

Child/Youth Specific Services

We provide a range of services and support for children or young people who experience domestic abuse directly or indirectly including.

- Structured and unstructured play.
- Homework/afterschool support.
- Breakfast club.
- Developmental play.
- Play and art therapy.
- 1:1 Therapeutic work.
- Group programmes.
- Holistic and therapeutic interventions.

Advocacy and Accompaniment

We support women and children to access other services with a view to reducing crisis and increasing empowerment.

Training and Prevention Work

We provide specialist training to statutory groups, non-statutory groups, family resource centres, women's groups and specialist services responding to domestic violence.

Provision of a positive relationships programme, which is delivered to Secondary Schools and Youthreach.

Training provided by Aoibhneas is tailored to meet the identified needs of those requesting the training.



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I need Crisis Support

Freephone 24Hour Helpline: 1800 767 767
Email: helpline@aoibhneas.org
What's App/ SMS (Deaf or hard of hearing)
(086) 413 6979

I would like to access community, outreach court support, or training

Phone: (01) 912 1670
Email: outreach@aoibhneas.org

I would like to get involved, donate or fundraise

Phone (01) 867 0805
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Aoibhneas was established to respond to the needs of women and children experiencing domestic abuse and coercive control.

We offer a free confidential support and information through access to our 24-Hour Freephone Helpline, Refuge Accommodation, Outreach and Community Service, Court Preparation and Accompaniment Service.

We are not here to tell you what to do, make expectations of you or judge you in any way.

We are here to support you, that means listening to you and responding to your requests be it help, information or support.

Aoibhneas CLG

Trading as Aoibhneas Domestic Abuse Support for Women and Children

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Company Registration Number 131675

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General Enquiries

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Community Outreach Service Direct Referral

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WhatsApp (deaf or hard of hearing)

Text (086) 413 6979

Our Services

We provide a range of supports across our services including.

- Practical and emotional support to women experiencing physical, emotional, sexual, financial and/ or digital abuse.
- Advice and assistance on legal, housing, social welfare, rights and entitlements, budgeting.
- Information, advocacy, and referral to appropriate services.
- Referral to refuge accommodation
- Post refuge support.
- Court preparation and accompaniment.

We deliver a range of one to one and group interventions across our service including.

- Freedom programme.
- Aftercare and peer support programmes.
- Holistic and therapeutic interventions.
- Parenting programme.

Refuge Accommodation

We can support you with access to safe crisis short term accommodation through provision of self-contained units from our purpose built-centre in Dublin. Our accommodation can offer you and your children safety, respite and comfort while we support you and your children around your needs.

24 Hour Freephone Helpline

Access to a 24-hour freephone helpline service providing emotional and practical support where you can speak about your experiences of domestic abuse in confidence.

This helpline is also a support to professionals, agencies, family and friends concerned about a loved one.

Drop-in Service

We can support you with access to a safe confidential space for you to talk and work through your experiences and difficulties.

Community and Outreach Service

Through our community-based service we can meet you and your children from a range of locations considered safe and accessible by you.

Our community service offers continued support to you after a stay in refuge whether you return home or relocate elsewhere.

The community service spans across North Dublin; from inner city to north county Dublin, we have offices in Coolock, Smithfield, Swords and Balbriggan and we also work from several satellite clinics from accessible locations over Dublin.

Court Preparation and Accompaniment Service

Through this service we offer support in the following areas:

- Advice on legal orders, court process, court application process.
- Court Accompaniment - (application/ court hearing) in District, Circuit and High Court.
- Court Preparation-assistance formulating, preparing and delivering case.
- Assistance in legal aid application and gathering necessary and applicable documents.
- Linkage/Advocacy with Gardaí, Solicitors, Barristers, social workers and legal personnel.
- Post Court Support/Debrief.