Contact Details

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CORE Values

Bradford Cyrenians Integrity is committed to Non-Judgemental breaking the cycle of Enable Homelessness and **Empower Rough Sleeping** through the Prevention provision of Safe and Dignity Secure Housing, Creative Advice and Support.

Equal Opportunities

Bradford Cyrenians is committed to actively working as an Equal Opportunities Employer and Service Provider to vulnerable people. We will strive to challenge all forms of discrimination by adopting and implementing policies and procedures designed to eliminate all forms of discrimination.







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Lone Parent?

Need Help Accessing Accommodation?

Need Help to Prevent Homelessness?

Aims and Objectives

The Parent+ service was developed due to a lack of housing and support services in Bradford for single parents due to decommissioning of services.

It was identified that there was a significant gap of service provision for lone parents which meant that presentations at housing options had increased.

As a registered Provider (RP) we can provide good quality accommodation units which we lease from other RSL's or private landlords for the use of Parent plus. The accommodation part of the scheme is run on the housing first model. The support model would be a family centred approach that works, not only with the parent, but also the child/ children. We also offer floating support / outreach that helps single parents with child/children to prevent them from losing their tenancy and support the family in the community.

Support at Parent+ is provided by a dedicated supported housing officer and a minimum of two

Our Support

We aim to provide Fair Access into All of our Services and the fully tailored Support packages include:

- Homeless Prevention Work
- Basic Life Skills
- Accessing Parenting Support
- Budget / Money Management
- Stay Safe
- Pathways into Therapeutic Support
- Confidence Building
- Accessing Volunteering / Paid Employment
- Re-Settlement and Move On Support into the community
- Outreach work offering one of support and referrals into relevant services
- Satellite Clinics in various agencies / family centres in order to deliver the service to a wider audience
- Transitional Support from our service into any other relevant provider.



Tenancy Ready / Basic Life Skills Training

As part of the intensive, tailored, support package that we deliver to our service users, each family receives a minimum of 3 visits per week.

During these visits we aim to provide the service user with the skills and knowledge to gain and maintain a successful tenancy or as an intervention service to prevent homelessness.

We deliver a programme that incorporates the Bradford Council Tenancy Ready Standards with our own developed Basic Skills Programme and creates a go to file of information for the services user moving into independent living.

Our Accommodation/ Allocations

We work with local Housing Providers in order to be able to offer fully furnished accommodation within the community.

Each referral will be assessed upon its own merit and, if accepted into service, in depth risk assessment and joint working with key agencies can ensure that we house people in locations that are appropriate for them and the community. We manage a waiting list and will make offers of accommodation based on our ability to manage or contain risk at that time.