Third Sectors Role & Participation in Children Services

CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE'S SERVICE PLAN

Supporting Children, Young People & Families in Aberdeenshire

- Ensuring every child has the best start in life and is ready to succeed
- Improving life chances for children, young people, and families at risk
- Helping young people become successful learners, confident individuals, effective contributors, and responsible citizens
- Our three-year plan sets out how local services are planned and delivered to make sure children, young people, and families receive the right support, at the right time, from the right people.

WORKING WITH CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE?

The National Approaches

Getting It Right For Every Child (GIRFEC)

Child Protection

United Nations Convention For The Rights Of The Child (UNCRC)

Everyone's business and everyone's responsibility

ABERDEENSHIRE'S 5 PRIORITIES

DEVELOPMENT

YOUTH SERVICES GROUP

Young people are safe, valued and listened to in our communities

WHOLE FAMILY WELLBEING GROUP

Whole Family Wellbeing is promoted and improved by enabling families to get the right support early and effectively.

ASN & DISABILITIES GROUP

Children and young people with additional support needs and/or disability and their families are well supported to achieve their potential.

CORPORATE PARENTING GROUP

Aberdeenshire's Care Experienced Young People will have a good loving childhood, where their needs are met, and outcomes are improved for them through ensuring The Promise is kept

MENTAL HEALTH GROUP

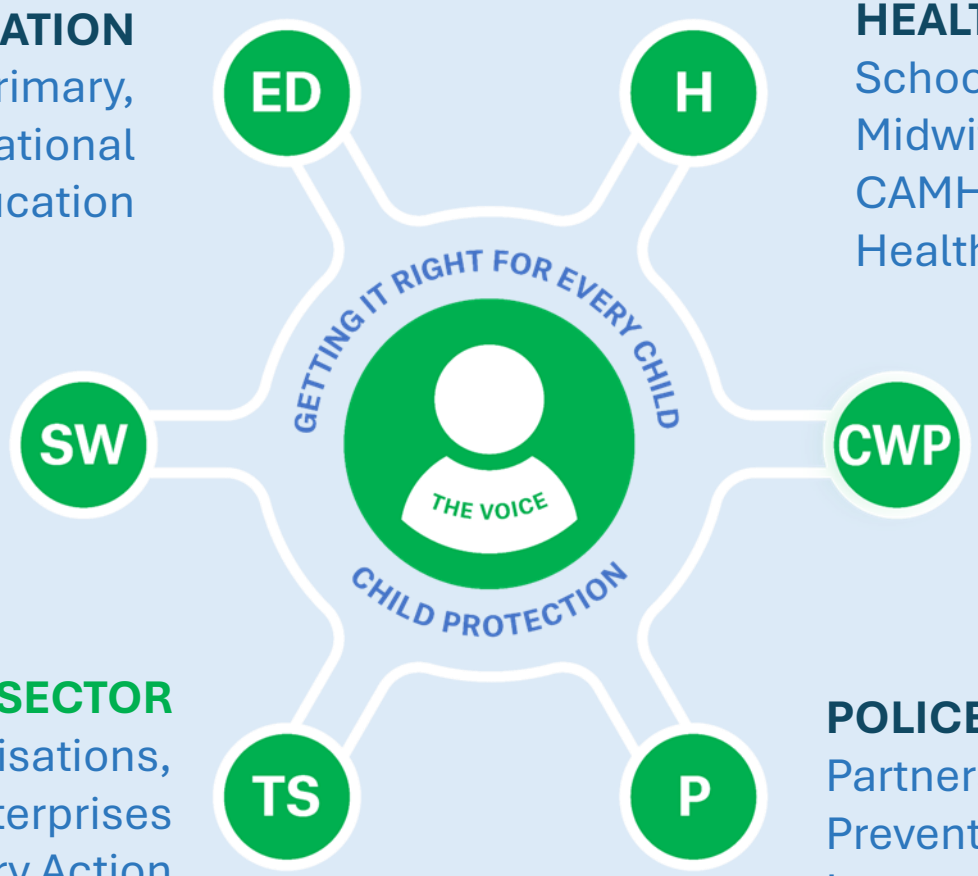
Children and young people's mental health is promoted and improved.

