

Cyngor Gwynedd Plan 2023-28 – Year 2 Actions

Caring Gwynedd: Supporting the residents of Gwynedd to live full and safe lives in our communities

Department	Project	What do we want to achieve during the SECOND year 2024-25 (milestones):	CONCISE update on progress with milestones to date (specify date)	Is the milestone completed/likely to be completed by the end of the financial year (Yes / No)
Adults	Modernising our care resources to meet future needs	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Determine the size and site for the provision of Extra Care Housing in Caernarfon 2. Scope the need for additional provision of Care Housing at the Penyberth site, Pwllheli 3. Decide on the way forward for Extra Care Housing provision in the Dolgellau area 4. We will have finished upgrading Hafod Mawddach and Cefn Rodyn 5. We will have fully opened the dementia units at Bryn Blodau and Plas Hedd 6. We will have completed arrangements to provide 2 houses and community support 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 2 3 4 5 6 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 2 3 4 5 6

		feeding schemes by community groups; community cooking courses in conjunction with the Health Board, and the creation of community gardens and allotments.		
Children and Families	Autism Plan	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Continue with the training programme for front-line staff. Ensure staff undertake Level 1 and 2 Autism training and ensure that figures are increasing. Ensure specialist jobs do Level 3 training and the Autism Team also provides bespoke training for Level 4. 2. Group development – continue to develop groups and consult with stakeholders from what groups need to be held and numbers over the year. Disperse these over the County. 3. Continue to collaborate with the Education Department and Neurodevelopmental Team 	<p>1 Number of staff who have completed level 1 and 2 training has increased significantly over the year. Workers within social services with assessment duties complete level 3 and 4 training.</p> <p>2 Groups such as 'Paned a sgwrs' for parents/carers, a Neuro club for young people. EMA Group (for young people to learn and understand about the difference in the way they interact with the world.) CYGNET parent/carer support group. Autistic individuals (children, young people, adults, parents and carers) are involved in the engagement process when developing the service. A stakeholder group has been established and meets quarterly.</p> <p>3 Regular meetings and interaction with the education department and ND</p>	<p>1 Work continues to achieve the aim of being a local authority that understands and is aware of autism.</p> <p>2 Groups are successful and continue, looking at expanding and training other employees to facilitate and run groups and support and educational programmes. Continue to develop and promote opportunities for individuals and lived experience (autism) To be part of developments.</p> <p>3 Continues</p>

		<p>(NDT).</p> <p>4. Consult with internal and external staff. 1 to 1 work needs to be undertaken with an outcome star.</p> <p>5. In individual casework, being able to show a positive outcome and progress with the cases and measure the feedback.</p> <p>6. Engage with the third sector to see if a service can be delivered</p>	<p>Team.</p> <p>4 A clear pathway has been established for support, guidance and consultation with professionals. Autism Gwynedd is a secondary service within social services, so support is provided on a 1-1 basis following a request from an employee to complete a particular piece of work.</p> <p>5 Work completed on an individual basis is measured against well-being markers by completing an outcome star. A resource designed to support positive change and progress in well-being, with scales presented in the shape of a star and measured on a clearly defined 'Journey of Change'.</p> <p>6 Work has begun on third sector consultation. Representation from the third sector attending the stakeholder group, this work continues and develops</p>	<p>4 yes</p> <p>5 Yes</p> <p>6 Continues</p>
Children and Families	Developing a residential provision for looked-after children in small group homes	<p>1. Appoint a Manager for the first house at Morfa Bychan.</p> <p>2. Registration with CIW for the first house - working towards June 2024 up to the start of September 2024</p>	<p>1. A manager has been appointed, along with the rest of the staff including bank staff.</p> <p>2. This will be completed within the next few weeks.</p>	<p>1. Yes.</p> <p>2. No, this is in the 25/26</p>

				financial year.
		3. Open the doors of the first house in Morfa Bychan in September 2024 and have the first child placed there.	3. The house in Morfa Bychan has opened, and since March 2024, there are two children living there.	3. Yes.
		4. Quarter 1 24/25 - housing market survey in 3 specific areas namely Arfon (Bangor), Pwllheli and Meirionnydd	4. A survey has been carried out.	4. Yes.
		5. End of quarter 2 24/25 – purchase of second house	5. A house was bought in Deiniolen.	5. Yes.
		6. End of quarter 4 24/25 - Second house registration with CIW	6. Registration not obtained, scope work is currently being undertaken listing the features that need to be done in order to get the property up to CIW standards.	6. No, this is the 25/26 financial year.
		7. Identify a third house to buy or submit a planning application for a piece of land in the Arfon Area already owned by the Council.	7. A third house has been identified and bought, which is in Edern.	7. Yes.