

# **Shankill (Lurgan) Community Projects** **At the *Heart* of Community**

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# Background

- Established in 1986
- Limited company with charitable status
- Evolved from Shankill Community Association
- Multi focused project offering a range of projects
- 2 social economy companies
- Profits recycled back into SLCP charity
- Significant local employer
- Works with a range of community beneficial partner organisations

# SLCP VISION

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Committed to realising a vision of Lurgan and its surrounding area, **as a caring, prosperous and reconciled** community

Mount Zion House  
At the **heart** of the Community

# Meeting Community Need



# Zion's Den Childcare Limited



- Purpose built childcare facility
- Registered with Southern Trust
- Children - 6 weeks – 12 years
- Social enterprise business
- Operate Surestart's 2 year programme
- Work in partnership with Barnardo's
- NIPPA affiliated
- Local employed and trained staff

# MZ Conference Centre

- Social Economy business
- Dedicated conference facilities
- 3 Breakout Rooms
- Atrium Area
- Food





# IT Training Suite





# Delivery Model

- **Direct Delivery** – services and activities actively run by SLCP
- **Partnership** – services and activities managed through working with others, eg. Splash Surestart and Barnado's
- **Co-location** – services and activities delivered by different organisations who purchase rental space in Mount Zion House eg. PBNI, Opportunity Youth, Voypic, Homestart,
- **Hosting** – services and activities hosted by the centre. This makes space available to groups or organisations that run them. eg. PIPS, Shankill (Wakehurst) Community Action, Peace III, Bytes Projects.

# Core Activities & Services

- Self contained accommodation and support for up to 25 young people aged 16-25 years
- Mount Zion Community Care
- LIAISE – Independent Advice Centre
- Office space and support for Voluntary/Community sector organisations
- Zion's Den Childcare Limited
- Mount Zion Conference Centre

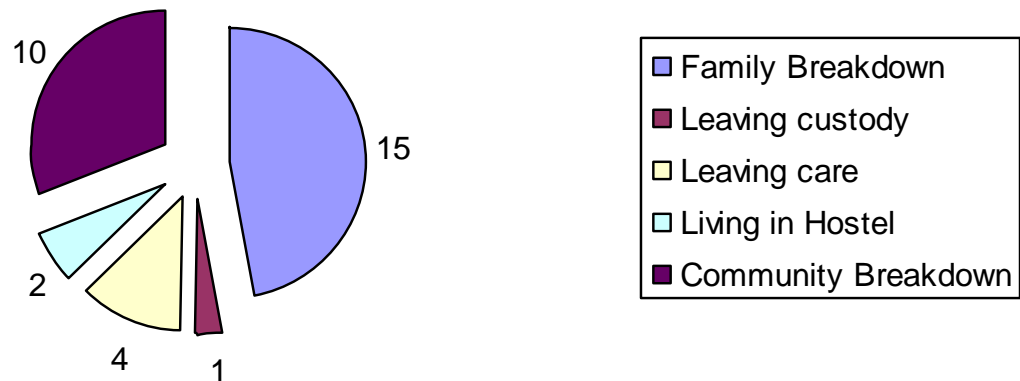
# Lurgan Foyer



- Supported Housing project for YP aged 16 – 25 years
- Medium to High Support Needs
- 24 Hour service 7 x 365 days
- Enables young people to gain the skills needed to live independently
- Encourages training/employment & education
- Recognises the need to support the *whole* person not just their housing need

# New Residents 2011/2012

**Profile of New Residents  
2011/2012**



# LIAISE



- Independent Advice Centre – members of Advice NI/Law Society
- Free impartial, confidential advice to all
- Range of advice available
- Tribunal representation

# Mount Zion Community Care



- Established 2005
- Registered with RQIA 2008
- Supports independence by providing quality care in people's own homes
- Practical & Personal Care
- Operates 7 x 365 days 7am – 11pm
- Supports care at a local level and within community
- Locally employed and trained staff

## Office Space – Support for the Voluntary & Community Sector

- Supported office accommodation for community facing organisations - Homestart, PBNI, Opportunity Youth, VOYPIC
- Support community focused organisations such as PIPS, Shankill & Wakehurst Community Action Group
- Partnership working arrangements other organisations eg Opportunity Youth



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