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**DIRECTORY OF DRUGS SERVICES
FOR
THE NORTH INNER CITY**

COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION PROJECT 2009

The community participation project is a joint project of the two community networks in Dublin's North inner City, the inner city organisations network (ICON) and the North West Inner City Network (NWICN). It is funded by the North Inner City Local Drugs Task Force. The aim of the Community Participation Project is to help local people to become involved in the actions and decisions which affect their communities.



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WHAT IS IN THIS DIRECTORY

- The directory is intended to inform drug users and their families of the services available for residents of the north inner city. All information was correct at the time of printing.
- The inclusion of a service is not an indication of endorsement by the community participation project and some services may have been unintentionally overlooked.

• HOW TO USE THIS DIRECTORY

- Organisations are listed alphabetically by title in the main body of the directory.
- Organisations starting with the words 'the', 'an' or 'a' are ordered by the following word.
- Organisations are also grouped by theme or support provided in the subject index.

ACTS OF COMPASSION MINISTRIES

Organisation Type: Voluntary

Contact Details

Address:	C/o Community Technical Aid, Unit 1&2 Killarney Court, Buckingham Street, Dublin 1
Phone:	087 692 9777
Email:	voluntarychaplinsworkeurope@yahoo.com
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Saturday and Sunday from 11:30-3:00
Description of Service:	Information provision, group work, referrals, advocacy
Service Provided:	Counselling, support, advocacy
Access to Service:	Drop in referrals from anywhere
Target Area:	Dublin inner city, but will take from anywhere
Target Group:	Men and Women
Conditions of Acceptance:	None
Disability Access:	Wheelchair accessibility, adapted toilets
<p>The initial focus of the group was working with people from minority ethnic communities but they accept people from all communities and would have a good mix of indigenous Irish and new communities.</p>	
Contact:	Rev. Amos Ngeugi

AFTER CARE RECOVERY GROUP

Organisation Type: Community

Contact Details	
Address:	48 Seville Place, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 855 7952
Fax:	01 855 7611
Email:	tkacrg@hotmail.com
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Monday – Friday 9.30a.m – 5p.m
Description of Service:	Day programme that offers a therapeutic, non-medical service and practical support to those maintaining drug free status
Service Provided:	Individual & Group Therapy Access to further education /training, relaxation techniques and parenting skills
Access to Service:	You must be drug free
Target Area:	North Inner City
Target Group:	Women & Men
Conditions of Acceptance:	Must be eligible for Community Employment Scheme

ACET (AIDS CARE, EDUCATION & TRAINING)**Organisation Type: Voluntary/Community****Contact Details**

Address:	14 Lower O'Connell Street, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 878 7700
Fax:	01 878 8601
Email:	dublin@acet.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Office staffed Mon-Fri 9.30-3.00 Mon-Fri 9-5 (sometimes has evening/ weekend activities)
Description of Service:	Provision of practical care for those affected by AIDS, sexual health & drugs. Provision of education & training on HIV & AIDS, sexual health & drugs.
Service Provided:	Counselling, health education, training, support, advocacy
Access to Service:	Referral from HSE, hospitals, clinics, churches.
Target Area:	Mostly Dublin
Target Group:	Men, young people, children, women, minority ethnic communities
Conditions of Acceptance:	None
Disability Access:	Limited
Contact:	Administrator or Outreach Worker

ANA LIFFEY DRUG PROJECT

Organisation Type: Community

Contact Details	
Address:	48 Middle Abbey Street
Phone:	01 878 6899
Fax:	01 878 6828
Email:	info@aldp.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Monday to Friday 10am to 12pm and 2pm to 5pm. Closed Wednesday afternoon
Description of Service:	'Low Threshold - Harm Reduction' drug service
Service Provided:	Health Education and Primary Health care Support includes Case management, Literacy skills Training, 'Peer Support' Programme, prison work and assertive outreach.
Access to Service:	Drop in, by appointment, referrals from anywhere
Target Area:	North inner city Dublin and beyond
Target Group:	Men, young people, Women
Conditions of Acceptance:	Over 18 years There are few constraints imposed on the people using the services and a high degree of tolerance is exercised by the project. As a consequence the project is able to work with those people often excluded from other services due to their substance use, and associated needs and behaviour.
Disability Access:	No wheelchair accessibility. No adapted toilets
Contact:	Open access, drop-in or telephone

BeLong TO DUBLIN YOUTH SERVICE

Organisation Type: Voluntary

Contact Details

Address:	Drugs Outreach Worker , C/o Outhouse, 105 Capel Street, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 670 6223
Fax:	Gillian@belongto.org
Email:	www.belongto.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon-Tues 10am – 6pm, Weds-Thurs 10am-8pm, Sunday 1.30 – 6pm
Description of Service:	Offers one to one support and information around issues of drugs and alcohol for LGBT (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender) young people between the ages of 14 – 23 years old
Service Provided:	Health education, support, advocacy Drugs outreach worker is available to support young people on a one to one basis. If necessary, referrals will be made to relevant outside agency. Belong to Youth Service also have on line counsellors accessed through the website. Service operates Friday, Saturday, Sunday night form 11pm – 2pm
Access to Service:	Drop in, by appointment, self referral or referral from anyone advocating on young person's behalf
Target Area:	Open access to any LGBT young person between the ages of 14 – 23 yrs old in Ireland
Target Group:	Young people, LGBT young people
Conditions of Acceptance:	LGBT (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender) or questioning sexual orientation or gender identity
Contact:	Outreach Worker

CENTRECARE

Organisation Type: Charity

Contact Details

Address:	1A Cathedral Street, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 872 6677 5 / 874 6915
Fax:	01 872 7003
Email:	info@centrecare.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon-Tue 9.30am-1pm, 2pm-4.15pm, Wed 2pm-4.15pm, Thu-Fri 9.30am-1pm, 2pm-4.15pm
Description of Service:	Advice and referrals to emergency accommodation for homeless persons
Service Provided:	Drop-in service providing information and advocacy on behalf of service users and referrals to specialist services and agencies. Outreach service, seven food centres and other projects in Dublin.
Access to Service:	Drop in or phone during opening hours
Target Area:	Dublin
Target Group:	People who are homeless or at risk of homeless
Disability Access:	No wheelchair accessibility. No adapted toilets

CHRYSALIS COMMUNITY DRUGS PROJECT

Organisation Type: Community

Contact Details

Address:	27 Benburb Street, Dublin 7
Phone:	01 670 5544
Email:	chrysalisdrugproject@eircom.net
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Monday to Friday
Description of Service:	Harm reduction - low threshold project offering a range of services to drug users and family members living or working in the area.
Service Provided:	Counselling, support, advice, information, referral, health promotion and drug awareness training.
Access to Service:	Drop in, by appointment, referrals from anywhere.
Target Area:	Stoneybatter area of Dublin 7
Target Group:	Men and Women
Conditions of Acceptance:	Over 18 years
Contact:	Self referral, family, medical referral GP / Hospital, Drug services / Clinic, Other Drug projects / services, Probation and Welfare and other non drug projects / organisations.

