



NORTHERN DRUGS & ALCOHOL CO-ORDINATION TEAM

LOCAL ACTION PLAN PROJECTS AND SMALL GRANTS SCHEME PROJECTS

FUNDING SUMMARY APRIL 2002 – MARCH 2008



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Section 1

Current Local Action Plan Funded Projects

October 2006 – March 2008

Introduction

The NSD for Alcohol and Drugs was launched / published in May 2006 by the DHSSPS.

In response the Northern Drugs & Alcohol Co-Ordination Team (NDACT) have developed a Local Action Plan (LAP) 2006 – 2009 with 19 identified outcomes reflecting priorities in the NSD. This has received DHSSPS and Ministerial approval.

DHSSPS allocated approximately £1.8 million to the Northern Board to support these outcomes from October 2006 – March 2008.

Six outcomes from NDACT's LAP have been successfully tendered for with awards being made to seven local groups / agencies to deliver the following services:-

- Mentoring Support & Counselling for under 18's (Tier 2 / 3 Services)
- Community & Family Support Services
- Cross-sectoral training programmes
- Alternative Criminal Justice options
- Supported & Direct access accommodation
- Targeted Education / Prevention programmes

Further to the tendering process the Northern Board's Mental Health PoC has taken forward the commissioning of the following three outcomes contained in the NDACT Action Plan:-

- Expansion of the current Drug Outreach Service
- Tier 3 / 4 specialist treatment services for young people under 18
- Tier 4 specialist in-patient services at Carrick 1, Holywell

The following section provides a summary of these projects / services, the Service Requirement Title, NDACT outcome (from the Team's LAP) and the contract period (except for the Tier 3 / 4 specialist treatment services for young people under 18). When the recruitment process has been completed by the Northern Health and Social Care Trust, details of this service will be added to the Funding Summary.

The remaining NDACT LAP outcomes will be taken forward and facilitated by NDACT member organisations and the Northern Board's DACOs.

For further information on any of these projects / services please contact the project / service directly and / or:-

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Name of group: ACET (NI) Ltd

Service Requirement Title: Targeted Education and Prevention programmes with Young People (Antrim / Ballymena localities)

NDACT Outcome: Targeted vulnerable groups as identified in the NSD will have had the opportunity to access relevant and appropriate alcohol and drug education / prevention programmes (based on recognised practice) within a personal development / lifestyle context across the Northern Board area in community and youth settings.

Contract Period: 01 May 2007 to 31 March 2008

Project / Service details:

ACET will develop and deliver education and prevention programmes targeted towards vulnerable and at risk groups of **young people (under 18) across the Antrim and Ballymena localities.**

Evidence based and recognised best practice in substance misuse education and prevention programmes will be at the core of this service. Programmes will be delivered at times and venues suitable to the target group.

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2.

Name of Group: ACET (NI) Ltd

Service Requirement Title: Targeted Education and Prevention programmes with Young People (East Antrim localities)

NDACT Outcome: Targeted vulnerable groups as identified in the NSD will have had the opportunity to access relevant and appropriate alcohol and drug education / prevention programmes (based on recognised practice) within a personal development / lifestyle context across the Northern Board area in community and youth settings.

Contract Period: 01 May 2007 to 31 March 2008

Project / Service details:

ACET will develop and deliver education and prevention programmes targeted towards vulnerable and at risk groups of **young people (under 18) across the East Antrim localities.**

Evidence based and recognised best practice in substance misuse education and prevention programmes will be at the core of this service. Programmes will be delivered at times and venues suitable to the target group.

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3.

Name of group: Dunlewey Substance Advice Centre (NI Ltd)

Service Requirement Title: Targeted Education and Prevention programmes with Adults (Ballymena / Antrim localities)

NDACT Outcome: Targeted vulnerable groups as identified in the NSD will have had the opportunity to access relevant and appropriate alcohol and drug education / prevention programmes (based on recognised practice) within a personal development / lifestyle context across the Northern Board area in community and youth settings.

Contract Period: 01 May 2007 to 31 March 2008

Project /Service details:

Dunlewey Substance Advice Centre will develop and deliver education and prevention programmes through their “Key to Change” programme targeted towards vulnerable and at risk groups of **adults across the Ballymena and Antrim localities**.

Evidence based and recognised best practice in substance misuse education and prevention programmes will be at the core of this service. Programmes will be delivered at times and venues suitable to the target group.

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4.

Name of Group: Dunlewey Substance Advice Centre (NI Ltd)

Service Requirement Title: Targeted Education and Prevention programmes with Adults (East Antrim localities)

NDACT Outcome: Targeted vulnerable groups as identified in the NSD will have had the opportunity to access relevant and appropriate alcohol and drug education / prevention programmes (based on recognised practice) within a personal development / lifestyle context across the Northern Board area in community and youth settings.

Contract Period: 01 May 2007 to 31 March 2008

Project / Service details:

Dunlewey Substance Advice Centre will develop and deliver education and prevention programmes through their “Key to Change” programme targeted towards vulnerable and at risk groups of **adults across the East Antrim localities**.

Evidence based and recognised best practice in substance misuse education and prevention programmes will be at the core of this service. Programmes will be delivered at times and venues suitable to the target group.

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5.

Name of Group: Dunlewey Substance Advice Centre (NI Ltd)

Service Requirement Title: Services for young people based on a 4-Tier model (Tier 2 / 3 counselling, support and mentoring service for 17 years old and under)

NDACT Outcome: Comprehensive treatment, education and prevention services for children and their carers / families and those who work with young people under 18 available through a 4-Tier model across the Northern Board area

Contract Period: 1 January 2007 to 31 March 2008

Project / Service details:

Employing a full-time Counselling Practitioner and a Mentoring / Support Officer this project will provide a Northern Board wide substance misuse service to young people aged 17 and under including:-

- Individual assessment and care-planning
- Mentoring and support services
- Structured counselling services
- Family work
- Aftercare services

The service will operate an open referral policy which will include self-referral.

