



**CYPSC 2026 ANNUAL PROGRAMME OF WORK**

<b>Louth CYPSC Mission</b>	Louth CYPSC's mission is to provide strategic direction and leadership to ensure, effective inter-agency co-ordination & collaboration in order to achieve best outcomes for children, young people and their families in County Louth.								
<b>Louth CYPSC Statement of intent 2026</b>	In 2026 through strong governance, shared learning and partnership working, Louth CYPSC will continue to act as a key network for driving collective action and delivering meaningful improvements for children, young people and families in County Louth.								
<b>National Outcome 1 Active and Healthy, Physical and Mental Wellbeing</b>									
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
Traveller Mental Health	To support the development of new programmes in the area to increase Traveller mental health literacy and resilience	Number of projects delivered and number of adults and young people form the traveller community involved	1 project delivered for children and young people and 15 young people and 5 adults engaged	Reducing health in equalities		Yes	Louth Traveller Movement	Louth Local Development	CYPSC Programme Fund 2026
Drug Misuse	To provide support, guidance and education to families of individuals experiencing addiction	15 family members report an increase in knowledge and strategies etc and post evaluations with participants	Deliver and evaluate a 10 week RISE programme in Co. Louth	Reducing health in equalities		Yes	Family Addiction Support Network (FASN)	NEDATF, Meath Partnership, RISE Foundation, Turas Services	Healthy Ireland Fund 2026 Round 4
<b>National Outcome 2 Achieving Full Potential in all Areas of Learning and Development</b>									
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School Avoidance	Greater awareness of neuro diversity and links to school avoidance	Importance of supports and more awareness of the current research	Create awareness in the difference around sensory, social and cognitive issues			No	TESS	Schools, CFSN, NEPS, HSE, CDNT	CYPSC Programme Fund 2026
School Avoidance	To implement a practical training programme for parents	Understanding of the NVR training programme and approach	NVR Programme, Early Intervention and Transition Programmes delivered			Yes	TESS	Schools, CFSN, NEPS, HSE, CDNT, FRC	CYPSC Programme Fund 2026
<b>National Outcome 3 Safe and Protected from Harm</b>									
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Parenting Supports and Signposting	Lobby for funding appropriate support resources per child population	More disadvantaged children's support in communities and more targeted leverage of funding into disadvantaged areas	Review budget per population	Health inequalities		Yes	Louth ABC	HSE, FRC's, Tusla, Louth County Council, Coxs Demesne	NA
Online safety	Promote online safety to parents, practitioners and young people	Number of events, number of participants and complete evaluation	An awareness raising event to coincide with Safer Internet Day			Yes	HSCL	AGS, Community Groups, Schools, ABC, Parent Hub Louth	CYPSC Programme Fund 2026

National Outcome 4 Economic Security and Opportunity									
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Food Poverty	Reduce Food Poverty and increase access and availability of healthy food in low-income households	Establish Food Poverty initiatives re affordability of nutritious meals and be less reliant on food banks etc	Coordinate an holistic and evidence based approach by learning leverage from Connect FRC on what works			Yes	FRC / Coxs YCP / Connect FRC	SCP, Probation, Louth ABC, Young Persons Support Programme	Healthy Ireland Fund 2026 Round 4
Child Poverty	To establish and develop a steering group with the aim of improving access to services that support disadvantaged families and children in Louth.	Meeting held and scoping exercises conducted	To meet 4 times in 2026 and produce a workplan for the county in relation to child poverty actions	Health inequalities		No	Louth ABC	Louth county council, Tusla, HSE, Connect FRC, Coxs demesne YCP	CYPSC Programme Fund 2026
National Outcome 5 Connected, respected and contributing to their world									
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Safe Spaces	To establish a multi purpose youth facility in Dundalk Youth Network	1 large scale youth facility developed in Dundalk town centre where young people can hang out	Provide multiple services for young people, target those who may not use youth council / social media, provide lighting and cctv			No	Louth County Council	Local Youth Organisations, CYPSC CFSN, AGS, LCDC, LMETB Chamber of Commerce	NA
LGBTQ+	Support LGBTQ+ young people, parents and their families through awareness, training and support of programmes	Promote the work of Outcomes and LGBTQ+, participate and dissemination of training and promote inclusion on LGBTQ+ people in decision making	Circulate information and raise emerging issues with key stakeholders			Yes	Outcomes	LGBT Ireland, HSE	CYPSC Programme Fund 2026
Change Management									
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Alignment of CYPSC members' organisational strategy and corporate business plans (both national and local) with CYPSC 2026-2028	Promote that agency work is represented and reflected in CYPSC plan 2025-2027 and CYPSC work is reflected in agencies' plans and strategies	Local and national business plans reflect CYPSC priorities. CYPSC plan reflects member agency contribution, shared priorities	All CYPSC members to ensure their organisation is represented in Louth CYPSC 2026-2028 and that CYPSC is represented in their organisational business plan /strategy			yes	CYPSC	Individual CYPSC members and agencies	