Referral process

Referrals can be made by Young People themselves, parents/guardians, any organisation working with the young person.

For more information or to make a referral



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or scan the QR code below





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YOUNG PEOPLES LISTENING PROJECT

FOR YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 12-18 IN ST HELENS





ABOUT US

We support 12-18 year olds with low level mental health concerns.

We aim to

- Give young people a greater awareness of mental health.
- Reduce isolation and promote healthy relationships.
- Support young people to become more emotionally aware and resilient.
- Help young people increase their self-confidence and self-esteem.
- Empower young people to take control of their mental health.
- Promote self-care and wellbeing.



1:1 Listening Service

An opportunity for young people to speak to a qualified/experienced "listener" either face to face or online (via e-mail, phone or social media).

The 1:1 sessions provides opportunities to:

- Talk in a non-judgmental, compassion focussed, safe space
- Build Emotional Resilience
- Develop & strengthen problem Solving Skills and coping/wellbeing techniques
- Set personal SMART Goals and develop useable, personal wellbeing action plans



Peer Support Group

Bringing young people together to build a network of support and strengthen relationships and mental health related skills/knowledge.

The group will provide opportunities to:

- Strengthen skills/knowledge around "Five Ways Of Wellbeing"
- Make new friends and build a compassion focused support network.
- Build Emotional Resilience
- Develop & strengthen problem solving skills and coping/wellbeing techniques
- Support others and be supported whilst increasing self-esteem, self-awareness and self-confidence.