CITY CLINIC

Organisation Type: Statutory

Contact Details	
Address:	108/109 Amiens Street, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 855 5310
Fax:	01 855 5314
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon-Fri 9am-7pm. Sat & Sun 9.30 -1pm
Description of Service:	Methadone maintenance, young persons programme, dispensing 7 days, counselling, HIV testing.
Service Provided:	Opiate detoxification, assessment for methadone treatment, inpatient and outpatient, methadone maintenance, medical treatment and psychiatric assessment, HIV testing/counselling and outreach.
Access to Service:	Summerhill Health Centre for referral Tuesdays from 2.15- 3.30 with the Community Welfare Officer.
Target Area:	Dublin 1, part of Dublin 3
Target Group:	Male, Female, Young people
Conditions of Acceptance:	Team assessment
Disability Access:	No wheelchair accessibility. No adapted toilets.
Contact:	Addiction team

CITYWIDE DRUGS CRISIS CAMPAIGN

Organisation Type: Community

Contact Details

Address:	11, Cadogan Road, Fairview, Dublin 3
Phone:	01 836 5090
Fax:	01 878 6899
Email:	info@citywide.ie
Web:	www.citywide.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon to Fri 9.30-5pm
Description of Service:	Networking organisation for communities dealing with the drugs crisis.
Service Provided:	<p>Provide support and facilitation to local groups working on the drugs issue to enable them to respond more effectively at local level.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research and policy development on a range of issues and challenges facing communities as part of the drugs crisis. • Provide networks for Local and Regional Drugs Taskforce community representatives, community Drugs and Rehabilitation projects and representing their views at national bodies. • Respond to particular issues of concern as they arise for communities • Campaign and lobby on issues relating to the drugs crisis.
Access to Service:	Citywide does not provide direct services to clients but rather works with community service providers and groups. CityWide works to promote and support a community development approach to the drugs problem.
Target Area:	Open access
Target Group:	Individuals/groups/projects working on drug related issues
Conditions of Acceptance:	None
Disability Access:	No wheelchair accessibility. No adapted toilets.

CLANCY NIGHT SHELTER

Organisation Type: Community- Emergency Shelter

Contact Details

Address:	69 Blessington Street, Dublin 7
Phone:	01 860 1703
Fax:	01 860 1703
Email:	Clancy@depaultrust.net
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	5pm- 9:30am (10:00am at weekends)
Description of Service:	Twin rooms for I.V. drug users (aged 18-35) for up to 6 months at a time.
Service Provided:	Key working and liaison work, laundry service, main meal in the evening and breakfast in the morning, health promotion clinics.
Access to Service:	Referrals made by Outreach and day services, such as Dublin Simon Rough Sleepers, the Night Bus, Focus Outreach and Ana Liffey and Merchants' Quay.
Target Area:	North Inner City Dublin and service users across the city.
Target Group:	Drug users who are homeless
Conditions of Acceptance:	Minimal rules- need to be current drug users.
Disability Access:	None. All rooms are on upper floors and dining area is in basement.
Contact:	Day Liaison Deputy Manager

CRINAN YOUTH PROJECT

Organisation Type: Community

Contact Details

Address:	72 Sean McDermott Street, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 855 8792
Fax:	01 855 2320
Email:	info@crinanyp.org
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon-Fri 10am-5pm with evening Programmes and Parent Support Groups.
Description of Service:	Drug and Alcohol Treatment and Rehabilitation Centre for young people aged 15-21 years old.
Service Provided:	Methadone detox, counselling, health education, training, support, advocacy
Access to Service:	Drop in, by appointment, referral from Medical and Probation services
Target Area:	North inner city (priority for target area)
Target Group:	Young people
Conditions of Acceptance:	Agreeing to policies in support of treatment and drug use suspension.
Disability Access:	Limited
Contact:	Manager or Outreach Worker

CROSSCARE TEEN COUNSELLING - MATER DEI

Organisation Type: Voluntary

Contact Details	
Address:	Clonliffe Road, Dublin 3
Phone:	01 837 1892
Fax:	01 837 2025
Email:	materdei@teencounseling.com
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon-Fri 9.30-5pm
Description of Service:	Counselling for young people and their families.
Service Provided:	Counselling for young people and their families. All adolescent issues covered including alcohol and drug problems, domestic violence, relationship difficulties and emotional problems.
Access to Service:	By appointment or referral Access to interpreters
Target Area:	North side of Dublin and County
Target Group:	Young people aged 12-18 and their families
Conditions of Acceptance:	Young people aged 12-18 from catchment area. Parent's full cooperation is necessary.
Disability Access:	No wheelchair access. No adapted toilets
Contact:	Secretary

DAUGHTERS OF CHARITY CURAM FAMILY CENTRE

Organisation Type: Voluntary

Contact Details	
Address:	46 North Strand Road, Dublin 3
Phone:	01 855 9313
Fax:	01 855 9323
Email:	curamfc@eircom.net
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon, Thurs, Fri 9am-5pm Tue & Wed 8.30am-5pm
Description of Service:	The service provides a therapeutic/supportive service to families, individuals, adolescents and children who are experiencing difficulties in their lives.
Service Provided:	Family therapy, individual therapy, separation/loss and bereavement programmes. A bereavement peer support programme - Seasons for Growth. Child Therapy.
Access to Service:	Phone or make an appointment
Target Area:	Area 7 Northern Area Health Board
Target Group:	Families, individuals, adolescents and children who are experiencing difficulties in their lives
Conditions of Acceptance:	None
Contact:	Administrator

DEORA PROJECT

Organisation Type: Voluntary

Contact Details

Address:	St. Laurence's Place East, Seville Place, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 855 0730
Fax:	01 855 0730
Email:	info@deora-project.org
Web:	www.deora-project.org
Cost:	No cost/low cost or donations
Opening Hours:	Mon-Thurs 9am-8pm, Fri 9am-4pm
Description of Service:	Counselling service to people who have suffered loss as a result of bereavement, suicide and or addiction.
Service Provided:	One to one counselling, group counselling, crisis intervention, outreach, mindfulness training, suicide intervention training, also drop in service Wednesdays from 10am-1pm, out reach service.
Access to Service:	Phone or make an appointment
Target Area:	North Inner City
Target Group:	People affected by addiction, bereavement, loss and suicide
Disability Access:	Full wheelchair access. Adapted toilets. Accessible car parking
Contact:	Administrator

DUBLIN AIDS ALLIANCE

Organisation Type: Voluntary

Contact Details

Address:	53 Parnell Square West, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 873 3799
Fax:	01 873 3174
Email:	info@dublinaidssalliance.com
Web:	www.dublinaidssalliance.com
Cost:	Free (some charges apply to training services)
Opening Hours:	Mon-Thurs 9:30 to 5:30, Fri 9:30 to 5:00
Description of Service:	A range of support services for people living with or affected by HIV or AIDS as well as HIV and sexual health training for the general population.
Service Provided:	Support, advocacy, counselling. Sexual Health training including HIV, STIs, Hepatitis etc. Resource Library – containing publications, booklets and leaflets on HIV and sexual health.
Access to Service:	Support services: Drop in, by appointment, referral from hospitals and related NGO's (Non-governmental organisations), state agencies. Training services: Contact the Training Department Resource Library: Drop in, by appointment.
Target Area:	Open Access
Target Group:	Support services: People living with or affected by HIV and AIDS, their families and caregivers. Training services: General public Resource Library: General public
Disability Access:	Limited
Contact:	Community Support Department for support services, and Prevention Education & Training Department for training services.

DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL HOMELESS SECTION

Organisation Type: Statutory

Housing and Community Services

Contact Details	
Address:	Civic Offices, Block 2, Ground Floor, Fishamble Street, Dublin 8
Phone:	01 672 2205
Fax:	01 679 3728
Web:	www.dublincity.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon-Fri 9.30am-4pm
Description of Service:	Offers information and advice to people experiencing housing problems.
Service Provided:	Refers people in need of emergency accommodation to the homeless persons unit and provides accommodation to those homeless people who are assessed as being in priority need.
Access to Service:	Drop in or phone, write or contact for appointment
Target Area:	Dublin City Council area
Target Group:	General public and people who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless
Disability Access:	Full wheelchair access. Adapted toilets

DUBLIN COUNSELLING & THERAPY CENTRE

Organisation Type: Charity

Contact Details

Address:	41 Upper Gardiner Street, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 878 8236
Fax:	01 877 9069
Email:	info@ddctc.ie
Cost:	Sliding scale, some free places
Opening Hours:	Mon -Fri 9am-9.30pm, Weekend by appointment
Description of Service:	Individual, couple and group counselling and psychotherapy.
Service Provided:	Counselling and training
Access to Service:	By appointment
Target Area:	Dublin
Target Group:	General public
Conditions of Acceptance:	None
Disability Access:	No wheelchair accessibility. No adapted toilets
Contact Person:	Administrator

FOCUS IRELAND- GEORGES HILL

Organisation Type: Community

Contact Details

Address:	Georges Hill, Halston Street Dublin 7.
Phone:	01 878 6514
Fax:	01 872 0515
Cost:	Details of charges given at interview.
Opening Hours:	Support staff available Monday –Friday 9am – 8pm Saturday and Sunday 9am -5pm. Emergency on call-system and night reception.
Description of Service:	Transitional and long term supported accommodation.
Service Provided:	Level of support depends on need. Key working, assessment, life skills training and day to day support.
Access to Service:	Accept referrals from any agency. Most referrals come from the health boards, local authorities and Focus Ireland. Phone or write to above contact details. Applicant put on waiting list, apply when vacancy arise. Interview may require additional information.
Target Area:	Dublin City Council
Target Group:	Families, couples and single people with housing and support needs who are able to live independently with minimal support.
Conditions of Acceptance:	All clients must be registered as homeless. Transitional programme must be male and aged between 18 – 60 years. Subject to criteria.
Disability Access:	6 apartments fully adapted for wheelchair users.
Contact:	Project Leader

GATEWAY WOMEN'S PROJECT

Organisation Type: Community

Contact Details

Address:	38 Arran Quay, Dublin 7
Phone:	01-8720133
Fax:	01-8720127
Email:	carmelbrien@gatewayproject.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	9.00am – 5.00pm Monday to Friday.
Description of Service:	Education and skills project Training.
Service Provided:	FETAC up to and including level 5, Literacy, Maths and Computers
Access to Service:	Referrals from Probation & Welfare, FÁS, Community Projects and word of mouth
Target Area:	North west inner city area
Target Group:	Women who qualify for Community Employment Scheme who are early schools leavers, lone parents, homeless or recovering from drug use etc
Conditions of Acceptance:	18-years
Contact:	Office

HAVEN HOUSE

Organisation Type: Voluntary/Community

Contact Details

Address:	Morning Star Avenue, Dublin 7
Phone:	01 828 0800
Fax:	01 828 9638
Email:	bernadett.melinn@hse.ie
Opening Hours:	24 hour service
Description of Service:	Emergency low threshold accommodation
Service Provided:	24 hour accommodation, support, key worker, money advice and links to other appropriate services.
Access to Service:	Referrals from all agencies and self referral
Target Area:	Dublin 7
Target Group:	Homeless women and women with their children
Conditions of Acceptance:	House rules and policies in place
Disability Access:	Yes
Contact:	By phone

HILL STREET FAMILY RESOURCE CENTRE

Organisation Type: Voluntary

Contact Details

Address:	Hill Street Playground, Hill Street, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 874 6810
Email:	hillstreetfamilyresource@hotmail.com
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Wed 9.00am - 5.00pm
Description of Service:	Counselling service is available to anyone in the community.
Service Provided:	Counsellor will help you to go through your personal problems such as depression, stress, personal or relationship difficulties, bereavement, family or/and life crises.
Access to Service:	Drop in or phone to make an appointment.
Target Area:	North east inner city
Target Group:	Families, individuals, adolescents and children
Conditions of Acceptance:	None
Disability Access:	Limited
Contact:	Administrator

HOPE (HANDS ON PEER EDUCATION)**Organisation Type: Community**

Contact Details	
Address:	15 North Strand Road, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 887 8404
Fax:	01 887 8402
Email:	hopehandson@yahoo.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon-Fri 10.00am – 5.00pm, Holistic Respite 6pm-8pm ring for appointment.
Description of Service:	Drug, alcohol and health education for parents and youth and outreach referral and support for people with addictions.
Service Provided:	Health education, training, support and advocacy Holistic respite for families affected by addiction Holistic Treatment: Shiatsu which is a form of oriental body work done on a mat on the floor through clothing, it is helpful for relaxing, sleeping digestive problems, headaches, aches, anxiety, depression and stress. Carniosacral Therapy is a gentle hand's on technique which gives a sense of relaxation and well being. It works on unblocking the bodies energy helps stress, dyslexia, emotional difficulties, relaxation and moving better. Referral and support for people with addiction.
Access to Service:	Drop in, by appointment, referrals from Inner City Projects.
Target Area:	North inner city.
Target Group:	Men, young people, women and families and professionals affected by drug use.
Disability Access:	Limited

ICON (INNER CITY ORGANISATIONS NETWORK)

