365 / 028 8283 5443

Fax: 028 8283 5121

Email: malachy.treanor@westerntrust.hscni.net

Website: www.westerntrust.hscni.net

Community Addiction Team: Southern Sector

Community based counselling, advice and support for those suffering from alcohol or drug related problems or concerned family members.

Access: GP referral, Social Services, CPN's, PBNI

Opening hours: 9.00am-5.00pm Mon-Fri
Out of hour's appointments available.

Aisling Centre
37 Darling Street, Enniskillen
County Fermanagh
BT74 7DP

Addiction Treatment Unit
1 Donaghane Road
Tyrone & Fermanagh Hosp'l
Omagh. BT79 0NS

Tel: 028 6632 5811
Fax: 028 6632 5184

Tel: 028 8283 5443
Fax: 028 8283 5121

Email: Annemarie.Hughes2@westerntrust.hscni.net
Michael.Hand@westerntrust.hscni.net

Website: www.westerntrust.hscni.net

Alcohol and Drug Service: Northern Sector

Outpatient and day patient treatment, counselling, advice and support for those suffering from alcohol or drug related problems and their families.

Access: Referrals accepted from GP, PBNI, Social Services

Opening hours: 9am-5pm Mon-Fri

Woodlea House, Gransha Park,
Derry. BT47 6TF

Tel: 028 7186 5239

Fax: 028 7186 5242

Email: richard.grant@westerntrust.hscni.net

Website: www.westerntrust.hscni.net

Northlands

An Alcohol and Drug Treatment Centre, offering counselling and support to individuals and their families on a residential and a non residential basis.

Access: Open referral and self referral

Opening hours: Office hours 9am - 5pm Mon - Fri
Out of hours answering service

Shepherds Way Complex
Dungiven Road
Derry/Londonderry

Tel: 028 7131 3232

Fax: 028 7134 5085

Email: info@northlands.org.uk

Website: www.northlands.org.uk

Needle and Syringe Exchange Scheme

Pharmacy based needle and syringe exchange scheme for injecting drug users. Needles, syringes and other injecting equipment supplied on an exchange basis. Health promotion and safer injecting information and advice can also be accessed.

Access: Self

Lloyds Pharmacies
28 Belmore Street
Enniskillen, Co Fermanagh

Mon - Fri 9am - 6pm

1 Ebrington Terrace
Waterside, L/Derry

Mon - Fri 9am - 6pm

Superdrug
30/32 Ferryquay Street
Cityside, L/Derry

Mon, Tues, Wed 9am - 6pm
Thurs, Fri 9am - 9pm
Sat 9am - 6pm Sun 1pm - 6pm

Substitute Prescribing Service

Provides substitute-prescribing treatment for opiate users.

Access: GP Referral

Opening hours: 9am-5pm Mon-Fri

Woodlea House, Gransha Park
Derry, BT47 6TF

Addiction Treatment Unit
1 Donaghanie Road, Tyrone and Fermanagh Hospital,
Omagh, BT79 0NS

Tel: 028 7186 5239 Derry Fax: 028 7186 5242
 028 8283 5852 Omagh

Email: lorna.forrest@westerntrust.hscni.net (northern sector)
josephine.mullin@westerntrust.hscni.net (southern sector)
Website: www.westerntrust.hscni.net

Fermanagh Community Alcohol Support Service (FCAS)

Provides a service for individuals who due to alcohol or drug misuse have difficulty in maintaining tenancies and appropriate household conditions. There is a strong emphasis on assessment and living skills.

Access: Open referral

Opening hours: 9.00am-5.00pm Mon, Wed, Fri
Floating Support Tues and Thurs

7 Queen Street, Enniskillen,
County Fermanagh. BT74 7JR

Tel: 028 6634 7878

Fax: 028 6634 7878

Email: Enniskillen.firsthousing@btinternet.com

Website: www.info@firsthousing.com

Foyle Haven Health Project

A damp drop-in centre that provides practical services, advocacy and a befriending service for street drinkers/homeless street drinkers.

Access: Open referral and self referral

Opening hours: 9.00am-5.00pm Mon-Fri

23a John St, Derry,
BT48 6JY.

Tel: 028 7136 5259

Fax: 028 7136 5848

Email: foylehaven@btconnect.com

SOLACE (Supportive Opportunities whilst Living with Addiction in a Community Environment)

Delivers an advocacy and befriending service through harm reduction methods in the Irvinestown and the North Fermanagh area. Practical advice is offered to anyone who has concerns about their alcohol and substance use. The SOLACE Day centre provides programmes and outreach support through a home visiting service supported by two floating support workers.

Access: Open referral and self referral

Opening hours: 9.00am-5.00pm Mon-Fri
7.00pm - 9.00pm Friday
3.00pm -6.00pm Sat and Sun

The Rock, 44 Mill St, Irvinestown,
Co. Fermanagh, BT94 1HP

Tel: 028 6862 8737 Fax: 05601158685
Helpline: 07990796778

Email: Mannix.magee@archlc.com
Website: www.irvinestowndevelopment.com

Domiciliary Outreach Programme for Older People

This service supports older people in the community with substance misuse problems through direct outreach using a harm reduction approach. The service also includes workshop training for all interested agencies in the management of difficulties associated within service response and delivery. Provides an outreach educational roadshow to community based organisations for awareness and prevention sessions. The service provides information and advice to older people and their carers.

