# CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE'S Swansea Mental Health & Wellbeing Service Directory



Local and national mental health & related services

For more information on the Mental Health Development Service and to download mental health resources, please visit:



www.scvs.org.uk/mhds



# **Children & Young People**

This directory provides information on a variety of services that specifically support young people under the age of 18; however, some services are available to young people up to the age of 25 years.

**PLEASE ENSURE** that you also check the relevant section in the Mental Health & Wellbeing Service Directory for Swansea.

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BENEFITS			
Organisation	Age	How to Access	
Welfare Rights Unit – offers advice,		This service and advice line can	
assistance and support on a range of		ONLY be accessed by Support	
benefit issues including: drafting letters;		Workers	
assisting with completion of forms;		Tel: (01792) 637755	
benefit checks.		When:	
		9-10:30 & 2-4pm – Mon & Wed	
		9-12pm on Friday	

BLACK & MINORITY ETHNIC			
General Advice			
Organisation	Age	How to Access	
African Community Centre – The "I Can		Tel: (01792) 470298	
Project" - seeks to encourage		Email:	
disadvantaged young people, particularly		emily.dougherty@africancommu	
from refugee and asylum seeking		nitycentre.org.uk	
backgrounds to come together and enjoy		Web:	
diverse activities in a safe environment.		www.africancommunitycentre.or	
Activities include; Family Fun Days,		g.uk/projects/i-can-project	
Workshops on bullying, racism,			
stereotyping and careers advice etc.;			
revision sessions with personal tutors,			
activity days, including; Ten Pin Bowling,			
trips to theme parks and visits to the			
Gower; Beach Sports, Summer Camps,			
our annual Swansea's Got Talent and			
much, much more.			
The I Can project also supports a parent			
and toddler group aimed at breaking			
down barriers within the community, arts			
and crafts, art therapy, play time, rhyme			
time and trips out.			
Ethnic Youth Support Team (EYST)			
Bridging Cultures, Strengthening Families	18	Tel: (01792) 466980	
Project - aims to work with young BME	max	Email: Helal@eyst.org.uk	
people up to the age of 18, and help them			
to overcome the cultural, linguistic, and			
generational gap which exists between			
them and their parents.			

We do this by providing mentoring, support, counselling, and family mediation to young people and their families who are experiencing cultural conflict. We also provide regular wholefamily activities and events to prevent the breakdown of communication between children and parents and to keep families strong

My Space Project - is a Community resource project which aims to establish the EYST youth drop in centre in Swansea as an accessible, flexible and multifunctional community space offering a range of facilities to ethnic minority young people as well as linking them to the wider community including diverse groups in terms of age, gender, race, and faith. The aim is to equip the ethnic minority young people with the skills, opportunities and confidence to be active and integrated members of their community.

Tel: (01792) 466980 **Project Coordinator Email:** 

Shehla

Khan manager@eyst.org.uk **Development Workers Emails:** 

matthew@eyst.org.uk Shahab@eyst.org.uk

Web: www.eyst.org.uk/my-

space-project

### Gypsy, Roma, Traveller Advice Line

Travelling Ahead supports Gypsy, Roma and Traveller communities around Wales (children, young people and adults) with your rights and entitlements, make sure your voices are heard, you are treated fairly and to help challenge discrimination.

Tel: 08088 020025

Web:

www.travellingahead.org.uk/righ ts-advice/wales-advice-advocacyservice

## **Asylum Seekers and Refugees**

Swansea Bay Refugee Matters / Circus **Eruption -** A circus project for 11-18 year olds who are from families who are or have been refugees / asylum seekers. An opportunity to learn and develop a range of circus skills. There is funding to provide transport which needs to be arranged

Every Tuesday 6:45pm-8:45pm in 11 -18

**Parc Tawe** 

Tel: 01792 795778

Fmail:

contact@circuseruption.co.uk

youthcircus@circuseruption.co.uk

beforehand so please contact. Young		
people can just turn up but a signature		
from an adult responsible for them is		
needed.		

CARERS		
Organisation	Age	How to Access
<b>Babble -</b> is an online community for young carers and offers information, support and a safe online space for		www.babble.carers.org
young carers. Swansea Carer's Centre	16 -25	2 youth clubs a month based at
Young Adult Carers Project Supporting young people who are unpaid carers/former carers on a 1-2-1/group basis to help improve wellbeing and resilience. This process helps the young people have a break from their caring role and opportunities to meet other in a similar situation.	10 -23	the EYST office.  Tel: 01792 653344  Email:  alex@swanseacarerscentre.org.u  k  Web:  www.swanseacarerscentre.org.uk  Address: 104 Mansel Street  Swansea SA1 5UE
Parent Carers of young people (14-25) with a disability or illness This group is open to parent carers of a young person (14-25) with a disability or illness and who are moving from child to adult services in Swansea.	14-25	Date & Time:  1st Tuesday of the month - 10am- 2pm  Venue: Friends of the Young Disabled, Carmarthen Road, Cwmbwrla, Swansea Email: angela@swanseacarerscentre.org .uk
Swansea YMCA – YMCA Swansea Young Carers Service supports young carers aged 8-25 to have a break from their Caring role.  Young Carers Club – provides information, peer-to-peer and professional support, activities and space to try new opportunities. They focus on four areas:	8-25	Contact: Egija Cinovska Tel: 07946348878 Email: egija@ymcaswansea.org.uk  Every Wednesday 6:30pm – 8:30pm Tel: (01792) 652032 Mob: 07946 348878

<ul> <li>Support and advice</li> </ul>	Email:
- Family work	egija@ymcaswansea.org.uk
<ul> <li>Health &amp; Wellbeing</li> </ul>	Email:
<ul> <li>Training &amp; education</li> </ul>	geraint@ymcaswansea.org.uk
	Web: www.ymcaswansea.org.uk

