

The 'Get Involved' Survey

We asked you some questions about what is going well, what could be better and how you might like to get involved with care experienced young people.



YOU SAID

4 to 10 years old Survey Findings

What is going well...

- Nearly all of said you felt very safe or safe where you live.
- Nearly all of you said you had friends you trust to talk with.
- Almost all of you said you know your children's rights.
- You get asked about your views most of the time or some of the time.
- Social workers, teachers and carers ask you the most about your thoughts and opinions.
- Fun activities, hobbies and safe adults.

What could be better...

- Make sure you know who your Social Worker and other trusted adults are.
- More activities to do in the community.
- Some young people want to know more about their children's rights.

YOU SAID



*Nearly all young people said **yes** to attending activities with other care experienced young people*

You said you would like to take part in:

- 1. Outdoor activities**
- 2. Arts and crafts**
- 3. Sports**
- 4. In person activities**
- 5. Music / drama.**

Thank you for answering the questions. We will make changes to help all young people.

WE WILL

1. Make sure you know who your Social Worker and other trusted adults are.
2. We will make sure that the adults supporting you know about your children's rights and where you can find information about this.
3. Support you to get involved with other care experienced young people through outdoor activities, arts and crafts, sports, in person activities and music and drama.

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YOU SAID

11 to 15 years old Survey Findings

What is going well...

- Nearly all of said you felt very safe where you live.
- Almost all of you said you had friends you trust to talk with.
- Almost all of you said you know your children's/ human rights.
- You get asked about your views most of the time or some of the time.
- Social workers, teachers, carers and family ask you about your thoughts and opinions.
- Safe adults to talk to and feeling supported.
- Enjoying school and hobbies.

What could be better...

- Keeping in touch with your family.
- Living closer to family.
- Wellbeing- to feel better about yourself.



YOU SAID

*Half of all 11-15 years old (14 young people) said **yes** to attending activities with other care experienced young people*

You said you would like to take part in:

- 1. Outdoor activities**
- 2. In person meet up activities**
- 3. Sports**
- 4. Online social media**
- 5. Arts and crafts/ music and drama**

Thank you for answering the questions. We will make changes to help all young people.

WE WILL

1. Make sure you know who your Social Worker and other trusted adults are.
2. Help the adults looking after you, listen to what you have to say.
3. Explore different ways to keep in touch with family.
4. Support you to get involved with other care experienced young people through outdoor activities, in person meet up activities, online social media, arts and crafts and music and drama.

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YOU SAID

16 to 24 years old Survey Findings

What is going well...

- Nearly all of said you felt very safe (53%) or safe (33%) where you live.
- Nearly all of you said you had friends you trust to talk with.
- Almost all of you said you know your children's rights/ human rights.
- You get asked about your views most of the time or some of the time.
- Family members, Social Workers and other young people ask about your opinions.
- Family connections.
- Education and further education.

What could be better...

- More activities to do in the community.
- Access to information about Mental Health and Wellbeing.
- Access to Housing and Tenancy support.
- Benefits support.



YOU SAID



*53% (8) said
yes to attending
activities with
other care
experienced
young people*

*You said you would like to
take part in:*

- 1. In person activities (75%)**
- 2. Sports (50%)**
- 3. Outdoor activities (50%)**
- 4. Arts and crafts (25%)**
- 5. Online social media (25%)**

Thank you for answering the questions. We will make changes to help all young people.

WE WILL

1. Support you with information about benefits and housing.
2. Provide you with information to access mental health support.
3. Support you to get involved with other care experienced young people through in person activities, sports, outdoor activities, arts and crafts and online social media.