Organisation Type: Community

Contact Details

Address:	22 Lower Buckingham Street, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 836 6890
Fax:	01 836 4870
Email:	iconet@diol.ie
Web:	www.iconnetwork.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon-Fri 9.30am-5pm
Description of Service:	Community based network for the north east inner city.
Service Provided:	<p>ICON is a forum where issues affecting the people of Dublin's north east inner city are discussed and agreed and joint action is planned. It is made up of community and voluntary organisations and individuals working and living in the area.</p> <p>ICON facilitates a Drugs Working Group where drug related issues are raised and communicated to the North Inner City Local Drugs Task Force by way of the Community Representatives.</p>
Access to Service:	ICON does not provide direct services to clients but rather works with community service providers and groups. ICON works to promote and support a community development approach to issues.
Target Area:	North east inner city.
Target Group:	Groups, organisations and individuals living or working in the north east inner city.
Conditions of Acceptance:	Membership is open to the target group and on a voluntary basis.
Disability Access:	No
Contact:	Administrator

KELTOI DRUGS PROJECT

Contact Details	
Address:	Therapeutic Rehabilitation, C/o St. Mary's Hospital, Phoenix Park, Dublin 20
Phone:	01 620 0040
Fax:	01 620 1571
Email:	brendan.mckiernan@hse.ie
Cost:	Directly funded by Health Service Executive Addiction Service, Dublin north central.
Opening Hours:	24 hours / 7 days
Description of Service:	Residential rehabilitation service for former opiate users who want to develop a drug free life style.
Service Provided:	Keltoi provides a residential service to those 16 years plus, former opiate users, presently detoxed and those living in the former Eastern Regional Health Authority area (Dublin City & County and parts of Wicklow & Kildare, bordering Dublin County).
Access to Service:	Assessment carried out at detox facilities or in the local community. Also involves a rehabilitation component and an aftercare component.
Target Area:	Former Eastern Regional Health Authority area (Dublin City & County and parts of Wicklow & Kildare, bordering Dublin County)
Target Group:	16 years plus, former opiate users, presently detoxed and those living in the former Eastern Regional Health Authority area (Dublin City & County and parts of Wicklow & Kildare, bordering Dublin County).
Conditions of Acceptance:	See above
Disability Access:	Yes
Contact:	Manager

MERCHANTS QUAY – DRUG STABILISATION SERVICE

Organisation Type: Registered Charity

Contact Details

Address:	Unit 2F, Chapelizod Industrial Estate, Dublin 20
Phone:	01 623 9722
Email:	info@mqi.ie
Web:	www.mqi.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 10am - 4.30pm Thursday 2pm – 4.30pm Friday 10am – 4.30pm
Description of Service:	Drug Stabilisation Service
Service Provided:	Methadone prescribing, treatment and support (this aspect of the service is for people living in the Dublin 8 area only). Therapeutic groups, life skills training, personal development work and pre-employment training to help drug user's re-integrate into society. Settlement Support Service, Gateway Programme offering individual support link to leisure and learning opportunities. Individual counselling for emotional and psychological drug related issues.
Access to Service:	Contact for an appointment
Target Area:	Dublin City
Target Group:	Current street drugs users or those engaged in treatment seeking more stability / structures.
Conditions of Acceptance:	See target group

MERCHANTS QUAY IRELAND – EDUCATION & TRAINING

Organisation Type: Registered Charity

Contact Details	
Address:	C/o Sophia Housing, 25 Cork Street, Dublin 8
Phone:	01 524 0932
Email:	nfo@mqi.ie
Cost:	Contact for charges
Opening Hours:	Please contact us on the above details
Description of Service:	Education and training
Service Provided:	Education and training around drug and homelessness. Certificate / Diploma in Drug Counselling, Theory and Intervention Skills, in conjunction with UCD. Range of short courses for workers in drug and homeless services, including training in drug awareness, STIs & sexual health, cognitive behavioural therapy, motivational interviewing, needle exchange training.
Access to Service:	By phone or e-mail for details of times and courses
Target Area:	Ireland
Target Group:	People working in the drugs and homeless sector
Conditions of Acceptance:	See target group
Disability Access:	Yes

MERCHANTS QUAY – OPEN ACCESS DRUG SERVICE

Organisation Type: Registered Charity

Contact Details

Address:	4 Merchants Quay, Dublin 8
Phone:	01 679 0044
Email:	info@mqi.ie
Web:	www.mqi.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Monday 10am-12.45pm, 1.45pm-4.30pm Tuesday 1.45pm-4.30pm Wed, Thurs, Fri 10am-12.45pm, 1.45pm-4.30pm
Description of Service:	Drug health promotion service and crisis support for drug users.
Service Provided:	Drug health promotion service and crisis support for drug users and those getting treatment. Needle exchange, access to methadone prescribing (Dublin 8 only). Access to long and short term residential drug-free treatment programmes. Re-integration and settlement support. Outreach service available.
Access to Service:	Drop in or contact for appointment
Target Area:	Greater Dublin area
Target Group:	Drug users, particularly those using heroin and cocaine
Conditions of Acceptance:	Over 18 years
Disability Access:	Limited wheelchair access, no adapted toilets

MERCHANTS QUAY – OPEN ACCESS (HOMELESSNESS)

Organisation Type: Registered Charity

Contact Details	
Address:	Cook Street, Dublin 8
Phone:	01 645 6524
Email:	info@mqi.ie
Web:	www.mqi.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 7.15am-12.45pm, 1.45pm-4.30pm Tuesday: 1.45pm – 4.30pm. Weekends 7.15am – 1.15pm
Description of Service:	Drop in, advice and crisis intervention.
Service Provided:	Drop in, advice and crisis intervention. Meal services: breakfast Mon-Sun 7.15am-9am; lunch Mon-Fri 1.45pm – 2.45pm; Sat 11.30am – 1pm, Sun 11am – 1pm Shower facilities, primary health care, including counselling, nursing, GP and dental services. Group projects, creative, practical and educational workshops. Key working, Individual literacy tuition. Women's group.
Access to Service:	Drop in
Target Area:	Dublin City
Target Group:	Homeless people and people in need of social support
Conditions of Acceptance:	18 years and over
Disability Access:	Limited wheelchair access. No adaptable toilets.