Services will be available across the Northern Board via use of outreach clinics including evening and weekend accessibility.

The service will also liaise and work closely with the planned CAMHS based Northern Board wide dedicated Tier 3 / 4 Youth Treatment (Substance Misuse) Services.

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6.

Name of Group: Coleraine Rural & Urban Network (CRUN)

Service Requirement Title: Targeted education and prevention programmes (Causeway locality)

NDACT Outcome: Targeted vulnerable groups as identified in the NSD and by NDACT will have had the opportunity to access relevant and appropriate alcohol and drug education / prevention programmes (based on recognised best practice) within a personal development / lifestyle context across the Northern Board area in community and youth settings

Contract Period: 1 October 2006 to 31 March 2008

Project / Service details:

Through the appointment of an Education & Prevention Project Co-Ordinator and Training Officer, CRUN will develop and deliver education and prevention programmes targeted towards vulnerable and at risk groups of young people and adults **across the Causeway area.**

Evidence based and recognised best practice in substance misuse education and prevention programmes will be at the core of this service. Programmes will be delivered at times and venues suitable to the target group.

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7.

Name of Group: Teenagers Involved in Protecting Selves around Alcohol (TIPSA)

Service Requirement Title: Targeted education and prevention programmes (Mid-Ulster locality)

NDACT Outcome: Targeted vulnerable groups as identified in the NSD and by NDACT will have had the opportunity to access relevant and appropriate alcohol and drug education / prevention programmes (based on recognised best practice) within a personal development / lifestyle context across the Northern Board area in community and youth settings

Contract Period: 1 October 2006 to 31 March 2008

Project / Service details:

Through the appointment of two Project Officers, TIPSA will develop and deliver education and prevention programmes targeted towards vulnerable and at risk groups of young people and adults including training for parents / carers, teachers and other interested individuals **across the Cookstown and Magherafelt District Council areas.**

Evidence based and recognised best practice in substance misuse education and prevention programmes will be the at core of this service. Programmes will be delivered at times and venues suitable to the target group.

TIPSA also provides a signposting service through their website: www.cookstownhelp.com.

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94 Church Street
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Website: www.cookstownhelp.com

8.

Name of Group: Ballymena Family & Addicts Support (BFASG)

Service Requirement Title: Community Support Services incorporating Family Support

NDACT Outcome: (1) Support for communities dealing specifically with alcohol and drug issues is available across the Northern Board area
(2) Family support networks and services are available across the Northern Board area

Contract Period: 1 October 2006 to 31 March 2008

Project / Service details:

Through the employment of a Community Support Worker and a Family Support Worker, BFASG will deliver community and family support services across the Northern Board area in dealing with and addressing substance misuse issues.

High priority will be given to areas identified as most in need.

The main aims of the service will be to:-

- Provide support to communities dealing specifically with alcohol and drug issues
- Provide family support networks and services

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BFASG
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9.

Name of Group: Coleraine Rural & Urban Network (CRUN)

Service Requirement Title: Cross-sectoral Training and Awareness Programmes

NDACT Outcome: Alcohol and drug related training / information needs of individuals, organisations and agencies across the Northern Board area will have been met

Contract Period: 1 October 2006 to 31 March 2008

Project / Service details:

Through the appointment of a Drug & Alcohol Training Project Co-Ordinator, CRUN will deliver a substance misuse Training & Awareness Programme across the Northern Board area which will be open and accessible to all sectors, organisations and individuals.

The core elements / modules of the programme will be developed following identification of the training needs of groups / agencies in the statutory, voluntary and community sectors across the Northern Board.

The programme will contain both informal accreditation (e.g. Certificate of Attendance) and where appropriate formal academic accreditation.

All core elements / modules will reflect evidence based best practice.

Contact details

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10.

Name of Group: Northern Health and Social Services Trust

Service Requirement Title: Alternative Criminal Justice Options

NDACT Outcome: Provision of alternative options for juvenile alcohol and drug related offenders available in identified areas of need across the Northern Board area

Contract Period: 1 October 2006 to 31 March 2008

Project / Service details:

Through the appointment of a Programme Manager, Homefirst Health Promotion Service will develop and implement education and prevention programmes based on evidence based best practice targeted at juvenile alcohol and drug users within the Criminal Justice system.

The programme will also target the parents / carers of participants.

The service will be delivered in partnership with the Youth Justice Agency Community Services at their Attendance Centres in Newtownabbey / Carrickfergus, Larne, Ballymena, Antrim, Coleraine and Mid-Ulster.

The service will also work closely and link with Children's Services Planning structures and groups.

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11.

Name of Group: Living Rivers Trust

Service Requirement Title: Supported and direct accommodation

NDACT Outcome: Access to supported and direct access accommodation for individuals with alcohol and / or drug dependency available in the Northern Board area

Contract Period: 1 October 2006 to 31 March 2008

Project / Service details:

This service will provide emergency access and supported accommodation to individuals with substance misuse problems from across the Northern Board area. The emergency access accommodation will be provided via the Living Rivers Lighthouse Hostel which is a 28 single bedroom facility funded by Supporting People.

Supported accommodation will be provided through Living Rivers Beach House which has six residential units.

Structured support programmes tailored to the needs, culture and beliefs of the individual will also be delivered promoting independent living by sustaining the transition from the supported environment to independent accommodation.

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12.

Name of Group: Threshold

Service Requirement Title: Expansion of the Drug Outreach Service

NDACT Outcome: A drug outreach service is available in those areas across the Northern Board identified as most in need

Commissioned Period: 1 October 2006 to 31 March 2008

Project / Service details:

The current service engages with drug users in the Ballymena area who are not currently accessing services or those who are having difficulty accessing appropriate services.