DOMESTIC ABUSE		
Organisation	Age	How to Access
<b>Domestic Abuse One Stop Shop</b> – is a		35-36, Singleton Street, Swansea.
place where you can go for		SA1 3QN
information, advice and support if you		Tel: (01792) 345750
are affected by domestic abuse (or if		
you are at risk of domestic abuse)		
Domestic Abuse Unit – The Swansea		Tel: (01792) 562759 (office hrs)
Police Domestic Abuse Unit has		In an emergency, always dial <b>999</b>
specially trained police staff who are		
aware of the difficulties that you may		
be facing, and who can offer practical		
advice about how to stop the abuse,		
either for yourself or another.		
Info Nation – provide support to	11-25	Tel: (01792) 484010
young people affected by domestic or		Mob: 07930328607
dating abuse.		Email:
		info-nation@swansea.gov.uk
		Address: 47 The Kingsway,
		Swansea. SA15HG
Live Fear Free Helpline - is a bilingual		Tel: 0808 80 10 800
information signposting service, to		
help and guide people with experience		
of domestic abuse or sexual violence,		
who are in need of information or		
access to support services. The		
helpline is free, 24 hours a day, 7 days		
a week.  NSPCC – offer information on a wide		Web: www.nsncc.org.uk
		Web: <u>www.nspcc.org.uk</u> Helpline: 0808 800 5000
variety issues, such as; neglect, domestic abuse, FGM, sexual		Trespinie. 0000 000 3000
exploitation.	5-11	Web:
Speak Out, Stay Safe programme	2-11	www.nspcc.org.uk/services-and-
(formerly Childline Schools Service) -		resources/working-with-
(Torriferry Childline Schools Service) -		icadarcea/ working-with-

uses specially trained volunteers to talk to primary school children about abuse – free of charge.		schools/speak-out-stay-safe-service/ Request a visit to your school: www.nspcc.org.uk/services-and-resources/working-with-schools/contact-childline-schools-service
Swansea Women's Aid Changing Attitudes Together – CHAT – project offers support to young people aged 9-18 who have been affected by domestic abuse and who have used or are using violence/abusive or controlling behaviours in their relationships with family members, carers or towards their girl/boyfriends.	9-18	Agency referral Web: http://swanseawomensaid.com/ Tel: 01792 644683 (24hrs) Address: 28 Bond Street, Swansea, SA1 3TU Email:LConte@swanseawa.org.uk
The Swansea Women's Aid Children and Young People's service (CHYPS) offers support to children and young people aged 5-17 who have been affected by domestic abuse. Provides practical and emotional support to aid recovery from domestic abuse, using a child and young person led approach. Promotes healthy relationships and raises awareness of domestic abuse and supports children and young people to keep themselves safe.	5-17	
Supported Housing – emergency safe, temporary accommodation for women (and their children), who are experiencing domestic abuse.	16+	24 Hour Helpline  For free confidential support and advice, contact our helpline on:  01792 644683

EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING			
Organisation	Age	How to Access	
CCofS – Communities First - is the Welsh Government's (WG) community focussed tackling poverty programme. The programme provides funding to Communities First Clusters to narrow the economic, education/skills and health gaps between most deprived and more affluent areas.	Pre- school +	N.B. Recipients need to live within Communities First Cluster areas.	
Readiness for Work Team – has Employment, Learning Support, Financial and Benefit Support Officers.  Community Engagement Team – has Engagement Support Officers.  Communities for Work (C4W) – is a WG programme to deliver an employment support service focusing on reducing the number of 16-24 year olds who are Not In Education, Employment or Training (NEET).  Lift Programme – support the WG's Tackling Poverty agenda and aims to provide training and employment opportunities for people living in households where no-one is in work.	16-24	Tel: (01792) 457025 (Readiness for Work) Email: joanne.thomas2@swansea.gov.uk Tel: (01792) 464751 Email: shaz.abedean@swansea.gov.uk Tel: (01792) 578632 (C4W) Email: andrew.chapman@swansea.gov.uk  Tel: 01792 578632 (Lift) Email: juliet.rees@swansea.gov.uk  N.B. The programme is not aimed at those who are temporarily out of work, but focuses on those who have spent more than six months out of work or training and who face the greatest barriers to becoming employable, such as: - young single parent households	
		<ul> <li>households in which the adults have few or no formal qualifications</li> </ul>	

		<ul> <li>people with weak employment records individuals with disabilities.</li> </ul>
Cyfle Cymru (WCADA) - is a service which helps people with substance misuse issues and/or mental health conditions into work, education or training.  We can support you towards and into work if: - you are aged 16 to 24 and not in employment, education or training - you live in the Western Bay area - you are in recovery from substance misuse and/or mental health issues  Discovery - Supported Volunteering Scheme provides volunteering placements for people with additional	16-24	Tel: (01792) 646 421 Email: ask@cyflecymru.com Web: ask@cyflecymru.com Address: Cyfle Cymru, WCADA,40 St James Crescent, Uplands, Swansea SA1 6DR  Email: discovery@swansea.ac.uk
needs, including mental health issues, in order to make the benefits of volunteering accessible to everyone. Every volunteer gets a role developed for their interests, and whatever support is necessary for them to succeed within it.		
Down to Earth Project - provide vocational, practical and accredited skills training provided through courses and volunteer placements. Opportunities focus on construction, gardening and land management.		Course Enquiries: Tel: (01792) 391303 Email: jon@downtoearthproject.org.uk Volunteer Enquiries: Tel: (01792) 391303 Email: barney@downtoearthproject.org.uk
Info Nation – free access to computers and the internet. Advice and support on education, employment and training opportunities.	11-25	Tel: (01792) 484010 Mob: 07930328607 Email: Info-nation@swansea.gov.uk Address: 47 The Kingsway, Swansea SA1 5HG

Rewise Foundation CIC - aims is to Tel: 05603 684297 increase social mobility for young **Email:** info@rewisefoundationcic.org.uk people and adults, break down the Address: 91a Newton Road, barriers associated with entrenched poverty and to influence better life Mumbles, choices to benefit both individuals SA3 4BN and their surrounding communities. They use a range of activities to N.B. The focus is on working with engage participants and to teach life adults and young people who are and employment skills. affected by poverty, social exclusion Courses combine informal lecturing, or lack of employment skills and debates, question and answer Young people, who are NEET (not in sessions, song recording, games based education, employment or training), or at risk of becoming NEET. learning and more. Participants work towards the attainment of nationally recognized qualifications in subjects such as: Literacy and numeracy skills • Entrepreneurships and business Coding • Digital Marketing **SNAP Cymru** – staff and volunteers Helpline: 0845 1203730 work with families and professionals, Email: Swansea@snapcymru.org supporting children and young people to participate in planning and decision making which affects them, advocating where appropriate, and raising awareness of issues related to Special Educational Needs, Disability and other barriers to inclusion. Swansea Community Farm - The To get involved for the first time, you Child and Youth Project runs a need to attend a Gateway Activity number of different activities for either the Organic Living Day or children of all ages including Youth Family Workday Contact Alyson to discuss: Committee, Organic Gardening, Animal Husbandry Training, Heathland Tel: 01792 578384 Email: Conservation, Play schemes, parties alyson@swanseacommunityfarm.or and two residentials a year. g.uk

Youth Volunteering – SCVS – advice	11-25	Self, agency or representative.
and guidance on volunteering		Address: SCVS, 7, Walter Road,
opportunities available across the		Swansea. SA1 5NF
County.		Tel: (01792) 544000
		Web:
		www.scvs.org.uk/volunteering-for-
Directory of Volunteering		under-25s
Opportunities:		
www.volunteering-wales.net		