MERCHANTS QUAY – RESIDENTIAL DRUG TREATMENT

Organisation Type: Registered Charity

Contact Details

Address:	High Park, Gracepark Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9
Phone:	01 837 7883
Fax:	01 837 8258
Email:	info@mqi.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Monday –Sunday 24-hour service
Description of Service:	Drug users seeking to become drug free
Service Provided:	13-17 week fully residential programme to help participants become and remain drug free. Clients gain insight into issues underpinning their drug use and develop realistic measures to prevent relapse. Individual care plans incorporate in-house detoxification in partnership with community GP's individual counselling, group therapy, educational groups, work assignments and recreational activities.
Access to Service:	Contact for appointment
Target Area:	Ireland
Target Group:	Adult men and women
Conditions of Acceptance:	Over 18 years, all prospective clients undergo detailed assessment.
Disability Access:	Adapted toilets, no wheelchair access
Contact:	By referral, telephone for appointment

MORNING STAR HOSTEL

Organisation Type: Voluntary

Contact Details	
Address:	Morning Star Avenue
Phone:	01 872 3401
Cost:	€5 per night - €30 per week
Opening Hours:	5.30pm – 8.30pm
Description of Service:	Hostel for homeless men
Service Provided:	Bed, breakfast and evening meal
Access to Service:	Self-referral
Target Area:	Dublin area
Target Group:	Men over 18-years
Conditions of Acceptance:	House rules apply
Disability Access:	No
Contact:	Present yourself at premises between 5.30pm - 8.30pm

NATIONAL FAMILY SUPPORT NETWORK

Organisation Type: Voluntary/Community

Contact Details

Address:	16 Talbot Street, Dublin 1		
Phone:	01 836 5168	Mobile:	087 983 4810
Email:	info@fsn.ie		
Web:	www.fsn.ie		
Cost:	Free		
Opening Hours:	Mon-Fri 9.30am-5pm & out of office hours		
Description of Service:	Initial support to family members / referral to appropriate group / service providers.		
Service Provided:	Family Support Network offers support <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To family members living with drug use in the family. • To family support workers • To those setting up new groups. 		
Access to Service:	Phone/drop in/by appointment/by referral		
Target Area:	National remit		
Target Group:	All family members		
Conditions of Acceptance:	None		
Disability Access:	No wheelchair accessibility. No disability accessible toilets.		
Contact:	Manager / Administrator / Development workers		

Other information: The Family Support Network is an autonomous self-help organisation that respects the lived experiences of families affected by drugs in a welcoming non-judgemental atmosphere. The Family Support Network primarily supports the development of family support groups and networks throughout the island of Ireland. Through this work the Family Support Network raises awareness of the difficulties faced by families in coping with drug use while recognising the important role that families play in supporting the recovery of the drug using family member.

NORTH INNER CITY DRUGS TASK FORCE

Organisation Type: Community

Contact Details	
Address:	22 Lower Buckingham Street, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 836 6592
Fax:	01 836 6286
Email:	nicdtf@iol.ie
Email:	www.nicdtf.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon-Fri 9.30am-5pm
Description of Service:	The North Inner City Drugs Task Force was established in 1997 to develop community responses to the drugs problem in the local area. The NICDTF comprises 20 representatives from the community, voluntary and statutory sectors, who meet monthly to discuss matters relevant to drug use in the community.
Service Provided:	<p>NICDTF supports a number of cross-sectoral networks in the local area, aligned under the pillars of the National Drugs Strategy. These networks are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treatment and Rehabilitation • Prevention and Education • Supply Control <p>In addition to acting as a forum for relevant agencies to discuss the drugs issue in the North Inner City, the NICDTF offers support to a number of projects in the area.</p>
Access to Service:	NICDTF does not provide direct services to clients but rather works with community service providers and groups.
Target Area:	North inner city
Target Group:	Projects in the North Inner City
Contact:	Office

NORTH WEST INNER CITY NETWORK

Organisation Type: Community

Contact Details

Address:	117 – 118 North King Street, Dublin 7
Phone:	01 677 4494
Fax:	01 677 4025
Email:	info@nwicn.ie
Web:	www.nwicn.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon-Fri 9.30am-5.00pm
Description of Service:	Community based area Network for the North West Inner City (registered charity) with a social inclusion brief.
Service Provided:	The North West Inner City Network is a forum for Community and Voluntary Groups whose primary aim is to tackle social exclusion and acute poverty. The Network seeks to ensure that local organisations and residents have the opportunity to play an active role in how our community is developed.
Access to Service:	The North West Inner City Network does not provide direct services to clients but rather works with community service providers and residents groups. The Network has a number of issue based working groups, including the Drugs Working Group.
Target Area:	North West Inner City (including Stoneybatter, O'Devaney Gardens, Smithfield and the Markets area)
Target Group:	Target Group: Organisations/groups with an anti-poverty brief working in the area, local residents.
Conditions of Acceptance:	Membership open to target groups on a voluntary basis
Disability Access:	Yes
Contact:	Office

NORTH WEST INNER CITY TRAINING & DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

Contact Details	
Address:	Macro Community Resource Centre, 1 Green Street, Dublin 7
Phone:	01 873 7014 / 086 602 9791
Fax:	01 873 7014
Email:	nwictdp@eircom.net
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Office hours – 9am to 5pm Monday to Friday
Description of Service:	To provide rehabilitation to stabilised drug users through training and development.
Service Provided:	Training and development programme, key working, advocacy, support.
Access to Service:	Community Employment requirements apply
Target Area:	North west inner City
Target Group:	Drug users stable on methadone programme from North West Inner City.
Conditions of Acceptance:	Must be stable on a methadone programme, from the area, need to register with project initially before accepted.
Disability Access:	Yes
Contact:	Office

OASIS COUNSELLING

Organisation Type: Voluntary

Contact Details

Address:	St. Laurence's Place East, Seville Place, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 836 4524
Fax:	oaiscounselling@eircom.net
Email:	www.deora-project.org
Cost:	No cost/low cost or donations
Opening Hours:	Mon-Thr 9am - 8pm. Fri 9am - 4pm
Description of Service:	Counselling service to individuals, couples and families.
Service Provided:	General counselling, relationships, anger, self esteem, depression, anxiety, parenting, abuse, racism, bullying, life skills, personal development and therapy.
Access to Service:	Phone or make an appointment
Target Area:	Dublin 1
Target Group:	North Inner City Dublin
Disability Access:	Full wheelchair access. Adapted toilets. Accessible car parking
Contact:	Administrator

PETER McVERRY TRUST AFTERCARE

Organisation Type: Voluntary

Contact Details	
Address:	Avoca Aftercare
Phone:	01 862 2062
Fax:	01 862 2066
Email:	info@pmvtrust.ie
Cost:	rent €45 per week
Opening Hours:	24/7 but closed Mon to Fri 12 midday to 3pm
Description of Service:	Residential, drug aftercare project
Service Provided:	Aftercare supported by key working staff
Access to Service:	By referral from Peter McVerry Trust's Referrals and Assessment Worker 01 823 0776
Target Area:	Dublin city and national
Target Group:	Men/women over 18 years
Conditions of Acceptance:	Need to have completed residential drug treatment and be in danger of becoming homeless; need to sign up to a house contract which involves a programme to organise house chores, cooking, cleaning and undertake key working and maintain drug free status.
Disability Access:	No wheelchair accessibility. No adapted toilets
Contact:	Referral and Assessment worker - 01 823 0776

