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Carlow CYPSC Mission		Carlow Children and Young People's Services Committee works for the better outcomes for the children and young people across the county by working together as agencies, consulting with young people and responding to emerging needs.										
Carlow CYPSC Statement of intent 2025		In 2025 Carlow CYPSC will launch its Children and Young People's Plan 2025-2027, consultation with young people will be formalised and projects will be supported that address the emerging needs and support the 5 national outcomes for Children and Young People.										
National Outcome 1 Active and Healthy, Physical & Mental Wellbeing												
CYPSC Priority	Objective	Indicator over 3-year CYPP period	Action(s) 2025	HIF Actions 2025	Lead Agency	Partners						
Drug awareness	To target the age cohorts where the majority of young people try drugs for the first time	Less young people presenting to substance misuse programmes. Number of young people who engage with the programme.	Support the development of the drugs awareness imitative.	Implement the National Drugs Strategy	Healthy Carlow	ARDU,Healthy Carlow, CYPSC, Carlow Regional Youth Service-Community Based Drugs Imitative						
Online Safety	To educate young people on intimate image sharing.	Number of schools and young people who engage with the programme	Develop toolkit and guidelines for teachers. Consultation with young people. Design leaflet for parents and toolkit for young people with imagery for phone accessories	Continue to work with children and youth organisations to improve the decision making capacity of children regarding health and wellbeing.	CYPSC Carlow	Healthy Carlow, Carlow Community Safety Partnership.						
Healthy Eating and Active Living	To promote good physical, mental and emotional health for children, young people and their families in County Carlow.	Number of families participating in Healthy Streets Programmes and linked with support services.	To have a minimum of 2 Healthy Streets programmes in County Carlow every year.	Develop initiatives to address health inequalities in marginalised groups.	Carlow CYPSC Healthy and Active Subgroup	Forward Steps FRC, Bagenalstown FRC and St Catherines Community Centre						
National Outcome 2 Achieving Full Potential in all Areas of Learning and Development												
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School Retention	To understand if there is a connection with school retention and the availability of the Leaving Cert Applied	Results of research conducted across the county.	Conduct a piece of research looking at school retention statistics across the county post-primary schools and comparing the schools that have a Leaving Cert Applied and those without.		Carlow CYPSC Coordinator and Outcome 2 Subgroup	Post Primary schools in County Carlow						
National Outcome 3 Safe and Protected from Harm												
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Online Safety	Promotion of technology free socialising time among young people in County Carlow.	Number of schools/agencies that sign up to the Carlow phone use charter	Draw up the <i>Disconnect to Connect</i> voluntary pledge where young people commit to taking regular breaks from digital devices.		Carlow CYPSC Outcome 3 and Outcome 1 subgroups.	Healthy Carlow						
National Outcome 4 Economic Security & Opportunity												
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Young people not in education or training	To share information on alternative education pathways available in County Carlow to young people considering leaving education or those who are not in education or training.	Number of information sharing events on alternative education pathways.	Information sharing online for parents through Carlow Parents Hub website and an in person event for young people.		Carlow CYPSC Outcome 2 subgroup	Carlow Youth Training, Carlow Youthreach, Carlow, Kilkenny ETB						
National Outcome 5 Connected, respected & contributing to their world												
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Youth Participation	To formalise how children and young people are represented on Carlow CYPSC.	How many young people attend CYPSC meetings or engage in consultation with CYPSC in a manner suggested by young people.	Consultation process with youth organisations in County Carlow such as Comhairle na Nog, schools, 3rd level institutions.		Carlow CYPSC	Carlow Regional Youth Service, SETU, Carlow College, Post Primary Schools, Primary Schools						
Change Management												
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Interagency Communication	To have a representative of Carlow Children's Disability Network Team on the CYPSC	How many CYPSC meetings have representation from the Carlow Children's Disability Network Teams.	Meet with the Carlow Children's Disability Network Team and highlight the benefits of interagency work through CYPSC.		Carlow CYPSC	Carlow Children's Disability Network Team						