HOUSING			
Organisation	Age	How to Access	
Action for Children, Swansea Young Families Tenancy Support Scheme - provides housing related support to young parents, or expectant parents aged 16 - 25 years, and their children across Swansea. They work with families that need support to live independently, maintain their tenancies and to prevent homelessness. They do this through working together with families to increase the resources available and accessible to them, and to build on the strengths and skills within the families.	16-25	Swansea Young Families Tel: 01792 585425  Referral route is through the Tenancy Support Unit Tel: 01792 774320 or 774360	
Bays Project - The Barnardo's Youth Homeless Service provides both statutory and voluntary advice to young people aged 16 to 20 living in Swansea who are homeless or threatened with homelessness.	16-20	32 -36 High Street, Swansea. SA1 1LG Tel: (01792) 455105 Freefone: 0800 521 448 Email: Bayspartnership@barnardos.org.uk	
Shelter Cymru - provides housing		Tel: (01792) 469400	
support, information and advice			
Swansea Women's Aid - Supported	16+	Tel: 01792 644683 (24hrs)	
Housing – emergency safe, temporary		Email: swa@swanseawa.org.uk	
accommodation for women (and their			
children), who are experiencing			
domestic abuse.			

Company Various Cinals Hamalass	16.25	Tal. (04702) 527520
Swansea Young Single Homeless	16-25	Tel: (01792) 537530
<b>Project – SYSHP</b> – works with young		Email: administration@syshp.org.uk
people who need to find and maintain		Web: www.syshp.org.uk
tenancies in Swansea. They help: find		
and keep a home; develop		
confidence, skills and opportunities;		
prevent homelessness and improve		
their physical and emotional well-		
being. Services range from specialist		
accommodation, specialist temporary		
accommodation, tenancy support,		
advocacy and engagement activities.		
<b>Tenancy Support Scheme</b> - The TSU	16+	Tel: (01792) 01792 774320 or
provide housing related support and		774360
advice to people in order to prevent		Email: tsu@swansea.gov.uk
homelessness and maintain		Address: TSU, 17 High Street,
independence.		Swansea, SA1 1LF.
The service is free and available to		Online Referral Form:
anyone over the age of 16 who lives		http://www.swansea.gov.uk/article
within the City & County of Swansea		/9304/The-Tenancy-Support-Unit-
including home owners, housing		<u>TSU</u>
association tenants, council tenants		
and those who rent from the private		
sector.		

LEARNING & PHYSICAL DISABILITIES			
Organisation	Age	How to Access	
BikeAbility Wales – provides a cycling		Dunvant Rugby Club, Broadacre,	
opportunity for everyone to enjoy. It		Killay, Swansea. SA2 7RU	
was set up to enable people of all		Tel: 07584044284 or 07968109145	
abilities to enjoy the pleasures of		Web: www.bikeabilitywales.org.uk	
health benefits of cycling. BikeAbility			
holds cycle sessions each week, with			
bikes to suit all ages and abilities.			
C&YP's Disability & Family	Up	Tel: (01792) 544019	
<b>Development Service</b> - The Children	to 25	Email: sandra_spratt@scvs.org.uk	
and Young People Disability and Family	yrs	Web: www.scvs.org.uk/cyp-	
Development Officer ensures that the		disability-family-dev-service	
needs of disabled children and young			
people and their families are met via			

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the identification of gaps and		
representation at a strategic level.		
The main priorities for the post are:		
consultation & participation,		
information, development, 1to1		
childcare referral scheme and the		
Swansea Parent Carer Forum.		
<b>Disability Sport Wales</b> – are committed		Tel: 0845 8460021
to providing a range of activities locally		Web:
in an environment that is appropriate.		www.disabilitysportwales.com/lubs
Whether you wish to participate or		/category-swansea/
compete in non-disabled or disability		
specific clubs/sessions Disability Sport		
Wales will help you find an		
opportunity.		
<b>Diversity</b> – leisure opportunities for		Amanda Lervy
children with ASD/ADHD (Monday		Email:
evenings)		amanda.lervy@swansea.gov.uk
Friends of the Young Disabled -		Tel 01792 686637
<b>FOYD</b> is a Swansea based charity, which		Email:
provides a centre for the young		Address: Gordon Moore Centre
disabled and other members of the		300 Carmarthen Road
community to meet and use its		Cwmbwrla
facilities to promote learning		Swansea
opportunities, engage in social		SA5 8NJ
activities and have fun.		
Interplay – work with children and	4-25	Tel: 01792 561119
young people aged 4-25 in Swansea		Email: info@interplay.org.uk
and Neath Port Talbot.		
		Web: www.interplay.org.uk
The Wellbeing 4 Early years help		Address: 116 Walter Road Swansea
children with barriers plan, such as		SA1 5RE
disability, anxiety,		
challenging/emotional behaviours and		
their siblings to access supported play		Ages 4-25
sessions that help them develop self-		
esteem and emotional resilience to		Tel: 01792 561119
help improve their wellbeing		Email: info@interplay.org.uk
Help improve their wellbeing		
		Web: www.interplay.org.uk

Enabled Project provides social clubs and events for 12-25 year olds with disabilities and mental health support needs in Swansea and Neath Port Talbot. The project is split into two age groups; 12-18 Enspire project that runs in both Swansea and Neath Port Talbot, and 18-25 Enabled project that runs in Swansea, but is open young people from Neath Port Talbot.

All interplay projects support children and young people to build friendships and learn social skills, focusing on social behaviour, independence skills, healthy lifestyles and emotional intelligence. We do this through play, low level sports, cooking, gardening and growing own produce, visits to places of interest, shopping, art & craft, discussion groups, and other activities that enable the children and young people to explore their own interests and understand their strengths. With the project we also offer wellbeing session that help the children and young people to use the skills they have gain through the project in the wider world.

Local Aid - raises awareness of the needs and aspirations of young people with special needs. The organisation provides specialist equipment; arranges travel support, specialist services and activities for young people with severe learning disabilities and challenging behaviour in our local communities. The organisation supports young people with learning difficulties and physical disabilities, and promotes the rights of individuals to be supported to