PETER McVERRY TRUST DAY SERVICES

Organisation Type: Voluntary

Contact Details

Address:	12 – 13 Berkeley Street, Dublin 7
Phone:	01 830 8335
Fax:	01 860 3007
Email:	info@pmvtrust
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon-Thurs. 9am to 5pm & Fri. 9am to 4pm
Description of Service:	Referral & Assessment Service / Stabilisation Programme / Open Access / Outreach & Settlement Service / Tenancy Sustainment Apartments.
Service Provided:	Counselling, health education, training, support, advocacy, accommodation needs.
Access to Service:	Drop in, by appointment, referral from self / agency
Target Area:	Open access
Target Group:	Men, young people, women
Conditions of Acceptance:	Specific referral criteria available on request
Disability Access:	Limited disability access
Contact Person:	Project Workers through contact number above

PETER McVERRY TRUST: THE LANTERN CENTRE

Organisation Type: Voluntary

Contact Details	
Address:	C/o Peter McVerry Trust, 29 Mountjoy Square, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 835 4821
Fax:	01 823 0778
Email:	info@pmvtrust.ie
Web:	www.pmvtrust.ie
Cost:	Some arrangements with Regional Drug Task Force for bed funding but if the client wasn't from that area it wouldn't stop their admission. Clients pay €63 per week for their stay.
Opening Hours:	24hrs Residential
Description of Service:	Drug treatment, methadone detoxification, 6 week programme with psycho-educational and horticultural groups.
Service Provided:	Treatment, counselling, methadone detox, viral screening, residential detox, health education, primary health care, training, support, advocacy and accommodation needs. Participants will receive one to one key worker and weekly case management reviews which will also entail discharge planning with onward referral to further treatment. Psycho –educational group work plus horticultural element to the programme.
Access to Service:	Referral from any one directly working with the client, must be supported by prescriber.
Target Area:	National
Target Group:	Men and women, must be over 18 years old
Conditions of Acceptance:	Clients have to adhere to the referral criteria- Over 18ys, on 50Mls of Methadone, not Benzodiazepine or alcohol dependant and not presently experiencing psychiatric illness.
Disability Access:	Limited wheelchair access. No adapted toilets
Contact:	Referral and Assessment Worker

PETER McVERRY TRUST, RESIDENTIAL TRANSITIONAL SERVICE

Organisation Type: Voluntary

Contact Details	
Address:	29 Mountjoy Square, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 823 0776
Fax:	01 823 0778
Email:	info@pmvtrust.ie
Cost:	€40 per week
Opening Hours:	24 hrs
Description of Service:	Low Threshold Residential Transitional Service, for homeless men over 18yrs of age, wishing to address the issues contributing to their homelessness.
Service Provided:	Accommodation, individual key working and care-planning, assistance with securing move on options and support.
Access to Service:	By referral from Peter McVerry Trust Day Services, other agencies, prisons, probation officers and self referral.
Target Area:	North City and County Dublin
Target Group:	Men
Conditions of Acceptance:	This is a low threshold homelessness service for those with criminal and/or addiction issues who are willing to address these issues.
Disability Access:	Limited disability access
Contact:	Manager

REGINA COELI

Organisation Type: Voluntary

Contact Details	
Address:	Morning Star Avenue, (off North Brunswick Street) Dublin 7
Phone:	01 872 3142
Cost:	A charge of €30 per week for single women and €25 for mothers & children per week.
Opening Hours:	7.30am – 10.30pm
Description of Service:	Emergency accommodation for single women and women with children.
Service Provided:	Mainly accommodation also meal service (small cost may apply), access to Welfare Officer, Nurse and in-house laundry service (small cost).
Access to Service:	Self referral
Target Area:	Dublin area
Target Group:	Caters for women over 18-years
Conditions of Acceptance:	No drugs or alcohol allowed on premises
Contact:	Office by phone

RENDU APARTMENTS

Organisation Type: Charity

Contact Details

Address:	North William Street, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 836 3548
Fax:	01 888 1718
Email:	renduapartments@daughtersofcharity.ie
Web:	www.vincentians.ie
Cost:	€85 including heat and hot water
Description of Service:	Accommodation 19 self-contained apartment, some of which are for families
Service Provided:	Length of stay: maximum 18 months, will be reviewed every 3 months. There is a requirement to take part in an individual programme during course stay.
Access to Service:	Must be referred by key /social worker and registered on the homeless list. Agency must agree to provide ongoing support. Phone Mon 9am - Fri 5pm or write (Agency only)
Target Area:	Dublin
Target Group:	Single homeless people, couples & families with support needs who are motivated towards independent living. Age 20 years max 50 years. Will not accept people with an active alcohol/drugs dependency.

SAFETYNET

Organisation Type: Primary Health Care For The Homeless

Contact Details

Address:	Capuchin Centre , 29 Bow Street, Dublin 7
Phone:	01 872 0770
Opening Hours:	Nursing Clinics: Monday 10.00 – 11.30am, Tuesday & Friday 1.30 – 3.00pm Doctor: Tuesday 1.30 – 3.00pm Community Welfare Officer: Monday Afternoons
Address:	Merchants Quay Ireland , 4 Merchants Quay Dublin 8
Phone:	01 645 6524
Opening Hours:	Nurse Clinics: Monday 10.00-12.45pm / 1.45-4.30pm (Except Tuesday Morning Service Closed For Training) Doctor: Monday 10.00-12.45 / 1.45-4.30pm Thursday 10.00am-12.45pm
Description of Service:	Primary Health Care Service for the Homeless
Service Provided:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Nursing Assessments • Vaccinations • Dentist • Counselling • Chiropodist • Wound Management/Skin problems • General Health Problems • Blood Testing • Sexual Health • Women's Health • Men's Health • Safer Injecting / Harm Reduction Information • Referrals to Hospitals and other Services.
Access to Service:	The above centres are open access. Therefore any person who is homeless and who is not linked with mainstream primary care services can attend for medical and social support.

SALVATION ARMY – CEDAR HOUSE HEALTH CENTRE

Organisation Type: Registered Charity

Contact Details	
Address:	Marlborough Place, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 873 1241
Fax:	01 889 7668
Email:	cedar.house@salvationarmy.ie
Web:	www.salvationarmy.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon-Fri 10am – 2.30pm – 3.30 – 5pm
Description of Service:	Nursing service 7 days a week. GP & counsellors available by making an appointment with the nurse.
Service Provided:	Chiropodist available from Mondays from 10.30am-12.30pm. Referral services to Dublin Simon Alcohol Detox Unit, Medical Cards, hospitals etc.
Access to Service:	Drop in or by appointment
Target Area:	Dublin City Centre
Target Group:	Homeless people aged over 18 years
Disability Access:	Limited wheelchair accessibility; adapted toilets; fully adapted toilet and shower facilities.
Contact:	Drop in.