Access: Referrals from GP, CPN's and Social Services.

Opening hours: 9.00am - 5.00pm Mon- Fri. Flexible.

Rosstown House, Glendermott Road,
Waterside, Derry. BT48

Tel: 028 7131 4239 **Fax:** 028 7131 4262

Email: evelyn.brett@westerntrust.hscni.net
Website: www.westerntrust.hscni.net

Community Support Service

The Community Support Project supports communities in identifying and responding to the alcohol and drug harm affecting local people. The Community Support Workers will work with communities to produce action plans and facilitate their implementation to work to reduce the impact of alcohol and drug related harm on local communities.

Access: Direct contact

Opening hours: 9.00am - 5.00pm Mon - Fri

Northern Sector: Limavady, Strabane, Derry.
Joanne Smith, Tel: 028 7186 5236 Fax: 028 71 86 4336

Southern Sector: Omagh, Enniskillen areas.
Alison Crawford, Tel: 028 8224 0855

Email: da.tp@westerntrust.hscni.net
Website: www.westerntrust.hscni.net

Foyle Tranquillisers Initiative (FTI)

To initiate and implement a range of effective actions to reduce the extent of benzodiazepine misuse/abuse in the Northern Sector.

Access service: Open Access and Advertising workshops

Opening hours: 9am - 5pm. Flexible

Bogside & Brandywell Forum,
128 Lecky Road, Derry.

Tel: 028 71365330

Fax: 028 7136 9193

Email: tonydoherty@freederry.org

Website: www.bbhealthforum.org

Active Families Programme

The active families role modelling programme is funded by Western Investing for Health Partnership and uses a role modelling approach to increase physical activity among disadvantaged families while also delivering a preventative message around the risk factors of CHD including alcohol/smoking/drugs abuse and misuse.

Access: Local trained personnel from community organisations will be offering the 12-week programme to local families.

Contact Details to establish local service providers:
Fiona Teague – Active Families Coordinator

Tel: 028 82245321 Fax: 028 82243888

Email: Fiona.teague@omagh.gov.uk
Website: www.westernifh.org

Drug Arrest Referral Scheme

Provides confidential help for people with drug problems who are detained in police custody. Assessment and follow-up treatment provided.

Access: Through Police custody.

Opening hours: 8.30am - 8.00pm

Woodlea House,
Gransha Park,
Derry. BT47 6TF

Tel: 028 7186 5240

Fax: 028 7186 5242

Email: Richard.grant@westerntrust.hscni.net

Website: www.westerntrust.hscni.net

Magilligan Prison Project

Provides drug and alcohol education within the prison. Also provides counselling service and support for the families of substance misusers.

Offers support on release.

Access: Referred by prison service

Opening hours: 9.00am - 5.30pm

HMP Magilligan, Point Road, Magilligan,
Co Derry. BT49 0LP

Tel: 028 7772 0375

Fax: 028 7772 0581

Email: Willie.mcmahon@nio.x.gsi.gov.uk

Website: www.niprisonservice.gov.uk

Probation Board (NI)

Drink Driving Programme - Northern Ireland

A court-mandated programme for individuals disqualified from driving includes multi-agency inputs. Participants pay £150 to attend.

Access: Referred by the court service

Opening hours: Office hours 9.00am - 5.00pm

Omagh Probation Office, High Street,
Omagh. BT78 1 BA

Tel/Fax: 028 8224 6051

Email: admin.Omagh@pbni.org.uk

Website: www.pbni.org.uk

Drug and Alcohol Training Programme

Provides training to support the development of a workforce competent in responding to/dealing with alcohol /drug related harm within the Western Trust Area. Offers Drug and Alcohol Intervention Training (DAIT)- Alcohol and the Older Person, Foetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder, Hidden Harm Training and others.

Access: Contact directly.

Opening hours: 9.00am - 5.00pm Mon - Fri
Training programmes also run outside of normal working hours.

DATP Office, Oak Villa, Gransha Park, Derry. BT47 6WJ

Tel: 028 7186 5236 Fax: 028 7186 4336

Email: fionnuala.mckinney@westerntrust.hscni.net

Website: www.westerntrust.hscni.net

Health Promotion Department

Delivers training and education accredited training courses NCFE Level 1 and Level 2 Drug Awareness Certificate for adults and professionals, support for local initiatives and projects, policy development, support to the WDACT and health promotion literature. Provides services across WHSC Trust area.

Access: contact Eilish McCloskey directly.

Opening hours: 9.00am - 5.00pm

Maple Villa, Gransha Park, Derry. BT47 6WJ

Tel: 028 7186 5127

Email: eilish.mccloskey@westerntrust.hscni.net

Website: www.westerntrust.hscni.net

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