Tel: 01792 655771 Mob: 07846204358

Email: amanda@localaid.co.uk

Web:

www.localaid.co.uk/buddies.html

reach their potential. We actively support children and families in need. <b>Buddies Project</b> - provides a Saturday club, outreach service, sibling group	
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club, outreach service, sibling group	
and youth volunteering opportunities.	
MIXTUP – is a youth club for young 11- EYST, 11 St Helen's Road, Swansea	
people with mixed abilities. Sessions 25 Tel: (01792) 466980	
are held on the second Saturday of Email: director@eyst.org.uk	
every month from 12-3pm. Web: <a href="http://eyst.org.uk/mixtup/">http://eyst.org.uk/mixtup/</a>	
National Autistic Society – Swansea Claire Morris-Price, Branch Officer	
Support Group Tel: 07825 280274 (9am-5pm;	
We would like to welcome all persons outside hours by text only)	
involved in the world of autism, Email:	
whether you have autism and/or know NAS.SwanseaBranch@nas.org.uk	
somebody with autism and are looking Twitter: @NASSwansea	
for advice. We will hopefully be able to Facebook:	
help you or at least point you in the <a href="www.facebook.com/groups/NAS">www.facebook.com/groups/NAS</a>	SS
right direction. Some of our branch <u>wansea</u>	
members have children on the	
spectrum and are of different ages.	
Therefore, we would be happy to share	
our experiences so please feel free to	
ask us anything. The group caters to	
families/carers who have children with	
autism spectrum disorder (ASD), adults	
with ASD are welcome but there are no	
specific adult ASD sub groups:	
Activities; Training Days; Regular social	
group parent/carer and children; Play	
sessions for children; and Organised	
outside activities.	
Play and Leisure Opportunity Library - Tel: 07546267486	
are a registered charity providing <b>Email: admin@plol.org.uk</b>	
specialist toys and leisure equipment  Web: www.plol.org.uk	
for children and adults with a disability Twitter: @swanseaplol	
in a lending library service. For a small	
fee members can have access to a	
range of over 500 items including an	
extensive stock of multi sensory and	
specialist equipment. Library stock can	

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be borrowed for a month at a time but		
longer by arrangement. They offer a		
limited collection and delivery service		
to members living in the Swansea area.		
They also offer therapeutic play		
sessions		
SNAP Cymru – staff and volunteers		Helpline: 0845 1203730
work with families and professionals,		Helpline from mobile: 0345 120
supporting children and young people		3730
to participate in planning and decision		Email: Swansea@snapcymru.org
making which affects them, advocating		
where appropriate, and raising		
awareness of issues related to Special		
Educational Needs, Disability and other		
barriers to inclusion.		
Spectrum – is a group for children &		Tel: (01792) 363438
young people with ASD and their		Web: www.spectrum-
families. They aim to provide a variety		swansea.webs.com
of social activities for their members to		
get involved in. They meet for surfing		
every Wednesday at Caswell Bay in the		
summer and the LC2 in the winter.		
Surfability – the ASD group (including	8-19	Cost: £5 per week payable in
siblings) runs on a Monday evening at		advance for the month.
5:30pm. Surfability provides all the		Email: karenza@mac.com
necessary equipment and clothing.		Mob: 07800900758
		Web: www.surfabilityukcic.org
Whizz Kids – supports disabled children		Tel: 020 7233 6600
by providing equipment, support and		Email: info@whizz-kidz.org.uk
life skills to help reach their full		Web: www.whizz-kidz.org.uk
potential.		

LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL & TRANSGENDER		
Organisation	<b>How to Access</b>	
LGBT Cymru Helpline – free,	Tel: 0800 840 2069	
confidential service offering support,	(between 7pm – 9pm Mondays	
information and counselling to the	and Wednesdays)	
lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender	Web:	
community.	www.lgbtcymruhelpline.org.uk	

		N.B. There is a charge for face-to- face counselling.
YMCA Swansea	11-25	
LGBT Youth Club Good Vibes –		Club - Every Thursday 6pm – 8pm
provides a safe environment for young		Email:
people seeking guidance and advice.		carlie@ymcaswansea.org.uk
They offer:		
<ul> <li>Youth workshops</li> </ul>		Tel: (01792) 652032
<ul> <li>LGBT+ awareness</li> </ul>		Web: www.ymcaswansea.org.uk
<ul> <li>Opportunity to make friends</li> </ul>		
- 1 to 1 help & support		

MENTAL HEALTH		
General Advice		
Organisation	Age	How to Access
ABMU – Self Help Guides & Resources	-	www.selfhelpguides.ntw.nhs.uk/a
<ul> <li>is an electronic library offering a</li> </ul>		<u>bmu</u>
series of online self-help guides. It is		
designed to offer information and		
advice on a wide range of subjects,		
including social anxiety, dealing with		
bereavement and alcohol dependency.		
Hafal Clic - Clic provides people in		Web: <a href="http://www.hafal.org/clic/">http://www.hafal.org/clic/</a>
Wales with a mental illness and their		
carers with a safe and secure place		
online to support each other, share		
experiences and build new		
relationships – in either English or		
Welsh. The site also signposts people		
to useful information, contacts,		
resources and local services.		
<b>MEIC Cymru</b> – provides information,		Helpline: 0808 80 23456
advice and advocacy to children and		Text: 84001
young people via a helpline, text		Web: www.meiccymru.org
messaging or online chat.		
Mental Health Directory - for an	-	www.scvs.org.uk/mhds
online/most up-to-date version of this		
directory.		

Mind Cymru – Your Stories	Web: -
Blogs and stories can show that people	https://www.mind.org.uk/informa
with mental health problems are cared	tion-support/your-stories/
about, understood and listened to.	
MindEd – is a free educational resource	- Web: www.minded.org.uk
on children and young people's mental	
health for all adults.	
NSPCC – offer information on a wide	Web: www.nspcc.org.uk
variety issues, such as; abuse, neglect,	Helpline: 0808 800 5000
self harm, sexual exploitation, bullying	
& cyberbullying, FGM	
The Roots Foundation – provide	Tel: 01792 584254
support and assistance and advice for	Web:
young people leaving care and	http://www.therootsfoundationw
individuals who have left care. Offering	ales.org.uk/
workshops on finance, cooking,	Email: admin@therootsfoundation
budgeting, health, employment and	wales.org.uk
relationships.	
Royal College of Psychiatry – Mental	Web: www.rcpsych.ac.uk
Health & Growing Up Factsheet –	
provides information on depression in	
young people/helping children to cope	
and is relevant for parents, carers and	
anyone who works with young people.	
Swansea Mind - Swansea Mind is a	Tel: 01792 642999
mental health organisation based in	Email:
the city of Swansea. They aim to: Work	admin@swanseamind.org.uk
towards a mental health service that is	Web: www.swanseamind.org.uk
based on the wishes, needs and rights	
of people who use the service and	
support and empower people with	
mental health problems.	
Young Minds – helpline for	Parent's Helpline:
parents/carers that have a concern	Tel: 0808 802 5544 (9:30am-4pm)
about their child's emotional problems	Web: www.youngminds.org.uk
or behaviour	Translation In the International State

