

I don't know where I'd be now if it wasn't for the Foyer, I've learned to forgive and trust people again because Foyer staff stayed and supported me no matter what.

— Tenant Quote



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who?
what?
why?
how?

At the Foyer based in Aberdeen we work to prevent and alleviate youth homelessness and unemployment across the North East of Scotland.

We offer a range of services to young people from supported tenancies to former homeless and those at risk, together with a series of education, training, mentoring, counselling, employment support and health improvement services.

“Investing in young people is not optional. We cannot fail those who need accommodation with support, who need someone to listen to them, sometimes challenge them and respect them, who need to know there is hope and opportunity, who need to know that they too can succeed in Scotland today.”

— Ken Milroy MBE
Chief Executive

‘All young people need a home, support and a springboard into independent living, learning and work. Some don’t have it. Aberdeen Foyer helps fill the gap.’



There are many reasons why a young person may need a **safe home** along with individualised support to make changes from what may have been a chaotic, possibly troubled, life towards a positive and productive future. We **listen** and respond to the **hopes** and **aspirations** of young people as they make the universal transition from adolescence to adulthood.

Working with partners, we offer a 'pipeline' of informal as well as accredited learning and training opportunities, to suit people at different points of moving towards and into work. You can select from a continuum of **services** to build a **personalised package of support and training** specific to your needs and goals leading to the best possible results.

Our **Foyer Enterprise businesses** are integral to the essence of the organisation. They provide valuable **income** to support our work, **raise the profile** of the Foyer in the **wider community** and provide invaluable employment, **work experience** and **training opportunities** for those with whom we work.

a safe home



moving towards and into work



Foyer Enterprise businesses



individual support



develop talents open opportunity



independent living learning and work

Our approach recognises that **tackling homelessness** is not just a matter of providing a roof over someone's head, but necessitates addressing the underlying causes and critically providing people with the means of gaining and sustaining employment. The Foyer helps to marry **social and economic benefit**; to join things up in a way that makes sense.

Some people have had a difficult start in life. At the Foyer we emphasise the **positive** and work to create the **appropriate environment** for individuals to **develop their talents**, we open up opportunities and offer engaging services to affect real and lasting change in their lives, enabling them to take the **next steps** towards **independent living, learning and work**.

a home a job good health belonging



Young people



Safe home



Healthy mind and body



Learning



Training



Employment



Fun



Move on