SALVATION ARMY – CEDAR HOUSE NIGHT RECEPTION

Organisation Type: Registered Charity

Contact Details	
Address:	Marlborough Place, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 874 1241
Fax:	01 874 0239
Email:	cedar.house@salvationarmy
Web:	www.salvationarmy.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon-Fri 11pm- all night. Weekend 11pm- all night
Description of Service:	Assistance to rough sleepers at night
Service Provided:	Staffs liaise with statutory and voluntary agencies to secure accommodation or provide emergency assistance if no accommodation is available. In winter periods and extreme weather conditions, some emergency sleeping bags/blankets are available. Shower facilities are also available.
Access to Service:	Drop in during opening hours
Target Area:	Dublin City Centre
Target Group:	Homeless adults sleeping rough
Disability Access:	Limited wheelchair accessibility, adapted toilets and shower facilities.
Contact:	Drop in during open hours

SAOL

Organisation Type: Community

Contact Details

Address: 58 Amiens Street, Dublin 1

Phone: 01 855 3391 / 3

Fax: 01 855 3395

Email: saol@saolproject.ie

Email: www.saolproject.ie

Cost: Free

Opening Hours: Mon-Fri 9:00 5:30

Description of Service: SAOL Project provides a rehabilitation service through education programmes and one to one support for women who are drug users and members of the local community. Childcare facilities are provided along with help and support to the children and families of participants.

Service Provided: Counselling, health education, training, support and advocacy. A detailed care plan is developed with each participant, with agreed goals being central to the work. Advocacy regarding homelessness, children and addiction needs are regular issues. Mental health issues along with other illnesses also require support. Where appropriate, accommodation needs and employment needs will be responded to, but the project does not provide either accommodation or employment (other than FAS payments).

Access to Service: Drop in, by appointment. Referral from Professional appropriate addiction worker (including GP/Probation worker). First meeting can be initiated by individual but a professional referral is required for a woman to become a CE participant on SAOL Project.

SAOL (CONTINUED)

Target Area:	Dublin 1, (Priority for target area)
Target Group:	Women and Children
Conditions of Acceptance:	The SAOL Project revolves around a CE programme for women only. Those women are recovering drug users and need to be able to show that they are attempting to stabilise in their drug use. They must have an advocate from another service who will continue to work with them alongside the work they do here in SAOL Project. Places in the crèche are reserved for the children of our participants – although occasional places are available for others when internal demand is small.
Disability Access:	No wheelchair accessibility. No adapted toilets
Contact:	Administrator, Manager, Advocacy worker

SNUG COUNSELLING SERVICE

Organisation Type: Community

Contact Details

Address:	1 Green Street, Dublin 7		
Phone:	01 878 6231	Mobile:	087 273 5358
Fax:	01 878 231		
Email:	thesnug@eircom.net		
Cost:	Free		
Opening Hours:	9.00am – 5.00pm after office hours facilitated.		
Description of Service:	Counselling and support service for drug users and their family members, living or working in the Dublin 1 & Dublin 7 areas (NICDTF area)		
Service Provided:	Counselling, information, support and advocacy, one to one support for family members, Women's group, and men's anger management. Drug awareness and prevention programme to schools / afterschool clubs and youth services.		
Access to Service:	Referral by Statuary Agencies, Community Organisations or Self referral.		
Target Area:	North Inner City Drugs Task Force Area		
Target Group:	Male and female drug users and family members over 18 - years.		
Conditions of Acceptance:	None		
Disability Access:	Yes		
Contact:	By phone to make appointment		

SOILSE

Organisation Type: Voluntary/Community

Contact Details	
Address:	1 /2 Henrietta Place, Dublin 7
Phone:	01 872 4922
Fax:	01 872 4891
Email:	soilsehp@hse.ie
Cost:	Variable
Opening Hours:	Monday – Friday 9.00am – 5.00pm
Description of Service:	Education and rehabilitation services for recovering drug users.
Service Provided:	Structured day programme
Access to Service:	By referral
Target Area:	Dublin Area
Target Group:	Over 18 years
Conditions of Acceptance:	Motivated to engage in recovery process
Contact:	Outreach Worker

TALBOT CENTRE

Organisation Type: Statutory

Contact Details

Address:	29 Lower Buckingham Street, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 836 3434 / 01 836 6746
Fax:	01 855 3910
Email:	talbotcentre@eircom.net
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Mon-Fri 9am-5pm
Description of Service:	Education Drug Support Service
Service Provided:	Counselling, health education, training, support, advocacy, accommodation needs, community development and educational inputs, family therapy, prison visits, recreational activities, respite breaks.
Access to Service:	Drop in, by appointment, referral from catchment area.
Target Area:	North Inner City (strictly for target area)
Target Group:	Men, Women, Young people
Conditions of Acceptance:	Young people /children up to 20 years and families living in north inner city.
Disability Access:	No wheelchair accessibility. No adapted toilets
Contact:	Any staff member

TEACH MHUIRE

Organisation Type: Registered Charity

Contact Details	
Address:	38-39 Lower Gardiner Street, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 878 8877
Fax:	01 878 8404
Email:	teach-mhuire@hotmail.com
Cost:	Depends on service
Opening Hours:	Mon-Fri 9am-9pm. Weekend 9am-9pm
Description of Service:	Residential and non residential addiction treatment service for alcohol and drug abuse.
Service Provided:	Accommodation for 25 residents who are homeless and have completed treatment programmes. Weekly aftercare programme and family support group, separate meetings for those suffering from drug and alcohol addiction. On site Narcotics Anonymous and Alcoholics Anonymous. Women in sobriety meetings. Drop in coffee shop.
Access to Service:	Appointments for referral and assessment service
Target Area:	National
Target Group:	Recovering alcoholics and drug addicts
Disability Access:	Limited wheelchair access and adapted toilets
Contact:	Drop in or phone for appointment

THE MEWS

Organisation Type: Health Service Executive Drug Treatment Clinic

Contact Details

Address:	224, N.C.R., Dublin 7.
Phone:	01 838 3852
Fax:	01 838 4830
Email:	Bernadette.nichadhain@hse.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Monday to Friday 9am to 12 p.m., Wednesday only 4pm to 7pm. Saturday and Sunday 9am to 11.30am.
Description of Service:	Responds to issues of problem substance use with a variety of interventions including outreach, education and prevention work, assessment and treatment, aftercare and rehabilitation. Services include psychiatrists, GP's, nurses, pharmacists, counsellors, outreach workers, general assistants, administration staff, community welfare officers, education officers and rehabilitation and integration workers.
Service Provided:	The services directly provided by the HSE Addiction Service are: education and prevention, outreach, assessment and treatment, counselling, aftercare, rehabilitation and integration.
Access to Service:	Contact the Treatment Centre to arrange your first assessment. You can refer yourself, or someone acting on your behalf can refer you to any of our services available in your area (Mews Clinic or Thompson Centre).
Target Area:	North west inner city
Target Group:	Drug users
Conditions of Acceptance:	Fulfilling criteria as set out in access to services
Contact:	Outreach Worker at any Clinic/Needle Exchange service who will give you the information you need in order to organise your first assessment.