Bere	avemen	nt
Organisation	Age	How to Access
British Heart Foundation – The Small	3-8	General Enquiries: 0300 330 3322
Creature – is a pack which		Publication Orders: 0870 6000
complements their animation for		6566
children aged 3-8 who are coming to		Ready to use Resource:
terms with the loss of a loved one. The		www.bhf.org.uk/publications/chil
resource helps adults to encourage		dren-and-young-people/the-small-
children to express the sentiments that		creaturefor-bereaved-children/
they never got the chance to say, as		Link to Animation:
well as learning how to hold onto the		www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ks2D
memories of those they loved.		OoZtZ4A
Co-operative Funeralcare – has		Web: www.co-
produced some animated short films to		operativefuneralcare.co.uk/child-
help children understand death and		bereavement/
grief, available free to schools and		
community groups.		
Cruse – provide information on:		Web: www.cruse.org.uk/children
<ul> <li>what you can do to help a child or</li> </ul>		
young person who is grieving		
<ul> <li>how to understand the concept</li> </ul>		
of loss in children and young		
people of different ages		
<ul> <li>how to recognise potential</li> </ul>		
complicated grief		
The website <b>Hope Again</b> is a website		If you are a young person and
designed for young people by young		someone you know has died you
people. It includes information and		can send a private message to a
message boards where young people		trained volunteer
can share their experiences.		at <a href="mailto:hopeagain@cruse.org.uk">hopeagain@cruse.org.uk</a> who
They offer a number of leaflets and		will reply to you by email.
publications to help children and		If you want to talk to someone
young people. There are many fiction		direct: <b>Helpline: 0808 808 1677.</b>
and non-fiction books aimed at helping		
children: check out		
their recommended books for children		
and young people.		
Help is at Hand Cymru – a resource for		Web:
people bereaved through suicide or		http://supportaftersuicide.org.uk/
		wp-

other unexplained death, and for those helping them.		content/uploads/2016/10/Wales- HIAH.pdf			
В	ullying				
Organisation	Age	How to Access			
Bullies-Out – is a dedicated anti-		Web: www.bulliesout.com			
bullying charity. Its work is delivered		Email:			
through schools, colleges, youth and		mentorsonline@bulliesout.com			
community settings. They also provide					
education, training and support to					
thousands of young people. If you are					
being bullied or concerned about					
someone who is, you can receive help					
and support form one of our trained					
Mentors.					
NSPCC – offer information on bullying		Web: www.nspcc.org.uk			
& cyber-bullying.		Helpline: 0808 800 5000			
Cou	unselling	Counselling			
Organisation	Age	How to Access			
CISS (Cancer information & Support	Age	How to Access Tel: 01792 655025			
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work. They also provide on-line and telephone support. The Exchange works collaboratively with schools and services which exist to support the wellbeing of children and young people.		www.exchange- counselling.wales/livechat.html Tel: (01792) 346323 Address: The Exchange, 64 Mansel Street, Swansea. SA1 5TN Web: www.exchange- counselling.wales N.B. Referrals are predominately made via a child's school.
Info Nation – utilise the Exchange Counselling service.	11-25	Tel: (01792) 484010 Mob: 07930328607 Email: Info- nation@swansea.gov.uk Address: 47 The Kingsway. SA1 5HG
Kids Cancer Charity – offers free play therapy, counselling and bereavement groups for children who have cancer themselves, have a sibling or close relative with cancer or have been bereaved by cancer.	3-19	Tel: (01792) 480500 Email: Judith.may@kidscancercharity.org Web: www.kidscancercharity.co.uk
LGBT Cymru Helpline - LGBT Cymru offers counselling and advice one to one or via email, telephone and instant messenger to lesbian, gay, bisexual or transgender individuals and their families and friends.		Tel: (0800) 840 2069 (Mondays and Wednesdays 7pm- 9pm) Local Office: (01792) 828057 Email: line@lgbtcymruhelpline.org.uk Web: www.lgbtcymruhelpline.org.uk
New Pathways – offer counselling to children and young people for support with sexual abuse and assault in addition to any other issue.	3-18	Tel: (01685) 379310 Email: enquiries@newpathways.org.uk Web: www.newpathways.org.uk
African Community Centre – Reach Project provides play therapy/counselling to children aged 3		Referral by GP only from the following surgeries:  • Ty'r Felin

– 18 years registered with a GP in the LLwchwr Cluster.		<ul> <li>Pen Y Bryn</li> <li>Tal Y Bont</li> <li>Gowerton</li> <li>Penclawdd</li> <li>Princess Street</li> </ul>
Eating	g Disorde	ers
Organisation	Age	How to Access
<b>B-Eat</b> – is a charity supporting anyone affected by eating disorders or difficulties with food, weight and shape. There is dedicated support for under 25 year olds who can also text or chat online to a member of the youth team.	Under 25 years	Tel: 03456 347650 Email: fyp@b-eat.co.uk Web: www.b-eat.co.uk
	elplines	
Organisation	Age	How to Access
<b>Childline</b> – provides emotional support and advice to children regarding a wide variety of issues		Tel: 0800 1111
Live Fear Free Helpline - is a bilingual information signposting service, to help and guide people with experience of domestic abuse or sexual violence, who are in need of information or access to support services. The helpline is free, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.		Tel: 0808 80 10 800
<b>NSPCC</b> – worried about a child – call a trained counsellor for 24/7 help, advice		Tel: 0808 800 5000 Email: help@nspcc.org.uk
and support.		The Company Oran
	lf-Harm	
Organisation		How to Access
Harmless – a user led organisation that provides a range of services about self-harm including support, information, training and consultancy to people who	23	Web: www.harmless.org.uk/

self-harm, their friends and families		
and professionals.		
Heads above the Waves – A not for		Web: www.hatw.co.uk
profit organisation that raises		Facebook: /headsabovethewaves
awareness of depression and self-harm		Instagram: @headsabovethewaves
in young people.		Twitter: @hatw_uk
Speciali	st Servi	ces
Organisation	Age	How to Access
Advocacy Support Cymru (ASC) –	Under	Tel: 029 20 54 0444
provide Independent Mental Health	18	Email: info@ascymru.org.uk
Advocacy - If you are involved with		Web: www.ascymru.org.uk
CAMHS you can get an ASC advocate to		
help you speak up about the things that		<b>N.B.</b> the service is <b>FREE</b> and
are important to you.		CONFIDENTIAL
Child & Adolescent Mental Health		Tel: 01792 582139
Service (CAMHS) – are specialist NHS		Address: Trehafod Child and
children and young people's mental		Family Clinic, Cockett, Swansea,
health services. If a child needs more		SA2 0GB.
help than friends, family, school and GPs		
can give then a referral to CAMHS may		
be made. CAMHS provides assessment,		Resource of information:
treatment and support for young people		www.youngminds.org.uk
who have emotional, behavioural or		
mental health difficulties. Normally		
young people will be referred to CAMHS		
by their GP, but other health and social		
care professionals can also make a		
referral.		
CREST – Young People's Group –	18-25	N.B. <u>Referrals only rcvd from</u>
part of services provided by the City and		CMHT.
County of Swansea Social Services		
Department. A wide range of activities		Tel: (01792) 652101
and facilities are offered for people with		Web: www.swansea.gov.uk/crest
mental health problems.		Weekly Meetings
Local Primary Mental Health Support	Min –	Tel: 07967612246
Service - Living Life Well Programme	13/14	Email:
		living.lifewell@wales.nhs.uk

