

How do CareVisions make a difference?

CareVisions provides innovative and child centred residential child care. We have an ability to work alongside young people, who at times may need support to manage powerful feelings that are expressed through various behaviours. We aim to be there through this process with the child and strive to gain an understanding of their behaviour, which ultimately helps the development of a care plan to assist them.

The environment and culture of the houses are developed to provide a safe and emotionally containing environment to allow the children an opportunity to undertake therapeutic work.

We believe in all children in our care, we believe in providing opportunities for them to develop their own unique abilities and strengths, and ultimately give them all the opportunity to develop the skills they will need to carry them forward into their own lives.

"What struck me most about CareVisions was the way that they stuck with the placement no matter what. After 15 placement breakdowns I was struggling to find a place that could meet the child's needs. CareVisions built their service around those needs and remained committed to that child through some very challenging times" - Social Worker



"I used to think that nobody wanted me and it was my own fault that I was in care. My care workers at CareVisions helped me to understand what had happened to me and that I wasn't to blame. When this happened I started to feel able to do things that I couldn't do before. Like go to college, which is where I am at now." - Young Person

How many homes do Carevisions have?

Whilst we continue to expand and develop to meet the needs of the young people we care for we currently have 12 homes in the Dumfries & Galloway region and a further 13 homes in the Central Belt of Scotland. Due to expansion we are opening new services in Fife (Kirkcaldy), Lanarkshire and East Ayrshire regions.



How many young people live in each home?

The majority of our houses are home to 2 young people. The biggest houses we have are home to a maximum of 4 young people.

What type of young people live in each home?

Many of our children have experienced many placement breakdowns before coming to us. Many of them have been traumatised or abused at some point in their lives and are not used to a loving, supportive environment.

How many colleagues will I be working with at any one time?

You will always be on shift with at least one other person at a time. In some houses, the staffing ratio may be higher, depending on the needs of the young people.

What type of positions are available?

We are currently recruiting for the following positions:

- Full and Part Time Residential Childcare Workers
- Sessional Residential Childcare Workers – 'As and when' staff who cover busy periods (e.g. annual leave, absence, or when higher staff ratios are required)
- Exemplar Practitioners
- House Managers