THOMSON CENTRE

Organisation Type: Health Service Executive

Contact Details	
Address:	53 Mountjoy St, Dublin 7
Phone:	01 860 2000
Fax:	01 860 3417
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	9.30-5.00pm Mon/Tue/Wed (by appointment only) 9.30-8.00pm Thurs by appointment
Description of Service:	Health Service Executive (HSE) satellite drug treatment facility.
Service Provided:	Methadonemaintenance, detoxprograms, counselling, psychiatric services, rehabilitation referral, access to maternity services, referral to inpatient detox and stabilisation.
Access to Service:	By referral or by phone to make appointment
Target Area:	Dublin 7 catchment area available
Conditions of Acceptance:	Living in catchment area for a period of 6 months
Contact:	Doctor

THRESHOLD

Organisation Type: Voluntary/Community

Contact Details

Address:	21 Stoneybatter, Dublin 7
Phone:	01 678 6098
Fax:	01 635 3699
Email:	fionughla@threshold.ie
Cost:	Free
Opening Hours:	Monday – Friday 9.00am – 5.00 pm
Description of Service:	Provide assistance for people living in temporary or emergency services and those at risk of homeless.
Service Provided:	Provide rented housing accommodation under rent supplement or rental accommodation providers.
Access to Service:	Third party referral on behalf of potential tenants from emergency accommodation providers.
Target Area:	Dublin area
Target Group:	Homeless people who have shown a capacity for independent living in the private rented sector.
Conditions of Acceptance:	Potential clients must be on live homeless register with Dublin City Council or any other council in Dublin area.
Disability Access:	Yes
Contact:	By referral or can self refer under certain circumstances.

UISCE (UNION FOR IMPROVED SERVICES COMMUNICATIONS)**Organisation Type: Voluntary**

Contact Details	
Address:	53 Parnell Square West, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 873 3799
Fax:	01 873 3174
Email:	uiscepost@hotmail.com
Cost:	Depends on service
Opening Hours:	Monday- Friday, 9:30-5:30
Description of Service:	Advocacy group for current and former drug users
Service Provided:	Health education, advocacy, community detox referral in conjunction with Progression Routes. Engaging with drug users through outreach and producing quarterly newsletter.
Access to Service:	Drop in, by appointment, referral by anyone
Target Area:	North inner city
Target Group:	Current and former drug users, and service providers and policy makers.
Conditions of Acceptance:	None
Contact:	Office

LOCAL HEALTH CENTRES AND CWO OPENING HOURS (COMMUNITY WELFARE OFFICER)

Contact Details	
Address:	Benburb Street, Dublin 7
Phone:	01 667 7445 / 677 8131
Days:	Mon - Fri: 9.00 - 5.00
CWO:	Mon / Tue / Thurs: 10.00 - 11.00 Fri: 10.00 - 11.00 (Emergency Only)

Address:	Lisburn Street, Dublin 7
Phone:	01 873 0969
Days:	Mon-Fri: 9.15 - 12.45 / 2.00 - 4.30
CWO:	Mon / Tues / Thurs: 10.30 - 11.30 Fri: 11.00 - 12.00 (Emergency Only)

Address:	North Strand, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 855 6466
Days:	Mon - Fri: 2.15 - 4.30
CWO:	Mon / Tues / Thurs: 10.00 - 11.30 Fri: 10.00 - 11.30 (Emergency Only)

Address:	Summerhill, Dublin 1
Phone:	01 876 5200
Days:	Mon - Fri: 9.00 - 5.00
CWO:	Mon / Tues / Thurs / 10.00 - 11.30 Fri: 10.00 - 11.30 (Emergency Only)

NEEDLE EXCHANGE SERVICES

Contact Details

Name:	Merchants Quay Project
Days:	Monday To Friday
Time:	10am to 12:45pm & 1.45pm to 4.30pm

Name:	Summerhill Health Centre
Address:	90 Summerhill, Dublin 1
Days:	Tuesdays
Time	2.15pm to 4.30pm

Name:	North Strand Health Centre
Address:	North Strand, Dublin 1
Days:	Fridays
Time	2.15pm to 4.30pm

Name:	Clancy Night Shelter
Address:	{Residents only}
Days:	Tuesdays & Fridays
Time	7.00pm to 9.30pm

HELPLINES AND SERVICES

AL- ANON:

Description: Information helpline giving details of AlAnon meetings countrywide

Phone: 01 873 2699

Web: www.al-anon-ireland.org

Open 10.30am – 2.30pm Monday to Saturday.

Weekend confidential helpline open Saturday to Monday.

ALATEEN:

Description: Fellowship of young people whose lives have been or are affected by a parent's compulsive drinking.

Phone: 01 873 2699

Information helpline for young people 10.30am – 2.30pm Monday to Saturday.

Weekend confidential helpline open Saturday to Monday.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS:

Phone: 01 842 0700 (9.30am – 5pm) Lo-call 1890 412 412 (5pm-10pm Mon to Fri, 10am-10pm Sat and Sun)

Web: www.alcoholicanonymous.ie

CITIZENS' INFORMATION LINE:

Description: Access to information for all citizens

Phone: 1890 777 121

Web: www.oasis.gov.ie

DRUGS / HIV HELPLINE:

Description: Offers support, information, guidance and referral to anyone with a question related to drug and alcohol use and / or HIV and sexual health.

Phone: Free phone 1800 459 459

Web: www.dap.ie

DUBLIN RAPE CRISIS CENTRE:

Description: A 24 hour national helpline service for victims of rape and sexual abuse.

Phone: Free phone 1800 778 888

Web: www.drcc.ie

HELPLINES AND SERVICES

HEALTH SERVICE EXECUTIVE INFORMATION LINE:

Description: Health service entitlements, how to gain a medical card, GP visit cards, drug payment scheme, back to school clothing and footwear scheme.

Phone: 1850 241 850

HOMELESS PERSON'S FREEPHONE SERVICES:

Description: Advice and referrals to emergency accommodation for homeless persons.

Phone: Free phone 1800 724 724

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS:

Description: Support group of recovering addicts who have found a way to live without the use of drugs.

Phone: 01 672 800

Web: www.na.ireland.org

RUHAMA:

Description: Voluntary organisation working with and for women in prostitution.

Phone: 01 836 0292

Web: www.ruhama.ie

SAMARITANS:

Description: Provides confidential emotional support 24 hours a day by telephone, email, face-to-face or letter to people in distress and at risk of suicide.

Phone: 1850 927 927

Web: www.samaritans.org

WOMEN'S AID:

Description: Provides information, support and accommodation referral to women and their children who are being physically, emotionally and sexually abused by an intimate partner

Phone: Free phone 1800 341 900

Web: www.womensaid.ie

VICTIM SUPPORT:

Phone: 1850 661 771

Web: www.victimsupport.ie

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