Through the employment of a further outreach worker the service will expand to cover the Coleraine / Triangle and Antrim town areas which have been identified as areas of need.

Service provision will include:-

- Harm reduction advice and support
- Signposting and referral
- Emotional support
- Advocacy and service user development
- Flexibility and accessibility based on client need

The service will support and advise clients within a non-judgemental and confidential context, whilst striving to minimise drug related harm and overall, improve quality of life.

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13.

Name of Group: Threshold

Service Requirement Title: Expansion of the Drug Outreach Service

NDACT Outcome: A drug outreach service is available in those areas across the Northern Board identified as most in need

Commissioned Period: 1 October 2006 to 31 March 2008

Project / Service details:

Through funding from Ballymena Community Safety Partnership (CSP) Threshold have appointed a Drug & Alcohol Outreach Worker to cover the Ballymena area.

NDACT / NHSSB have provided the necessary match funding to allow this service to progress.

The service will target both drug and alcohol users (e.g. street drinkers) who are not currently accessing services or those who are having difficulty accessing appropriate services.

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14.

Name of Group: Northern Health and Social Care Trust

Service Requirement Title: Tier 4 specialist in-patient services

NDACT Outcome: Tier 4 specialist in-patient alcohol and drug services accessible and available at a local level

Commissioned Period: 1 October 2006 to 31 March 2008

Project / Service details:

Carrick 1 offers inpatient detoxification from alcohol, heroin, prescription drugs and a range of other substances.

Where appropriate, the service can also initiate and stabilise clients on substitute treatments for heroin dependence, or other medication to help reduce relapse.

In addition to appropriate medical treatment, Carrick 1 also provides a treatment programme consisting mainly of education and information, which incorporates a harm minimisation and relapse prevention approach.

Clients have the opportunity to participate fully in all aspects of their treatment with support and information also offered to relatives / carers.

Contact Details

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Section 2

Past Local Action Plan Funded Projects

**October 2002 – September
2006**

Introduction

The following seven projects were funded by the Drug & Alcohol Strategy Team (DAST) (based at the DHSS&PS) on the recommendation of the NDACT from October 2002 to September 2006.

These projects supported and addressed various activities within NDACT's Action Plan 2002 – 2005 in the areas of Treatment, Communities, Education and Prevention, Information and Research, Social Legislation and Criminal Justice.

The following section provides a summary of each of the projects and contact details.

For further information on any of these projects please contact:-

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1. Homefirst Health Promotion Service Drug & Alcohol Misuse Outreach Project

Project Details

This project provided training, support and practical assistance to community and voluntary organisations who were trying to address drug and alcohol issues.

This project's funding from DAST ended on 30 September 2006.

Funding allocated for 2005 / 06 - £37,823

Service Provider

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Tel: 2563 5575 Fax: 2563 5377

2. Teenagers Involved in Protecting Selves Around Alcohol (TIPSA) incorporating Cookstown District Drugs and Alcohol Forum

Project Details

This project provided drug and alcohol awareness information to teenagers and their parents within the Cookstown District Council area.

The project provided alcohol and drug education in the form of:-

- Alcohol / drug information evenings
- Parent information sessions
- An alcohol / drug education programme for teenagers (normally 4 weeks duration)

The sessions were delivered within the relevant community or organisations' base.

Funding allocated for 2005 / 06 - £75,145

This group was successful in securing funding post September 2006. See page 8 for details.

Contact Details

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3. Coleraine Rural & Urban Network Substance Misuse Action in Coleraine Project (SmaC)

Project Details

The aim of this project was to increase drugs awareness and promote peer leadership skills throughout the Coleraine Borough.

Education and prevention programmes were targeted at young people between 15-25 years of age, in local schools and community groups in the Coleraine Borough area.

Funding allocated for 2005 / 06 - £39,984

This group was successful in securing funding post September 2006. See pages 7 and 10 for details.

Contact details

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4. Ballymena Family & Addicts Support Group (BFASG) Development Manager Project

Project Details

The project's aim was to enable individuals to break free from addiction and support them through the process with the provision of alternative therapies which included: Auricular Acupuncture, Indian Head Massage, Reiki and hand reflexology.

Funding allocated for 2005 / 06 - £65,586

This group was successful in securing funding post September 2006. See page 9 for details.

Contact details

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5. North Eastern Education & Library Board – Youth Service Drug & Alcohol Awareness Field Officer Project (DAAFO's)

Project Details

Employing three part-time DAAFO's this project offered drug and alcohol awareness training, resources and support to Youth Leaders working in youth clubs and units currently registered with the NEELB Youth Service.

This project's funding from DAST ended on 30 September 2006.

Funding allocated for 2005 / 06 - £29,296

Contact Details

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17 Lough Road
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BT41 4DH
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6. Living Rivers Trust Dry-House Hostel Project

Project details

This project was providing supported accommodation tailored for men who were addressing an alcohol or drug dependency within a 'dry-house' environment.

Funding allocated for 2005 / 06 - £85,588

This group was successful in securing funding post September 2006. See page 12 for details.

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7. Larne Community Development Project / Children Services Planning Larne Peer Education Project

Project details

This project developed and implemented a peer-education initiative in the Antiville, Ballyloran and Blackcave electoral wards in Larne.

Funding allocated for 2005 / 06 - £36,865

This project's funding from DAST ended on 30 September 2006.

Contact details

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Section 3

Small Grants Scheme Funded Projects

April 2007 – March 2008

April 2006 – March 2007

April 2005 – March 2006

April 2004 – March 2005

April 2003 – March 2004

April 2002 – March 2003

Summary of Projects

Introduction

The Northern Drugs & Alcohol Co-Ordination Team is committed to supporting the work of voluntary and community organisations in tackling drug and alcohol related issues.

One of the NDACT's Terms of Reference is to 'support a small grants scheme which is consistent with their local Action Plan and within permitted resources'.

The aim of NDACT's small grants scheme is to promote the health and social well-being of NDACT / NHSSB's population by assisting voluntary, community and statutory organisations to develop and provide services that address and support specific NDACT activities or outcomes as identified in the Team's local Action Plan.

Facilitated by the NHSSB the NDACT have supported 48 local voluntary and community projects with total funding of approximately £156,000 in the past six financial years (April 2002 – April 2008).

The following section provides a summary of each of the projects and their contact details.

For further information on any of these projects please contact the project directly and / or:-

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Current Small Grants Scheme Funded Projects

April 2007 - March 2008

Summary of Projects

1.

Name of Group: Workspace Draperstown Ltd
Name of Project: "Reach Project"
Amount Awarded: £3,176

Project Details

This project aims to support people with a history of substance misuse and who are disadvantaged in the labour market; to take-up and / or remain engaged in mainstream employment.

The "Reach" programme will provide outdoor pursuits events and group job searches with these participants to enhance their confidence, communication skills and employment potential.

The NDACT grant will fund costs to support the programme such as training tutors, transport and stationery.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

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Email: info@workspace.org.uk

2.

Name of Group: Victory Restoration Ministries
Name of Project: "Clubreach"
Amount Awarded: £2,637.58

Project details

The project is aimed at promoting safety in pubs and clubs by raising drug and alcohol awareness with young people and underage drinkers in the Ballymena area.

The NDACT grant will fund protective clothing, travel, administration and operational costs.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Mr W McDowell
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95 Gracefield
Gracehill
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3.

Name of Group: Rathenraw Youth Scheme
Name of Project: "Rathenraw Drug Awareness Scheme"
Amount Awarded: £2,300

Project Details

The project aims to deliver a lifeskills education and prevention programme with approximately 15 young people culminating in a confidence building residential

The NDACT grant will fund the residential costs.

For more detailed information on the project please contact:-

Mrs Sharon Brash
Leader in Charge
Rathenraw Youth Scheme
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BT41 2SE
Telephone: (028) 9446 8399

4.

Name of Group: Monkstown Community Association
Name of Project: "Drug Awareness Monkstown"
Amount Awarded: £4,320.57

Project Details

This project aims to continue with a comprehensive drug awareness and information project for local people in Monkstown and includes DVD and mural programmes with young people.

The NDACT grant will primarily fund payroll costs for the current project coordinator for three months.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Ms Anne Judson

Monkstown Community Association

Monkstown Community Centre

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Monkstown

NEWTOWNABBEY

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Telephone: (028) 9086 6385

Email: monsktownmca@yahoo.co.uk

5.

Name of Group: Monday Night Madness
Name of Project: "ADAM Drugs / Alcohol Awareness 4 Mossley"
Amount Awarded: £2,706

Project Details

The project aims to deliver a lifeskills education and prevention programme with approximately 30 young people culminating in a confidence building residential

The NDACT grant will fund the residential costs.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

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Youth Worker

Monday Night Madness

24 Merrion Park

BALLYCLARE

BT39 9XD

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6.

Name of group: Living Rivers Lighthouse Hostel
Name of Project: "Express Yourself"
Amount Awarded: £4,823.87

Project Details

This project aims to provide an opportunity for a minimum of 12 young homeless people with drug and alcohol issues to explore different ways of expressing themselves through art, teambuilding and leisure activities.

The NDACT grant will fund travel, publicity and programme / activity costs.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

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Email: renadmanager@aol.com

7.

Name of Group: Community Direct
Name of Project: "Counting the cost of alcohol"
Amount Awarded: £4,127.50

Project Details

This project will deliver three programmes that explore the issue of alcohol use and misuse with community and women's groups across the Northern Board. It is expected that a minimum of 36 participants (12 per programme) will be recruited.

The NDACT grant will primarily fund programme, publicity and room hire costs

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

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8.

Name of Group: Ballee High School
Name of Project: "Rock Challenge"
Amount Awarded: £5,000

Project Details

The project will involve the training and preparation of students for the "Rock Challenge" event in 2008. Sixty young people will participate in developing an eight minute drama / dance performance.

"Rock Challenge" aims to educate young people through drama to live healthy lifestyles free from alcohol, tobacco and other drugs.

The NDACT grant will primarily fund tutor, costume and prop costs.

For more detailed information on the project contact:

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Co-Ordinator / Secretary

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Small Grants Scheme Funded Projects

April 2006 - March 2007

Summary of Projects

1.

Name of Group: Cheers Youth Centre, Ballymoney
Name of Project: Education & Prevention Project
Amount Awarded: £1,000

Project Details

The project identified and worked with a core group of local young people who were involved with alcohol / drug abuse or were vulnerable to its effects. The project was presented in a relevant, practical and informative manner, encouraging young people's participation along with input from other related organisations e.g. PSNI and NEELB.

The project aimed to:-

- Address the ongoing problem of underage alcohol and drug abuse
- To educate on the potential dangers of substance abuse
- To provide them with the necessary life skills to make informed choices

The NDACT grant funded training, venue hire and material costs.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Mrs Margaret Scott
Cheers Youth Centre
21 Church Street
BALLYMONEY
BT53 6HS
Email address: edeanne@talk21.com

2.

Name of Group: Carrickfergus Community Drug & Alcohol Advisory Group (CCDAAG)
Name of Project: How to Drug Proof Your Kids
Amount Awarded: £2,500

The project facilitated the running of “How to Drug Proof Your Kids” Presenter Training course. This two day course was organised by CCDAAG and delivered by Care For the Family within Carrickfergus and was available to community members.