PARTNER REPRESENTATION

EDUCATION
Early Years, Primary, Secondary, Educational Psychology, Further Education

SOCIAL WORK
Children & Families, Youth Justice, Adult Services, Through Care & After Care

THIRD SECTOR
Charities, Voluntary Organisations, Community Groups, Social Enterprises
Aberdeenshire Voluntary Action

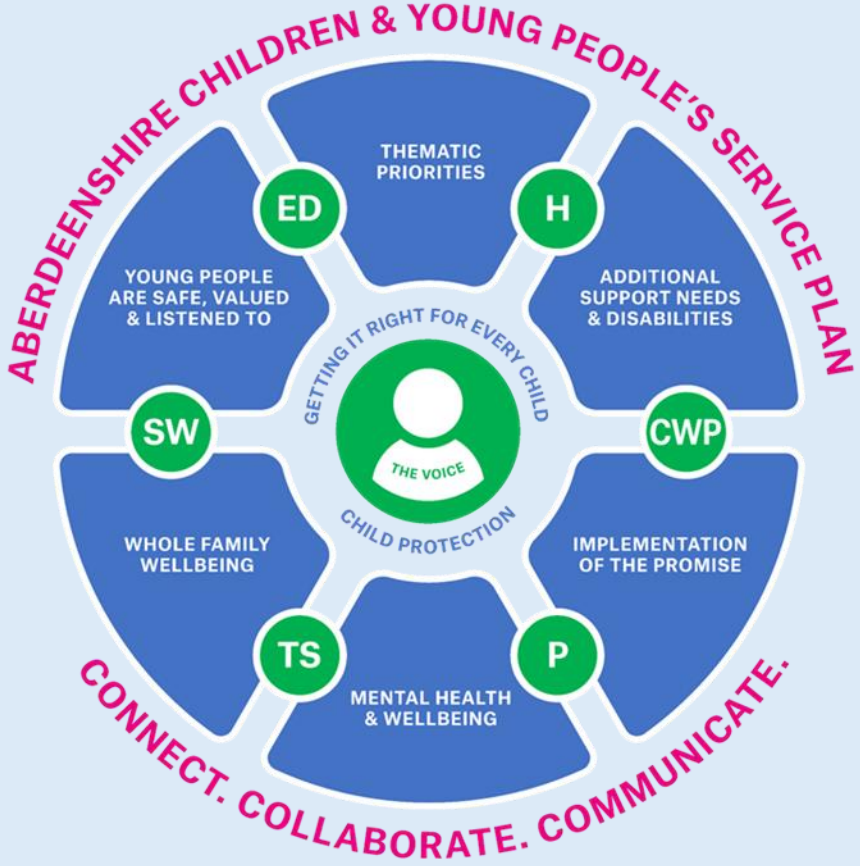


HEALTH
School Nursing, Health Visitors, Midwifery, Speech & Language, CAMHS (Community Mental Health Service), Child Health

COMMUNITIES, WELLBEING & PARTNERSHIPS
Active Schools, Community Learning & Development, Live Life Aberdeenshire