Stress Control and ACTivate Your Life – are two taught wellbeing courses open to anyone interested in getting information and advice for managing emotional difficulties. The courses are		Web: www.abm.wales.nhs.uk/livinglife well  N.B. Most under 18s are		
run on a rolling programme throughout		accompanied by an adult, as long		
ABMU health board. They are based on psychological therapies; Stress Control –		as they can sit through the session and take on board the		
Cognitive Behavioural Therapy (CBT) and		information then they would be		
ACTivate Your Life – Acceptance and		welcome.		
Commitment Therapy (ACT).		N.B. Individuals are given		
		materials to compliment the course content.		
The Femilies Tegether Preject		Tel: 02920 789732		
The Families Together Project -	2 11			
Play therapists - offers children	3-11	Email: familiestogether@family-		
specialist play therapy sessions to assist		action.org.uk		
them explore and express emotional issues.				
Tourettes Action - A support group for		Email:		
parents of children and young people		rachel.williams23@yahoo.com		
with TS. Meet ups are in Newport,		Web: www.tourettes-		
South Wales.		action.org.uk		
Suicide	Suicide Prevention			
Organisation	Age	How to Access		

PREGNANCY/POSTNATAL			
Organisation	Age	How to Access	
Action for Children Swansea SAIL -	14-25	Tel: (01792) 585425	
provides bespoke person centred		Email:	
support, advice, informal advocacy and		swanseasail@actionforchildren.	
life coaching to parents between the age		org.uk	
of 14 and 25 living in Swansea.		Web: www.swanseasail.com	
They offer one to one support, support to			
couples or within a small group with			

Tel: 0800 068 4141

Text: 07786209697

Web:

Web: www.papyrus-uk.org

www.zerosuicidealliance.com

Papyrus – suicide prevention

suicide prevention.

line/campaign for young people

Save a life - free online training on

either a life coach or systemic therapist.	Address: Suite 14, Henley House,
Support can be for wellbeing, self-	The Queensway, Fforestfach,
esteem, confidence, isolation-through to	Swansea, SA4 5DJ
liaising and working with other	
professionals such as social services.	Running until March 2020
Couples can access support whether they	
are pregnant or whether or not their child	
is living with them – including when a	
child has been adopted. Swansea SAIL	
offers non-professional sexual health	
advice, condoms and pregnancy tests as	
well as a first response service in the early	
stages of pregnancy to support decision	
making	
PRAMS (Perinatal Response and	Referrals are made through a
Management Service) – is a specialist	person's midwife, health visitor
NHS team. They work with women with	or GP. If they are already are
significant stress and other mental health	known to a psychiatrist, they can
problems around pregnancy and up to a	make the referral too.
year after birth. They provide assessment	
and treatment of anxiety, depression and	
distress following traumatic births as well	
as supporting women with more serious	
mental illnesses such as Manic	
Depression. They can give advice on and	
prescribe medication, provide talking	
/1	
therapies, meet partners, run support	

REPRESENTATION, ENGAGEMENT & CAMPAIGNS			
Organisation	Age	How to Access	
Time to Change Wales – is a national		Web:	
campaign to end the stigma and		www.timetochangewales.org.uk	
discrimination faced by people with			
mental health problems. The Young			
Person's Pilot Programme aims to			
increase young people's awareness and			
understanding of mental health			

groups, and will work midwifes, health visitors and GPs to come up with a plan that the woman feels comfortable with.

problems, reduce the stigma,		
discrimination and social isolation		
experienced by those with mental health		
problems and improve wellbeing.		

SEXUAL HEALTH		
Organisation	Age	How to Access
Info Nation	11-25	Tel: (01792) 484010
C Card Scheme – provides free condoms		Mob: 07930328607
and is available Tuesday - Saturday from		Email: <u>Info-</u>
1- 5pm.		nation@swansea.gov.uk
Integrated Sexual Health Drop In - every		Address: 47 The Kingsway,
Friday afternoon staffed by NHS workers.		Swansea SA1 5HG
Offering a range of services.		
Live Fear Free Helpline - is a bilingual	-	Tel: 0808 80 10 800
information signposting service, to help		The helpline is free, 24 hours a
and guide people with experience of		day, 7 days a week.
domestic abuse or sexual violence, who		
are in need of information or access to		
support services.		
New Pathways		Tel: (01685) 379310
provide a <b>SARC</b> (Sexual Abuse Referral		Email:
Centre) and an <b>ISVA</b> (Independent Sexual		enquiries@newpathways.org.uk
Violence Advocate) service		Web: www.newpathways.org.uk
Parents of Abused Children – peer		
support group every Friday (12:30pm –		
2:30pm) in their head office in Merthyr.		
<b>NSPCC</b> – provide information and support	-	Tel: 0808 800 5000
on harmful sexual behaviour. If you are		Email: help@nspcc.org.uk
worried about a child trained helpline		
counsellors are able to offer advice and		Web:
support 24/7.		https://www.nspcc.org.uk/prev
		enting-abuse/child-abuse-and-
		neglect/harmful-sexual-
		<u>behaviour/</u>

SOCIAL/LEISURE/CLUBS		
Organisation	Age	How to Access
BikeAbility Wales – provides a cycling		Dunvant Rugby Club, Broadacre,
opportunity for everyone to enjoy. It was		Killay, Swansea. SA2 7RU

set up to enable people of all abilities to enjoy the pleasures of health benefits of cycling. BikeAbility holds cycle sessions each week, with bikes to suit all ages and abilities.	2.10	Tel: 07584044284 or 07968109145 Web: www.bikeabilitywales.org.uk
Circus Eruption – promotes the social inclusion and integration of young people aged 3-19 years through the medium of circus skills.  Youth Group - A circus project for 11-18 year olds who are from families who are or have been refugees / asylum seekers. An opportunity to learn and develop a range of circus skills. There is funding to provide transport which needs to be	3-19	Tel: (01792) 795778 Facebook: www.facebook.com/groups/500 4889545/ Every Tuesday 6:45pm-8:45pm in Parc Tawe
arranged beforehand so please contact. Young people can just turn up but a signature from an adult responsible for them is needed.		Tal. 01702 622054
CCof S Young People's Service - Evolve offers a range of services for young people, and their families: Support from a lead worker, in times of difficulty / Specialist support in areas such as sexual health, domestic abuse, risk taking behaviour and safety online / Opportunities for young people that require additional support to get in, and stay in, employment, education or training Youth Clubs take place in: Blaenymaes, Central, Clydach, Gendros, Gorseinon, Landore, Morriston, Pontarddulais, Rhossilli, St Thomas, Stadwen and Townhill.		Tel: 01792 633954 Email: youth.service@swansea.gov.uk
CCofS Children's Play Team – provide free play sessions all year round to improve physical and mental health. For more information about their Play on	5-14	Tel: 01792 635480 Email: play@swansea.gov.uk Web: http://www.swansea.gov.uk/art