The NDACT grant funded publicity materials, course fees, venue hire and catering costs.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Mrs Karen McManus
Project Co-Ordinator
CCDAAG
4 Cheston Street
CARRICKFERGUS
BT38 7BH
Telephone: (028) 9335 1562
Email: coordinator@ccdaag.org

3.

Name of Group: ACET
Name of Project: Health Education & Training: Hepatitis B / C, Drugs & Alcohol
Amount Awarded: £2,500

This project further developed health education sessions for vulnerable and at risk young people throughout Northern Board area.

The NDACT grant funded 9 health education sessions on drug and alcohol issues, related materials, promotion of the sessions, administrative support and management / evaluation costs.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Mr Gary Crothers
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PO Box 118
BELFAST
BT1 6HD
Telephone Number: (028) 9032 0844
Email: belfast@acet.ie

4.

Name of Group: Victory Restoration Ministries Ltd
Name of Project: "Clubreach"
Amount Awarded: £2,310

The project was aimed at promoting safety in pubs and clubs by raising drug and alcohol awareness with young people and underage drinkers in the Ballymena area.

The NDACT grant funded protective clothing, travel, administration and operational costs.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Mr Willis McDowell
Director of Evangelism
Victory Restoration Ministries Limited
Victory Praise Centre
Unit 22A
Pennybridge Industrial Estate
BALLYMENA
BT42 3HB
Telephone Number: (028) 2563 2050
Email: willis.mcdowell@btinternet.com

5.

Name of Group: Carntogher Community Association, Maghera
Name of Project: Alcohol & Drugs DVD Project
Amount Awarded: £2,260

The project aimed to develop an educational DVD detailing issues centred around drug and alcohol misuse in conjunction with a group of local young people. The DVD was also made available to schools and community groups in the locality. It primarily addressed issues around the opinions of young people in the community around drugs and alcohol.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Mrs Claire Doherty
Manager
Carntogher Community Association
c/o Ad Carn
Tirkane Road
MAGHERA
BT46 5NH
Telephone: (028) 7954 9978 Email: info@ancarn.org
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Small Grants Scheme Funded Projects

April 2005 – March 2006

Summary of Projects

1.

Name of Group: Glebeside Community Association
Name of Project: "Life Chances" Board game
Amount Awarded: £5,000

Project Details

The Glebeside Youth Club, under the umbrella of Glebeside Community Association, received funding to produce a board game – 'Life Chances'.

The project produced 500 copies of the life chances board game with an accompanying booklet on 'how they did it'. The project was an innovative approach to learning and understanding of issues relating to drugs, alcohol and smoking.

The young people of the Glebeside Youth Club were the driving force of the project with assistance from a trained facilitator.

Life Chances will be essentially aimed at educating young people and will also provide guidance and information to leaders and others who educate or wish to educate young people on drugs and alcohol related issues.

The NDACT grant funded the production of this board game.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Ian McAfee
Community Development Officer
Glebeside Community Association
18 Belford Park
BALLYMONEY
BT53 6HR
Telephone Number: (028) 2766 7624
Email: glebesideca@hotmail.com

2.

Name of Group: Victory Praise Centre
Name of Project: "Safe Clubbing in Ballymena"
Amount Awarded: £2,000

The project was aimed at promoting safety in pubs and clubs by raising drug and alcohol awareness with young people and underage drinkers in the Ballymena area.

The NDACT grant purchased clothing and support the operational activities of this organisation on the ground.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Willis McDowell
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Victory Restoration Ministries Limited
Victory Praise Centre
Unit22A
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BALLYMENA
BT42 3HB
Telephone Number: (028) 2563 2050
Email: willis.mcdowell@btinternet.com

3.

Name of Group: Loup Women's Group
Name of Project: Drug Awareness Training
Amount Awarded: £505

The Loup Women's Group provided a drug awareness training course to educate parents on the signs of drug abuse in children for families in the Loup area.

The NDACT grant funded training materials and costs for a trainer to deliver the course.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Mrs Helen Andrews
Committee Member
Loup Women's Group
6 Drunronan Road
MAGHERAFELT
BT45 7SU
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4.

Name of Group: Ballymena Family & Addicts Support Group
Name of Project: Alternative Therapies
Amount Awarded: £4,000

BFASG offered their client group additional complimentary therapies (Bach flower remedies and 'Hopi' ear candling) as alternatives to substance misuse as well as enhancing the individual's recovery process.

The NDACT grant purchased relevant materials and remedies related to these additional treatments so that they could be provided to relevant BFASG clients at no charge.

For more detailed information on the project contact:

The Hope Centre
Ballymena Family & Addicts Support Group
60-64 Mill Street
BALLYMENA
BT43 5AF
Telephone Number: (028) 2563 2726
Email: support@bfasg.org.uk

5.

Name of Group: Parishes of Maghera & Killelagh
Name of Project: Maghera Marginalised Youth Initiative
Amount Awarded: £3,560

The project aims were to further develop relationships formed with marginalized young people (5-18 years) in disadvantaged housing estates in the Maghera area to address drug and alcohol misuse.

The project encouraged these young people to embrace drug and alcohol free lifestyles by use of detached work and centre based activities providing a life skills development programme.

The NDACT grant funded a 'Drug Proofing your Kids' course and support drama training sessions

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Rev. Robert Miller
Maghera Rectory
20 Church Street
MAGHERA
BT46 5EA
Telephone Number: (028) 7964 2252
Email: maghera@derry.anglican.org

6.

Name of Group: ACET
Name of Project: Health Education & Training: Hepatitis B / C, Drugs & Alcohol
Amount Awarded: £4,860

The project further developed health education sessions for young people throughout Northern Board area.

