



### Galway CYPSC 2026 ANNUAL PROGRAMME OF WORK

<b>Galway CYPSC Mission</b>		That outcomes for Children and Young People are improved through inter-agency working.							
<b>Galway CYPSC Statement of intent 2026</b>		To plan and coordinate the delivery of effective interagency projects to children and young people that also serve to strengthen relationships between, and capacity of, local services.							
<b>National Outcome 1 Active and Healthy, Physical and Mental Wellbeing</b>									
CYPSC Priority	Objective	Indicator over 3-year CYP period	Action(s)	Please select relevant Healthy Ireland goal if applicable.	Please select relevant Healthy Ireland Outcomes Framework Indicator Set if applicable	Is this action being evaluated?	Lead Agency	Partners	Fund Name
Early Years Supports (0-3)	To improve practitioner awareness and access to local services to ensure timely, integrated support for families	Number of registered practitioners using the resource; % increase in cross-agency referrals for the 0-3 cohort.	Develop and launch a centralized online service directory; deliver 3+ multi-agency briefing sessions for practitioners	Increase the proportion of people that are healthy at all stages of life	Preventative Measures	no	Health Service Executive: Health Promotion	Tusla Child and Family Support Network Coordinators, Galway Childcare Committee, Health Service Executive Public Health Nursing; Galway City Partnership;	Healthy Ireland Fund
Early Years Supports (0 - 3)	To increase parental awareness of the importance of early relationships and social-emotional development (0-3 years)	Number of parents attending IMH events; % of participants reporting increased confidence in responding to infant cues.	Host an annual community seminar and information event on Infant Mental Health for parents/caregivers	Increase the proportion of people that are healthy at all stages of life	Preventative Measures	no	Health Service Executive: Health Promotion	Tusla Child and Family Support Network Coordinators, Galway Childcare Committee, Health Service Executive Public Health Nursing; Galway City Partnership; Galway City Council Sports Partnership; Health Service Executive Community Health and Dietetics Service; Health Service Executive Primary Care Psychology Service; Tusla Integrated Front Door team	Healthy Ireland Fund
<b>National Outcome 2 Achieving Full Potential in all Areas of Learning and Development</b>									
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Educational Achievement & Children in Care	To improve educational outcomes and school belonging for children in alternative care settings	% increase in school staff completing trauma-informed care training; improved stability in school placements for Children in Care.	Deliver a county level "Education & Care" awareness campaign and workshops for school leadership and staff; develop supportive school resources for children	Reduce health inequalities	Wellbeing Factors	no	Galway Children and Young People's Services Committee	Tusla; Tusla Aftercare Committee; School Staff	Healthy Ireland Fund
To promote out-of-school educational opportunities <sup>2</sup>	That young people have the opportunity to participate in music education and performance	Number of Young People attending music education initiatives	Identification of Music Educators; Promotion of Music Education opportunities; Delivery of music lessons and performance opportunities			no	Galway Roscommon Education Training Board	Galway City Partnership; Galway Home School Liaison Officers' Forum	CYPSC Programme Fund

National Outcome 3 Safe and Protected from Harm									
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Supporting Parents and Guardians	That parents and families are informed about local services	Number of messages issued to parents through School Messaging Apps	Delivery of 4 targeted messages (informed by Planet Youth data) per school year	Reduce health inequalities	Lifestyle and Behaviour Risks	no	Western Region Drug and Alcohol Task Force	University of Galway; Tusla; schools	Healthy Ireland Fund
Domestic Abuse	To create, nurture and sustain a global network of domestic abuse-informed child welfare professionals, communities and systems.	Number of professionals receiving certification as 'Safe and Together' practitioners	Delivery of 2 x Safe and Together training events in Galway	Protect the public from threats to health and wellbeing	Lifestyle and Behaviour Risks	no	COPE Galway	Domestic Abuse Response, Tusla, Galway City Community Safety Partnership	Healthy Ireland Fund
National Outcome 4 Economic Security and Opportunity									
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Young People not in Employment, Education or Training	To develop a common understanding and shared priorities in relation to young people aged 16-25 years not engaged in employment, education or training.	Issue of Young People not Engaged in Education or Training referenced in member Organisations' Work Plans	To convene an inter-agency discussion to explore barriers faced by Young People not in Education or Training			no	Galway Roscommon Education Training Board	All Galway CYPSC Member Organisations	CYPSC Programme Fund
National Outcome 5 Connected, respected and contributing to their world									
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Social Exclusion of Young People	To support the delivery of opportunities for young people to be involved in creative projects	Number of young people participating in local creative projects	Identify appropriate creative projects; Commission delivery of creative projects; Review			no	Galway Creative Youth Partnership	Galway Roscommon Education and Training Board; Galway City Partnership (Workers Active in International Protection Network); Galway City Council; Galway County Council	International Protection Support Fund
Change Management									
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Promotion of Learning	That member organisations showcase local expertise	Proportion of CYPSC meetings that include a learning element	Schedule presentation of work during meetings			no	Galway Children and Young People's Services Committee	All Galway CYPSC Member Organisations	
Greater connectedness between CYPSC and CFSNs	To establish a dedicated CFSN training programme	Number of events held	Deliver annual training event (in collaboration with Child and Family Support Networks); Dedicate a CYPSC meeting to an issue emerging through Child and Family Support Networks each year			no	Galway Children and Young People's Services Committee	All Galway CYPSC Member Organisations	