

UVP

USER VOICE & PARTICIPATION



UVP team run participation groups for a wide range of young people who are accessing services. The work we do as a team is aimed to empower young people to give their views on the services they are using. We then work alongside services and senior management to try and implement these changes and make a real difference to all children and young people who are using them.



Care Council

Care Council is a participation group for 13-25-year old children & young people in care or whom have left care. The group is a safe space for them to share their views and feelings on the care system and help make a positive change for young people being looked after by Surrey by working with professionals and giving feedback.



Care Council Juniors

Care Council Juniors is for 8-13-year-old children in care, fostering and under special arrangement orders. Care Council Juniors members engage in social events alongside consultation workshops to help our young people be heard by giving feedback on Surrey's services in addition to networking with one another.



Care Leavers' Forum

The Care Leavers' Forum is for care leavers aged 18+ and is an open space for them to talk about any issues they are facing that are specific to them. Care Leavers' Forum can help to access support services, help influence service delivery and meet new peers who may be in similar situations to them.



Surrey Youth Cabinet

For Surrey residents aged 11 – 19 years, or up to 25 years for those with additional needs. Surrey Youth Cabinet hold monthly meetings, usually in Woking, Children and Young people decide on locations. The group gather the views, experiences, opinions and concerns of young people living in Surrey.



CAMHS Youth Advisors

CAMHS Youth Advisors (CYA) is a participation group for children and young people aged 10-25 who access emotional wellbeing and mental health services in Surrey. CYA ensures young people have their voices heard and make a positive difference to the services that they access.



SEND Youth Advisors Surrey

SYAS is a participation group for children and young people aged 10-25 who have Special Educational Needs and/or Disability (SEND) in Surrey. SYAS enables young people with SEND have their voices heard.



Parent and Carers Advisors

PACA is a participation and support group for parents and carers of children and young people who access social care, emotional wellbeing, mental health services and Special Educational Needs and Disability Services in Surrey



Crossroads

For 8 – 25 year olds. Hearing views from those involved and close to youth violence, crime and those being exploited. Crossroad will offer peer to peer support and discussion about topics that affect them, help build confidence and social skills, signpost employment support, CV and interview preparation.

Review UVP Team participation reports and feedback here:

https://orbispartnerships.sharepoint.com/sites/user_voice_and_participation_team/Shared%20Documents/Forms/AllItems.aspx

Don't hesitate to contact us!

If you are interested in any of our teams' projects or you would like to join one of our participation groups, please see below for how you can contact us.

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