POLICE SCOTLAND
Partnerships, Preventions, Interventions & Events

SHARED WORKING TOGETHER

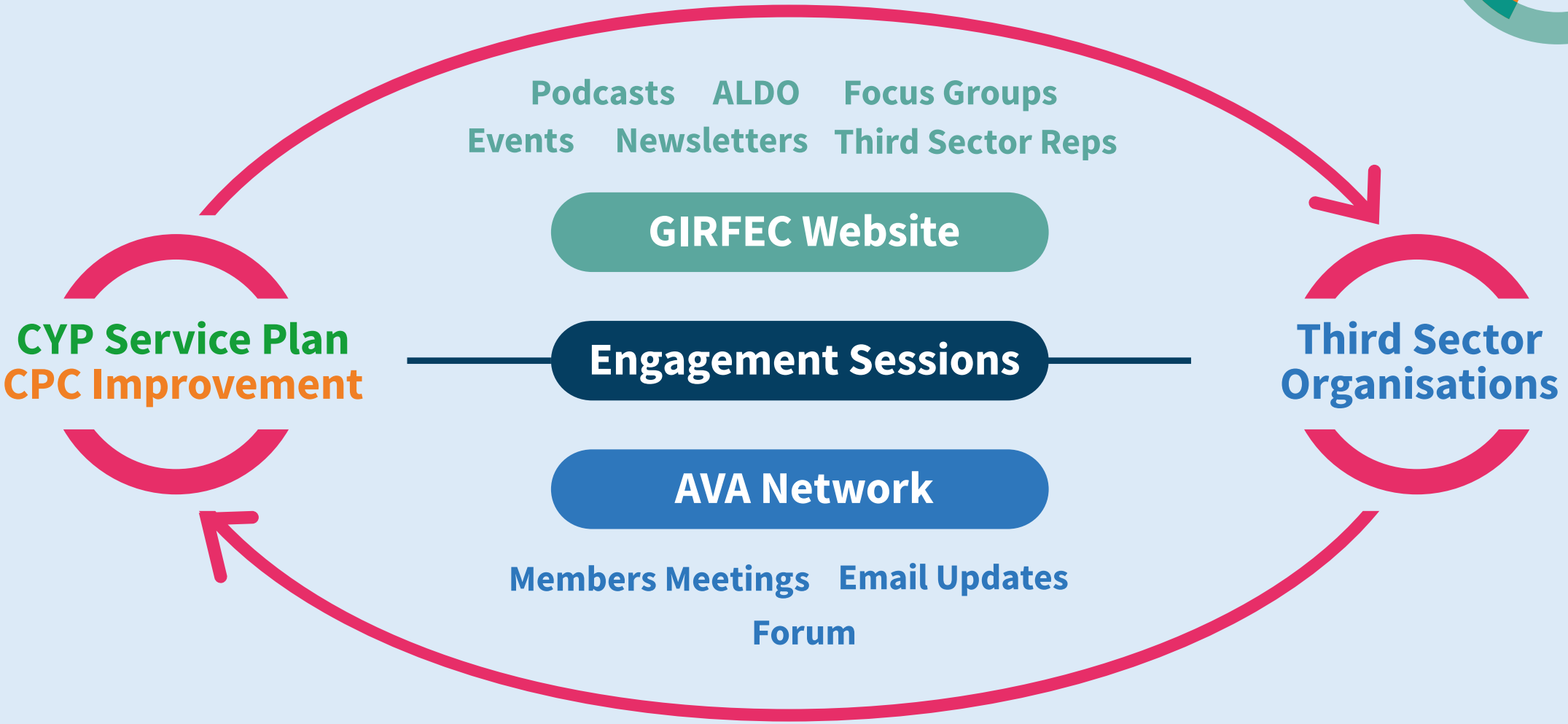


"Our commitment to Aberdeenshire's children and young people, is to provide them with the right support, in the right place at the right time.

In helping them reach individual potential and goals, we will work together to make Aberdeenshire the best place in Scotland to grow up."

Aberdeenshire Children & Young People's Services Plan

WAYS TO KEEP CONNECTED



GIRFEC WEBSITE

Discover more...

- **Third Sector Page**
- **Links to Children & Young People's Services Plan including Our Priorities pages**
- **Newsletters including GIRFEC, Whole Systems, The Promise**
- **UNCRC Podcasts**
- **Events Page for learning & development opportunities**
- **Learning & Development including sign posting to GIRFEC Portal**

