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Community Ventures 

Energise

Empower

Enable

Engage

Who Are We?

- Creativation Community Ventures cic is a newly formed independent social enterprise with a broad mission to help people and organisations develop creative solutions to their problems.



Our Values / Beliefs

- **Choice & Empowerment** We believe in choice and strive to empower others through a belief in positive change.
- **Confidentiality** This is at the core of everything we do.
- **Mental Health** We are passionate about our work in mental health and strive to improve the lives of those suffering mental distress.
- **Holistic approach** The medical model has its place in treatment and care, however, we believe in a more holistic approach to the individual and will help to identify other ways to help.
- **Connected** If we don't know, we have access to the people and resources that do. Knowledge of services and support gained from 15 years within the West Midlands mental health sector.
- **Diversity & cultural sensitivity** We cater for diverse needs as part of normal practice can draw in additional support as and when required.
- **Creativity & flexibility** We develop creative solutions to organisational issues and can respond quickly to changing needs. This attitude applies equally to our work with clients.
- **Professionalism & Quality Standards** Quality assurance is a given - we are experienced professionals and will develop specific standards for bespoke services.



Past Experience

- To date, our Mental Health activity has been through a national Mental Health charity. This includes initiating and development of Prison activities as well as extensive Mental Health helpline/ Day centre and Advocacy support.
- One of our Directors has extensive training experience in both the CJ & MH sectors and is a qualified counsellor.



Past Experiences cont'd

- Services managed previously have been awarded prestigious awards due to the commitment to quality and innovation of staff.
- WHO award- Swinfen hall
- C-SIP- Positive practice award- Swinfen Hall
- THA & MHHP quality standards, Sandwell Helpline



What can we do?

- Working in both the Criminal Justice and Mental Health sectors for a number of years we have been able to identify gaps in provision.
- We are flexible and small enough to move quickly to fill these gaps, less red tape than larger organisations. Service delivery from day one.
- Innovative services / development, our staff are encouraged to 'think outside the box' to be creative. Research and evaluation is a vital part of our work.



What can we do cont'd

Our strategic business plan sets out areas of development for the next 5 years. We are especially keen to develop the following services.

- Out of hours Telephone helplines
- Prison wellbeing accredited courses
- Wellbeing courses for offenders with community sentences
- Mental health awareness packages for both corporate and community organisations
- Befriending/Mentoring services for Offenders/ Veterans
- Access to counselling for offenders



Why Should you choose us?

- Each service is bespoke to the organisation, we listen to the commissioner, the provider and the user and ensure all are involved from initial thoughts to delivery and evaluation.
- We are accessible, being a small team any problems can be rectified immediately, there will always be a point of contact.
- It's time to change, there are many larger faceless organisations unable to move quickly, lose sight of what's important, no longer offering value for money. We are happy to pilot any service initially for 6 months guaranteeing satisfaction and contractual obligations met.



Compliance & Governance

- As each service is set out to individual contractual terms, along with monthly, quarterly an annual reporting a 6 monthly monitoring and evaluation visit will be recommended.
- Compliance with KPI's
- Quality standards, along with our own, specific services i.e. helplines will undergo THA Quality audits.
- Hands on Management and strict organisational governance will also ensure compliance.



Our Mission

Energise

- We lead by example and will find ways to spark the imagination of everyone we interact with whether an individual facing problems of daily living or a big organisation facing a major change.

Empower

- Listening is a key to empowerment. Fully understanding others' needs helps lead them to their own solutions.

Enable

- We help to provide tools to take these first steps, through our wellbeing or 1-2-1 sessions, befriending or counselling.

Engage

- We can support on the journey from first day until the individual no longer needs our support.



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