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ABOUT US

Women's Work (Derbyshire) Ltd is a national award winning charity based in Derby that provides support to disadvantaged women and their families who are affected by drug and alcohol problems, abuse, homelessness, and offending behaviour.

WHAT IS TURN AROUND?

A professional service delivered to women by women to address offending behaviour.

The Turn Around Project's ultimate aim is to:

REDUCE RE-OFFENDING!!

By completing an individual assessment which focuses on the 9 resettlement pathways, risk factors that may contribute to or lead to offending behaviour can be identified, and addressed.

RISK FACTORS AND HOW WE CAN HELP

Drug & Alcohol Misuse: aid women to access the necessary treatment and detox provisions.

Accommodation: assist in finding women suitable and sustainable housing.

Financial Issues: meeting with debt counsellors, benefit advisors and negotiating payment plans.

Health: ensure women are aware of their health needs and provide support with arranging and attending appointments.

Family & Relationships: encourage positive and stable relationships and provide family support services.

Skills & Employment: encourage engagement in education, training and employment opportunities.

Attitudes & Behaviour: encourage positive life choices and diversion from offending behaviour.

Domestic Violence & Abuse: ensure the safety of abuse sufferers and provide 1-to-1 support.

Street Sex Work: encourage safe working practices and diversion from street sex work.

METHODS OF SUPPORT

Counselling

Health advice

Learning mentor

Arranging and accompanying service users to their appointments

Family support

Referral to other relevant support agencies

Mediation & advocacy

Direct access to drug treatment

Housing advice

Benefit and budgeting advice.

Women's Work operates a strict confidentiality policy. We will only share information with consent. However, we are legally bound to disclose details in any instance where we believe a child is at serious risk of harm.

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