The NDACT grant supported 18 health education sessions on drug and alcohol issues, materials, promotion of services, administrative support, management costs and evaluation of the project upon completion in March 2006.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Gary Crothers
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BT1 6HD
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Email: belfast@acet.ie

7.

Name of Group: Living Rivers Lighthouse Hostel
Name of Project: Development of Training
Amount Awarded: £4,765

The project aimed to co-ordinate and implement a training programme for staff and volunteers by providing an accredited community drug awareness course in house.

The NDACT grant funded training sessions for staff and volunteers.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Rena Stevenson
Living Rivers Church
2-4 Railway Street
BALLYMENA
BT42 2AB
Telephone: (028) 2563 8700
Email: renadmanager@aol.com

8.

Name of Group: South East Antrim Life Education
Name of Project: "Talking About Tough Issues" Course for Parents
Amount Awarded: £4,955

This project aimed to train facilitators to deliver "Talking About Tough Issues" (TATI) courses to parents through a series of workshops. This was piloted in partnership with NEELB in three Borough Council areas.

The workshop aimed to equip parents with the confidence, skills and knowledge necessary to enable them to talk to their children about drugs and alcohol.

The NDACT grant funded publicity materials and training costs related to the TATI course.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Mr Sam Crowe
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BT38 9DE
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Small Grants Scheme Funded Projects

April 2004 – March 2005

Summary of Projects

1.

Name of Group: Parishes of Maghera & Killelagh
Name of Project: Maghera Marginalised Youth Initiative
Amount Awarded: £5,000

The aims of the project were to build trusting relationships with marginalized young people (5-18 years) in disadvantaged housing estates in the Maghera area and to encourage these young people to embrace drug and alcohol free lifestyles by use of detached and centre based activities providing a life skills development programme.

The NDACT grant funded the purchase of office equipment and course costs.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Rev. Robert Miller
Maghera Rectory
20 Church Street
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Telephone Number: (028) 7964 2252
Email: maghera@derry.anglican.org

2.

Name of Group: St Joseph's Pioneers
Name of Project: D.A.R.E. To Be Different
Amount Awarded: £2,500

The project hosted a variety of social events that were drug and alcohol related including an educational fun day that promoted socialisation free from alcohol and drugs.

The NDACT grant funded a drama residential, training; the purchase of t-shirts and resources e.g. leaflets.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Malachy Doyle
c/o 1 Toalstown Meadows
TOOMEBRIDGE
BT41 3PG
Telephone Number: (028) 7965 9068

3.

Name of Group: Magherafelt & District Disability Forum
Name of Project: Cannabis – is it good for you?
Amount Awarded: £1,732

The project held an information workshop to discuss the ongoing debate in the disability world about the merits of cannabis as a pain relief medicine. A follow up workshop was held to measure any change in attitudes from the first workshop.

The NDACT grant funded travel costs for speaker(s), venue and catering costs.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Seamus Davey
Magherafelt & District Disability Forum
Unit 3 The Rainey Centre
80-82 Rainey Street
MAGHERAFELT
BT45 5AH
Telephone Number: (028) 7930 1606
Email: shopmobilitymagherafelt@yahoo.co.uk

4.

Name of Group: Carrickfergus District Drug & Alcohol Advisory Group
Name of Project: Newsround
Amount Awarded: £3,662.25

The aim of the project was to produce a quarterly news-sheet for the Carrickfergus Borough. The idea was to inform the local community about the existence of the Carrickfergus District Drug & Alcohol Advisory Group and the activities it was currently undertaking and proposing to undertake in the future. The main focus of the news-sheet was to provide information on drugs, alcohol and solvents.

The NDACT grant funded design, printing, postage and administration costs for three issues of the news-sheet.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

David Chestnutt
Secretary
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CARRICKFERGUS
BT38 9RL
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Email: d.chestnutt@virgin.net

5.

Name of Group: Ballee Community High School
Name of Project: Rock Challenge
Amount Awarded: £5,000

The aim of the project was that up to 134 young people aged 11-18 years would attend 3 health education preparation workshops from September to December 2004 where the exploration of attitudes and values in relation to substance misuse would be a key element. This will provided a valuable contribution to the personal and social development of the future citizens of the area.

The NDACT grant funded tutor costs, travel, equipment, expenses, training, administration and costume costs.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Gillian McCartney
Ballee Community High School
Ballee Road West
Ballee
BALLYMENA
BT42 2HS
Telephone Number: (028) 2564 9327

6.

Name of Group: Simon Community, Coleraine
Name of Project: Drug & Alcohol Education
Amount Awarded: £879.99

The aim of the project was to address lifestyle changes with regards to alcohol and drugs with vulnerable homeless people by providing discussion sessions and educational materials.

The NDACT grant funded the purchase of equipment and educational material.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Paul Lewis
Simon Community Coleraine
14-16 Lodge Road
COLERAINE
BT52 1NB
Telephone: (028) 7035 2300

7.

Name of Group: Armoy Community Association
Name of Project: DJing
Amount Awarded: £1,750

The aim of the project was to give young people relevant and accurate information which allowed them to make informed decisions in their lives by exploring issues around drugs and alcohol. The programme was taught in parallel to learning about how to become a D.J. (Disc Jockey).

The NDACT grant funded equipment, tutor costs and materials.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Mary Burns
Armoy Communication Association
8 Main Street
Armoy
BALLYMONEY
BT53 8RQ
Telephone Number: (028) 2075 2021
Email: armoy@nacn.org

8.

Name of Group: Ballee Environmental Project
Name of Project: A Better Way
Amount Awarded: £3,390

The aim of the project was to run an education programme with young people involved in the Better Way Project. This included a residential for up to 20 youths and 4 committee members to consolidate learning from the programme.