For any more information contact the communications group
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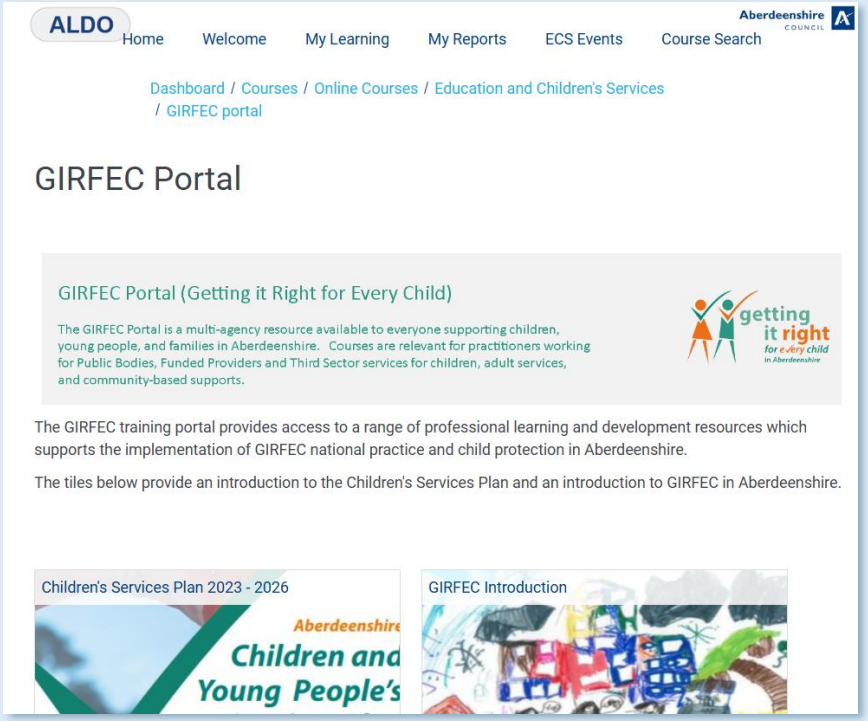
LEARNING & DEVELOPMENT PORTAL

Keeping your organisation upskilled and informed...

The GIRFEC training portal on ALDO provides access to a range of professional learning and development resources which supports the implementation of GIRFEC national practice and child protection in Aberdeenshire.



ALDO support: **aldosupport@aberdeenshire.gov.uk**

3C ENGAGEMENT SESSIONS

CONNECT

Time & Space Bringing Third Sector Organisations and Children Services Partners together.

COLLABORATE

Joint working An opportunity to share knowledge and gather views.

COMMUNICATE

Promote Time to cascade learning and relevant opportunities with colleagues.

CHILDREN & FAMILIES NETWORK

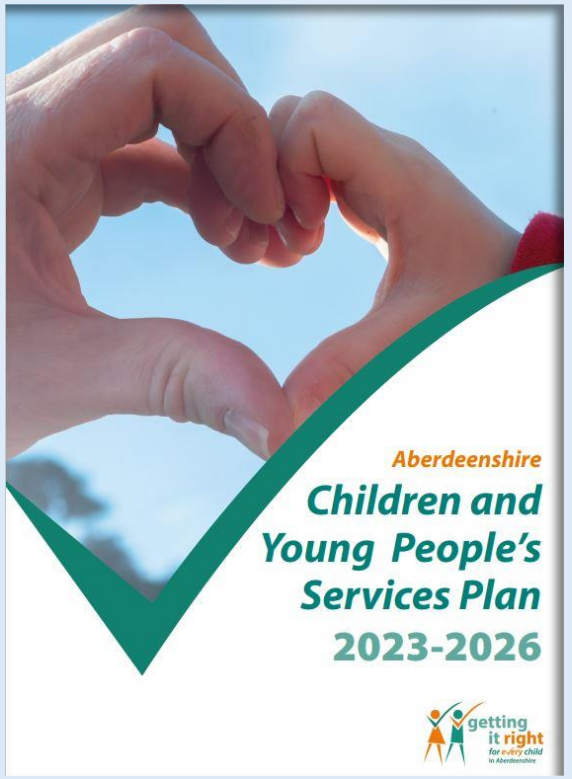
Aberdeenshire Voluntary Action (AVA)

Aberdeenshire's Children & Families Network, is open to any Third Sector Organisation who work with or has an interest in the mental health and wellbeing of children, young people, carers and families living in Aberdeenshire.

Keep your organisation connected by joining the Network.

OUR SHARED RESPONSIBILITY

GIRFEC is everyone's business

CHILD PROTECTION is everyone's responsibility

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