

Capacity Building Training

Join our free capacity building training and find out how to ensure your provision is inclusive and welcoming to blind and partially sighted children and young people



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across Wales in partnership with the
Council for Wales of Voluntary Youth
Services (CWVYS), The Welsh
Council of the Blind, North Wales
Society for the Blind, Vision
Support and Boys and Girls
Clubs of Wales.

Aiming higher for children and young people:

This project responds to the independent recommendations presented to Welsh Government on the Youth Work Strategy for Wales. In particular:

- To work together to promote equality, inclusion and diversity, both in terms of access to youth work services in Wales, and in relation to the role that youth work services can play in proactively challenging discriminatory attitudes and behaviours within society.
- To build on its commitment to support and develop the youth work profession with a career structure offering progression.

For the full report: 'Time to deliver for young people in Wales - Achieving a sustainable delivery model for youth work services in Wales'





What is the training about?

This is a free interactive, online, three-hour training course, where you will gain the knowledge and confidence to be able to include blind and partially sighted children and young people into your provision. This includes local youth clubs, activities, sports sessions or anything else that welcomes children and young people to your provision.

What will I learn?

You'll learn about common eye conditions and their impact on the individual, as well as myth-busting around sight loss. You'll learn key guidance around how to make your clubs, activities and sessions VI (vision impaired) friendly.

There will be an opportunity to gain practical understanding of adapting virtual and physical activities to make them inclusive to children and young people with sight loss.

The Qualification:

Accredited by Agored Cymru, with support from Adult Learning Wales you will be able to gain an accreditation in:

 Adapting Sessions to Include Young People with a Vision Impairment Entry Level 3 (1 credit)

 Adapting Sessions to Include Young People with a Vision Impairment Level 1 (1 credit)

These units are available on the Agored Cymru website, unrestricted so it is available to other Centres, and is available to download and register learners against.

Is the training for me?

This course is for anyone delivering services for children and young people. You might be a youth worker, volunteer, a young person or anyone with a role working directly with children and young people.

How do I register?

For the current timetable/training sessions and available spaces: