



Kildare CYPSC 2026 ANNUAL PROGRAMME OF WORK

| Kildare CYPSC Mission <small>Kildare</small> | | All children, young people and families in Co. Kildare will be afforded the best opportunity to reach their full potential. | | | | | | | |
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| Kildare CYPSC Statement of intent 2026 | | To improve outcomes for children, young people and families through collaboration and cooperation at local level. | | | | | | | |
| National Outcome 1 Active and Healthy, Physical and Mental Wellbeing | | | | | | | | | |
| CYPSC Priority | Objective | Indicator over 3-year CYPSP 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 |
| Mental Health and Wellbeing | To enhance awareness of, and access to mental health supports for young people | Information resource published and disseminated | To publish and disseminate an info resource for young people, parents & professionals | | | no | HSE | Tusla/CYPSC | |
| Trauma Informed Practice | To increase skills, knowledge & understanding amongst local services of a trauma-informed approach to supporting children, young people & families | Conference completed. Charter and factsheet developed | To host a 1-day inter-agency conference. To develop a Trauma Informed Kildare Charter & factsheet | | | yes | In Sync Youth & Family Services | Tusla, HSE, Kildare County Council, Maynooth University, An Garda Síochána, Kildare County Childcare Committee, Family Resource Centres | CYPSC Programme Fund |
| National Outcome 2 Achieving Full Potential in all Areas of Learning and Development | | | | | | | | | |
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| Opportunity and Inclusion | To enhance the level and inter-agency nature of support for neurodivergent children/young people & their families. | Occupational Therapy provided to children/ young people. Information resource published & disseminated. Professionals training programme completed. Parents support programme completed. Plural practice camps completed. Participation in evaluation. | To implement Year 2 of the Kildare Child Poverty initiative. Implementation of Occupational Therapy-led initiative, Plural practice therapeutic camps, professionals training, information resource and parent support programmes. Participation in national evaluation. | | | yes | Tusla/CYPSC | LCDC/Kildare County Council, Family Resource Centres, HSE, NEPS | Other |
| National Outcome 3 Safe and Protected from Harm | | | | | | | | | |
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| Domestic Violence and Abuse | To enhance the quality & coordination of the inter-agency response to families affected by domestic violence | Inter-agency structures and dialogue in place. Safe & Together training completed | To strengthen structures and opportunities for inter-agency dialogue in relation to Domestic violence and abuse. To support the delivery of Safe & Together training | | | no | Tusla | An Garda Síochána, In Sync Youth & Family Services, Teach Tearmainn | CYPSC Programme Fund |
| Family Support - Homelessness | To enhance the level and coordination of supports for families living in emergency homeless accommodation, including B&Bs and hotels. | Inter-agency discussion convened | To convene an inter-agency discussion about needs, gaps, supports & responses to families affected by homelessness & develop responses. | | | no | Tusla | Kildare County Council | CYPSC Programme Fund |

