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For learners, for Wales

Pre-inspection questionnaire – Youth Services: Staff

Please tell us what you think about your youth work service as a member of staff, whether paid or a volunteer.

Think about your experiences as a youth worker or member of support staff, and then tell us how much you agree by ticking the box that fits most appropriately.

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1. I receive good support from senior staff in dealing with difficulties young people present (e.g. barriers to engagement, learning difficulties, behavioural challenges, non-participation)

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

2. I know what to do if I see or hear about any harassment or inappropriate behaviour by young people

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

3. I am fully aware of the organisation's procedures for safeguarding young people and understand how to apply them

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

4. I am respected by other professionals as a youth work practitioner

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

5. I am confident in using a range of youth work methods that are appropriate for young people, including applying digital skills

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

6. I am confident in working with young people from different cultural and linguistic backgrounds

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

7. I have access to good quality and well-focused professional development on a regular basis

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

8. I have had the opportunity to observe the effective practice of others in the organisation

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

9. I have had the opportunity to observe effective practice in other youth work organisations

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

10. I understand my youth work service's strategic priorities

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

11. I know what I can do to contribute to achieving the organisation's strategic priorities

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

12. If I experience problems in work, I can speak to my line manager about them and I receive effective support

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

13. I receive opportunities to contribute to the organisation's self-assessment in a purposeful way

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

14. I believe the organisation is well led and managed

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

15. I find it professionally rewarding to be a member of staff in this organisation.

- [ ] Agree
- [ ] Disagree

16. If you wish to explain any of your answers or add any further comments, please use this space.