The NDACT grant funded residential costs, stationery and refreshments.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Ballee Environmental Project
162 Drumtara
Ballee
BALLYMENA
BT42 3DZ
Telephone Number: (028) 2564 9873
Email: balleenvproject@hotmail.com

9.

Name of Group: Ballymena User's Forum
Name of Project: Northern User's Network Project
Amount Awarded: £3,420.25

The aim of the project was to strengthen the drug user's network in the Ballymena area by developing contact with other drug users / ex-users network in the areas of Belfast, Dublin, Coleraine, Antrim and Ballymena. It also encouraged harm reduction practices and access to appropriate treatment by acting as a bridge to services.

The NDACT grant funded forum meetings, administration, publications, travelling expenses and a respite weekend for members.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Ballymena User's Forum
c/o 55B Cushendall Road
BALLYMENA
BT43 6HA
Telephone Number: 0774 5425 884
Email: famedmvc@hotmail.com

10.

Name of Group: Coleraine Safer Dancing & Door Supervisor's Committee
Name of Project: Teen Safe
Amount Awarded: £4,600

The aim of the project was to gather baseline information via a survey with local schools (year 8-10 pupils) regarding the extent of substance misuse in local communities to enable effective targeting of resources. It also ran an information campaign targeting parents of 12-15 year olds and an awareness roadshow which tackled issues arising from the survey regarding drug, alcohol, solvent and cannabis misuse.

The NDACT grant funded the information campaign, roadshows, training and printing costs.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Willie Elder
Coleraine Safer Dancing & Door Supervisor's Committee
Coleraine Borough Council
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BT52 1EY
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Email: willie.elder@colerainebc.gov.uk

Small Grants Scheme Funded Projects

April 2003 – March 2004

Summary of Projects

1.

Name of Group: Ulster Youth Committee
Name of Project: All Ireland Pioneer Sports Competition
Amount Awarded: £975

This regional project hosted activities for young people to encourage a social life free from the pressures of alcohol and drug abuse through sport and education.

The NDACT grant funded the purchase of medals, hiring of equipment / facilities, promotion of events and catering on a pro-rata basis.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Su-Zann Scott
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MAGHERAFELT
BT45 6HX
Telephone Number: (028) 7941 8253
Email: zannscott@hotmail.com

2.

Name of Group: St Joseph's Pioneers
Name of Project: D.A.R.E. to be different
Amount Awarded: £2,110

The project hosted a variety of social events that were drug and alcohol related including a fun day to promote socialisation free from alcohol and drugs.

The NDACT grant funded a drama residential, training; the purchase of t-shirts and resources i.e. leaflets.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Malachy Doyle
c/o 1 Toalstown Meadows
TOOMEBRIDGE
BT41 3PG
Telephone Number: (028) 7965 9068

3.

Name of Group: ACET
Name of Project: Health Education & Training: Drugs & Alcohol
Amount Awarded: £5,000

The project provided Health Education on issues around the use of drugs and alcohol, targeting young people within the NHSSB most disadvantaged wards.

The NDACT grant funded 15 health education sessions, materials, promotion of services, administrative support, management costs and evaluation of the project upon completion in December 2004.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Gary Crothers
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BELFAST
BT1 6HD
Telephone Number: (028) 9032 0844
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4.

Name of Group: Ballee Environmental Project
Name of Project: A Better Way
Amount Awarded: £4,140

The project was aimed at opening a community office / drop-in centre during weekend evenings to provide a drug and alcohol free alternative meeting place for those aged 16+.

The NDACT grant funded the purchase of computer equipment, activity equipment i.e. dart board and darts, TV / video player and art material.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Ballee Environmental Project
Ballee
BALLYMENA
BT42 3DZ
Telephone Number: (028) 2564 9873
Email: belleenvproject@hotmail.com

5.

Name of Group: Living Rivers Lighthouse Hostel
Name of Project: Staff & Residents Training Programme
Amount Awarded: £3,512

The project aimed to co-ordinate and implement a training programme for staff as well as offer training opportunities to residents on health issues.

The NDACT grant funded training sessions for staff and clients, travel, renting of training room and computer equipment.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Rena Stevenson
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2-4 Railway Street
BALLYMENA
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Telephone: (028) 2563 8700
Email: renadmanager@aol.com

6.

Name of Group: Ballymena Family & Addicts Support Group
Name of Project: Stepping Out
Amount Awarded: £5,000

The project aimed to maintain, develop and enhance service provision, catering for the needs of target groups and increase leisure and sports activities amongst their service users.

The NDACT grant funded the purchase of equipment required for alternative treatments, hire of services for outings, computer equipment and event management.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

The Hope Centre
Ballymena Family & Addicts Support Group
60-64 Mill Street
BALLYMENA
BT43 5AF
Telephone Number: (028) 2563 2726
Email: support@bfasg.org.uk

Small Grants Scheme Funded Projects

April 2002 – March 2003

Summary of Projects

1.

Name of Group: Home Mission Society
Name of Project: Alcohol & Drug Advice Drop-in Centre
Amount Awarded: £1,880

The project provided a drop-in centre at Carnany Drive in Ballymoney where users and family members could call in for informal support or to make use of recreational equipment e.g. snooker, computer games.

The NDACT grant funded the purchase of office furniture, a computer and kitchen equipment to support the centre.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

James Sands
47 Larne Street
BALLYMENA
BT42 3AL
Telephone Number: (028) 2563 2131

2.

Name of Group: NEELB Youth Service (N/abbey, C/Fergus & Larne)
Name of Project: N/abbey, C/Fergus & Larne Drama Project
Amount Awarded: £5,000

The project provided young people from 8 youth groups across the above areas the opportunity to explore issues around drugs / alcohol and how these could impact on young people's lives and development through the medium of drama.