Wheels and Open Access sessions see		icle/7602/The-Childrens-Play-
their website.		<u>Team</u>
YMCA Swansea	11-25	Drop-In - Monday to Friday –
Y HUB - an open access youth club that		10am to 3pm
supports young people aged 11-25 to		Email: info@ymcaswansea.org.
access information and support through		uk
workshops, youth workers and peer to		
peer support.		Tel: (01792) 652032
		Web: www.ymcaswansea.org.uk
Volunteering – Y-Engage supports young		
people and adults to access accredited		
volunteering opportunities. Volunteering		
hours are accredited through Millennium		
volunteers (if eligible).		
LGBT Youth Club Good Vibes – provides a		
safe environment for young people		
seeking guidance and advice. They offer:		
- Youth workshops		
- LGBT+ awareness		
- Opportunity to make friends		
- 1 to 1 help & support		
T to I licip a support		

SUBSTANCE MISUSE		
Organisation	Age	How to Access
Barod (formerly drugaid) – Choices –	11 – 25	Tel: 01792 472002
provides drug and alcohol information &		Web:
advice to any young people under 25		http://www.choices.cymru/
years. Young people can seek support		Address: Info-Nation, 47 The
from Choices regarding: their own		Kingsway, Swansea, SA1 5HG
substance use; someone else's drug and		
alcohol use; or if they would like more		Referrals can be taken over the
information about specific substances.		phone or email a referral form to
Choices provide a harm reduction		a member of the Choices team.
approach to all young people who wish		
to engage with the service. Choices offer		
a wide range of provisions including:		
<ul> <li>A comprehensive assessment of</li> </ul>		
their substance use; competence		
and any child protection concerns		

<ul> <li>One-to-One appointments</li> <li>Advice and information on safer sex; Blood Borne Viruses and medical interventions (such as substitute prescribing)</li> <li>Diversionary activities</li> <li>Outreach services</li> <li>A comprehensive substance misuse education and prevention programme that is currently delivered in all secondary schools in and around Swansea</li> </ul>		
DAN 24/7 – provide information via a leaflet for families where a parents/carers substance misuse/use is impacting on family functioning and where the health and development of children and young people is affected.	-	Web: www.dan247.org.uk/Literature. asp

Support for SCHOOLS		
Organisation	Age	How to Access
<b>Boing Boing –</b> provides opportunities to		Web:
learn about resilience.		https://www.boingboing.org.uk/re
		silience/resilient-therapy-
		resilience-framework/
Childline Schools Service - NSPCC -		Contact: Natalie Evans
provides a free service talking to		Email: Natalie.evans@nspcc.co.uk
primary school children about abuse in		Web:
all its forms. The delivery model is in		www.nspcc.org.uk/childlineschool
two stages. Firstly, we deliver a 30-		<u>sservice</u>
minute assembly to Y5 and 6 pupils to		
inform children of the different types of		
abuse and where they can go to seek		
help. The second stage, which happens		
approximately 1-2 weeks later, is an		
interactive classroom-based workshop		
lasting up to 1 hour, to reinforce the		

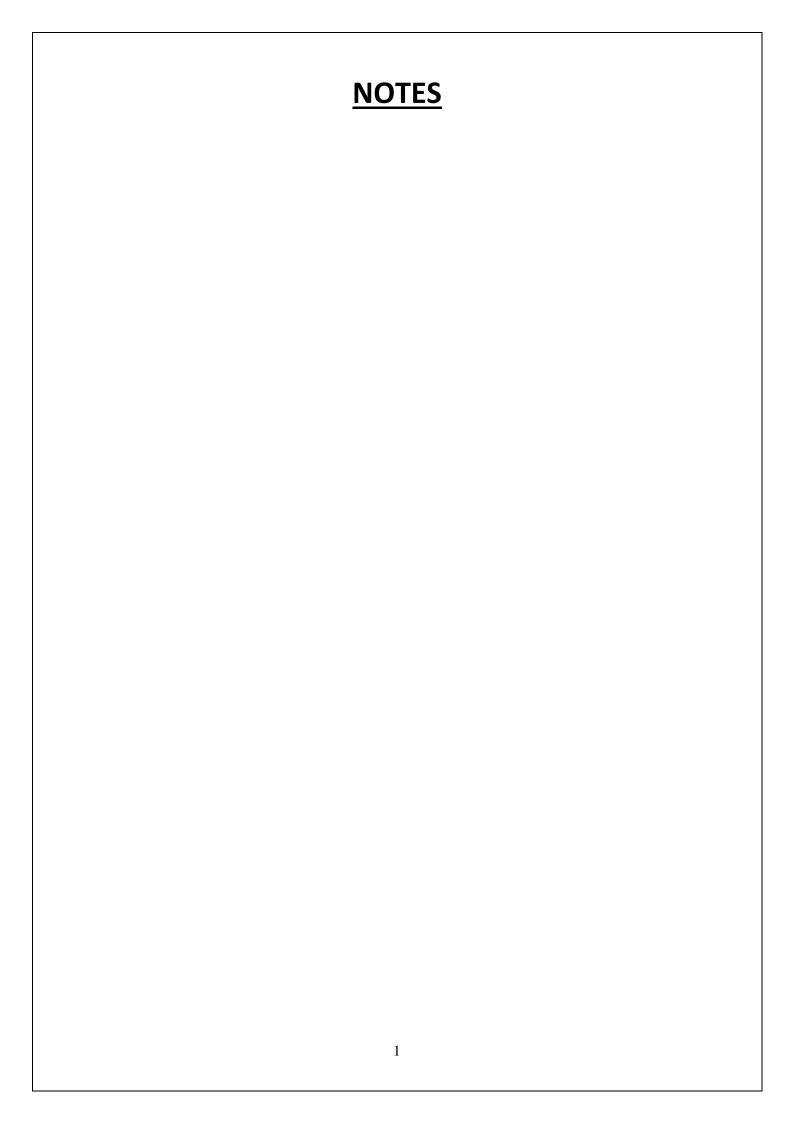
assembly messages and encourage	
discussion and questions.	
Cruse Bereavement – Hope Again -	Tel: 01792 462845
Trains and equips the school by getting	Web: www.hopeagain.org.uk
it 'bereavement ready'. They have	Web: www.cruse.org.uk
specialist schools packs and training for	
staff.	
Hafan Cymru – Spectrum Project - is	Tel: 01267 266924
funded to raise awareness of Domestic	Email:
Abuse and associated issues in all	Carys.Sexton@hafancymru.co.uk
secondary and primary schools in Wales.	
All Spectrum sessions:	Ready to use resources:
<ul> <li>Promote the importance</li> </ul>	There are free on-line resources
of healthy relationships and raise	available for teachers to use in class
the awareness of children, young	that can be downloaded from the
people and adults about the issues	Spectrum website or via HWB. They
of Violence against Women,	fit into two main categories:
Domestic Abuse and Sexual	•Follow on resources for children of
Violence (VAW, DA or SV).	all ages to undertake once
<ul> <li>Are delivered by qualified and</li> </ul>	Spectrum sessions have been
experienced teachers. Sessions	completed in school.
can be delivered in Welsh or	<ul> <li>Stand-alone activities based on</li> </ul>
English and all resources	themes discussed in sessions (i.e.
are bilingual.	VAW, DA or SV.) These include, for
Are cross curricular and are	example, 5 minute lesson plans,
designed to promote peer	games, short activities, ideas for
discussion, using a range of	assemblies or "Thought for the
techniques.	Day" suggestions.
<ul> <li>Use materials that are thought</li> </ul>	
provoking, but are not designed to	
be so emotive as to cause distress,	
including the concept of "The	
Safety Zone".	
Are designed to promote	
discussion not disclosure.	
Conclude with information for	
young people on where they can	
access help and support both	