The project culminated in the young people developing and directing a play shown locally in June 2003.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Gillian McClay
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NEWTOWNABBEY
BT36 5HN
Telephone Number: (028) 9084 0971
Email: rosie.thorpe@neelb.org.uk

3.

Name of Group: Home Mission Society
Name of Project: Alcohol & Drug Advice Drop-in Centre
Amount Awarded: £1,650

The project provided a drop-in centre at Larne Street in Ballymena where users and family members could call in for informal support or to make use of recreational equipment e.g. snooker, computer games.

The NDACT grant funded the purchase of office furniture and equipment (including a computer).

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

James Sands
47 Larne Street
BALLYMENA
BT42 3AL
Telephone Number: (028) 2563 2131

4.

Name of Group: Living Rivers Lighthouse Hostel
Name of Project: Preparing for Change
Amount Awarded: £4,999

This project was aimed at providing Living Rivers Lighthouse Hostel staff and volunteers with training in relation to drugs and alcohol.

Training delivered included first-aid, health and safety, social effects of drugs and alcohol, dealing with violence and aggression and harm reduction with injecting users.

The NDACT grant funded training equipment, office equipment and training / course costs / fees.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Rena Stevenson
Living Rivers Church
2-4 Railway Street
BALLYMENA
BT42 2AB
Telephone: (028) 2563 8700
Email: renadmanager@aol.com

5.

Name of Group: Ballymaguigan Development Group
Name of Project: Drugs & Alcohol Awareness Project
Amount Awarded: £640

The project provided training for parent and youth groups on communication skills, factors leading to use of alcohol / drugs and information on the social and physical impact of excessive use.

The NDACT grant funded the facilitation of a 6 week programme with youth and parents groups on drug / alcohol as well as an information night for the community.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Kathleen Mawhinney
243 Shore Road
Ballymaguigan
MAGHERAFELT
BT45 6LH
Telephone Number: (028) 7965 9379
Email: ballymaguigan@devototalise.co.uk

6.

Name of Group: Magherafelt & District Youth Council
Name of Project: Peer Led Health Initiative
Amount Awarded: £5,000

The project provided a programme promoting the development of health and social wellbeing of young people within the area.

The NDACT grant funded the salary costs of a co-ordinator (Feb – Oct '03), training, hospitality and equipment.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Deirdre Bradley
Unit 13 Workspace
80-82 Rainey Street
MAGHERAFELT
BT45 5AJ
Telephone Number: (028) 7930 0235

7.

Name of Group: Antrim Community Safety Committee
Name of Project: Antrim Street Drinkers project
Amount Awarded: £2,615

The project aimed to ascertain the number of street drinkers and patterns of street drinking in Antrim Town Centre.

The NDACT grant funded research for a mapping exercise, needs analysis, collation and compilation of report and launch of report findings.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Mairead Smith
Community Safety Officer
Antrim Borough Council
The Steeple
Steeple Road
ANTRIM
BT41 1BJ
Telephone Number: (028) 9446 3113

8.

Name of Group: Ballymena Family & Addicts Support Group
Name of Project: Alternative Treatment
Amount Awarded: £1,396.29

The project provided alternative treatments to those with addictions of drugs and / or alcohol as well as family members and to publicise the same.

The NDACT grant funded the purchase of equipment required to carry out these treatments on the BFASG premises.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

The Hope Centre
Ballymena Family & Addicts Support Group
60-64 Mill Street
BALLYMENA
BT43 5AF
Telephone Number: (028) 2563 2726
Email: support@bfasg.org.uk

9.

Name of Group: ACET
Name of Project: Health Education
Amount Awarded: £5,000

The project provided drug and alcohol education targeting young people and community groups as well as staff of entertainment venues. They also provided health education sessions in line with local need.

The NDACT grant funded the provision of 15 health education sessions.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Gary Crothers
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BT1 6HD
Telephone Number: (028) 9032 0844
Email: gary@acet.ie

10.

Name of Group: Ballymoney Youth Outreach Trust
Name of Project: Weekend residential
Amount Awarded: £1,210

The project provided a residential for young people, looking at why teenagers drink alcohol, effects of drinking (both positive and negative), and an examination of the alternatives to drinking.

The NDACT grant funded the residential costs, related materials and speakers.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Judith Mackay
Cheers Youth Centre
30 Victoria Street
BALLYMONEY
BT53 6DW
Telephone Number: (028) 2766 6931

11.

Name of Group: Ballymoney Youth Outreach Trust
Name of Project: School Project
Amount Awarded: £3,000

This project aimed to raise awareness and educate local young people through a drugs and alcohol education programme.

The NDACT grant funded the delivery of this programme.

For more detailed information on the project contact:-

Judith Mackay
Cheers Youth Centre
30 Victoria Street
BALLYMONEY
BT53 6DW
Telephone Number: (028) 2766 6931

GLOSSARY OF TERMS

ACET	AIDS Care Education & Training
BFASG	Ballymena Family & Addicts Support Group
CAMHS	Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services
CCDAAG	Carrickfergus Community Drug & Alcohol Advisory Group
CRUN	Coleraine Rural & Urban Network
DACO	Drug & Alcohol Co-Ordinator
DACT	Drug & Alcohol Co-Ordination Team
DAFFO	Drug & Alcohol Awareness Field Officer
DAST	Drug & Alcohol Strategy Team
DHSS&PS	Department of Health, Social Services & Public Safety
LAP	Local Action Plan
NEELB	North Eastern Education & Library Board
NDACT	Northern Drugs & Alcohol Co-Ordination Team
NHSSB	Northern Health & Social Services Board (Northern Board)
NSD	New Strategic Direction
PoC	Programme of Care
PSNI	Police Service of Northern Ireland
S.E.A.L.E	South East Antrim Life Education
Smac	Substance Misuse Action in Coleraine
TIPSA	Teenagers Involved in Protecting Selves Around Alcohol