inside and outside the school.

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The Project also delivers training for all	
school staff and for parents on:	
Raising awareness of domestic	
abuse	
<ul> <li>Understanding the effects of</li> </ul>	
domestic abuse on a child	
<ul> <li>A whole school approach to</li> </ul>	
tackling VAW, DA or SV.	
Heads above the Waves - a not for	Web: www.hatw.co.uk
profit organisation that raises	Facebook: /headsabovethewaves
awareness of depression and self-harm	Instagram: @headsabovethewaves
in young people by promoting positive,	Twitter: @hatw_uk
creative ways of dealing with the bad	
days. Can deliver workshops for schools.	
HWB Abertawe – (Health & Well Being)	Contact: Amanda Edwards
Abertawe is a project offering practical	Tel: 01792 544006
support and advice about healthy	Email:
eating. Experienced Healthy Lifestyle	Amanda edwards@scvs.org.uk
Officers will work with families	Web: www.scvs.org.uk/hwb-
/individuals/community settings/	abertawe
schools to co-design their healthy	
lifestyle programme, ensuring it's both	
achievable and tailored to meet their	
needs.	
Mentally Healthy Schools	Web:
Mentally Healthy Schools brings	https://www.mentallyhealthyscho
together quality-assured information,	ols.org.uk/
advice and resources to help primary	
schools understand and promote	
children's mental health and wellbeing.	
Our aim is to increase staff awareness,	
knowledge and confidence to help you	
support your pupils.	
Mindfulness In Schools Project (MiSP) -	Contact: Gareth Clode
is a charity whose aim is to inform,	Mob: 07960 329 766
create, train and support the teaching	Email: gareth@learning2b.co.uk
of secular mindfulness to young	Web:
people and those who care for them.	www.mindfulnessinschools.org
<b>paws</b> .b is a twelve session mindfulness	
course for primary schools, based on six	

themes, and ideally taught to 7 – 11 year olds. It is adapted from the <b>.b</b> mindfulness curriculum for secondary	paws .b Flyer.pdf .b Foundations Flyer.pdf
schools, as well as influenced by adult	, '
mindfulness courses.	
NSPCC – Speak Out, Stay Safe	Contact: Natalie Evans, Area
Programme – is a UK wide NPSCC	Coordinator, Schools Service South
programme offering biannual visits to all	Wales.
primary school. The objectives of the	Tel: 07500 122 509
rights based schools service are that	Email: natalie.evans@nspcc.org.uk
children:	Resource Link:
- Understand abuse in all its forms	https://www.nspcc.org.uk/service
- Learn how to protect themselves	s-and-resources/working-with-
from all forms of abuse.	schools/speak-out-stay-safe-
- Recognise both how to get help	service/
and the sources of help available	
to them including trusted adults	N.B. Additionally, NSPCC can offer
and Childline.	advice / guidance to primary
Foundation Phase Assembly suitable for	schools about relevant NSPCC
Years 1 & 2 @ 20 Mins	products and services which are
Key Stage 2 Assembly suitable for Years	relevant to schools, children and
3-6 @ 30 Mins	families. They offer a limited
Year 5 & 6 Workshops @ 45-60 Mins per	number of Online Safety
class.	Workshops for parents/carers in
	school settings.
Place2Be - a children's mental health	Web:
charity providing school-based support	https://www.place2be.org.uk/
and in-depth training programmes to	
improve the emotional wellbeing of	
pupils, families, teachers and school	
staff.	
SYSHP (Swansea Young Single Homeless	Contact: Nia Williams, Project
Project) – <b>Regenerate Project</b> can	Coordinator
deliver the 6 week STAR programme	Tel: 01792 537530
(Safety, Trust and Respect) at Secondary	Email: N.Williams@syshp.org.uk
Schools, age 13 +.	
Time to Change – a national campaign	Web: https://www.time-to-
to end the stigma and discrimination by	change.org.uk/get-involved/get-
people with mental health problems;	involved-in-schools

Provides resources for teachers and schools.	
Twinkl – Mental Health resources	Web: https://www.twinkl.co.uk/ Search Mental Health
Voice Collective - is a UK-wide, London-based project that supports children and young people who hear voices, see visions, have other 'unusual' sensory experiences or beliefs. We also offer support for parents/families, and training for youth workers, social workers, mental health professionals and other supporters".	Web: <a href="http://www.voicecollective.co.uk/">http://www.voicecollective.co.uk/</a> Email: <a href="mailto:info@voicecollective.co.uk">info@voicecollective.co.uk</a> Tel: 0207 911 0822
YMCA – Swansea YMCA PSE Raising Awareness sessions in schools across Swansea to raise awareness of the issues that young carers face in primary, comprehensive and colleges.	Contact: Egija Cinovska Tel: 07946348878 Email: egija@ymcaswansea.org.uk



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### **PLEASE NOTE:**

The information provided in this booklet is intended to help you make an informed decision in relation to your own circumstances. You must consider whether you feel they are the right options for you. This is a list of useful organisations for your reference. This list is by no means exhaustive.

For further information, or if you would like to add or amend an entry please contact the

**SCVS Mental Health Development Service:** 

Beth Preston, Mental Health Information Officer -

beth\_preston@scvs.org.uk

Tel: 01792 544030

You can download this directory from the SCVS Mental Health Development Service webpage:

www.scvs.org.uk/mental-health-development-service
Or from the QR code below:



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