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## Young People & Opportunities

- 1) Should it always be for a young person to decide whether they want to take part in a youth work activity? (1)

Yes, unless they have been placed in a group by social services.

It is up to us as adults and by their peers to motivate youngsters to join us. Help them to see what they could achieve not just for themselves but also for others.

- 2) What do you think are the priorities for youth work in the 21<sup>st</sup> century in your area? (13)

We must provide a wide variety of opportunities for youngsters to take part in. These need to be challenging, mentally + physically, either or both.

3) How do we make sure that youth work is accessible to all young people, including equality groups and those in rural areas, and respects their differences? (14)

Lone Guides

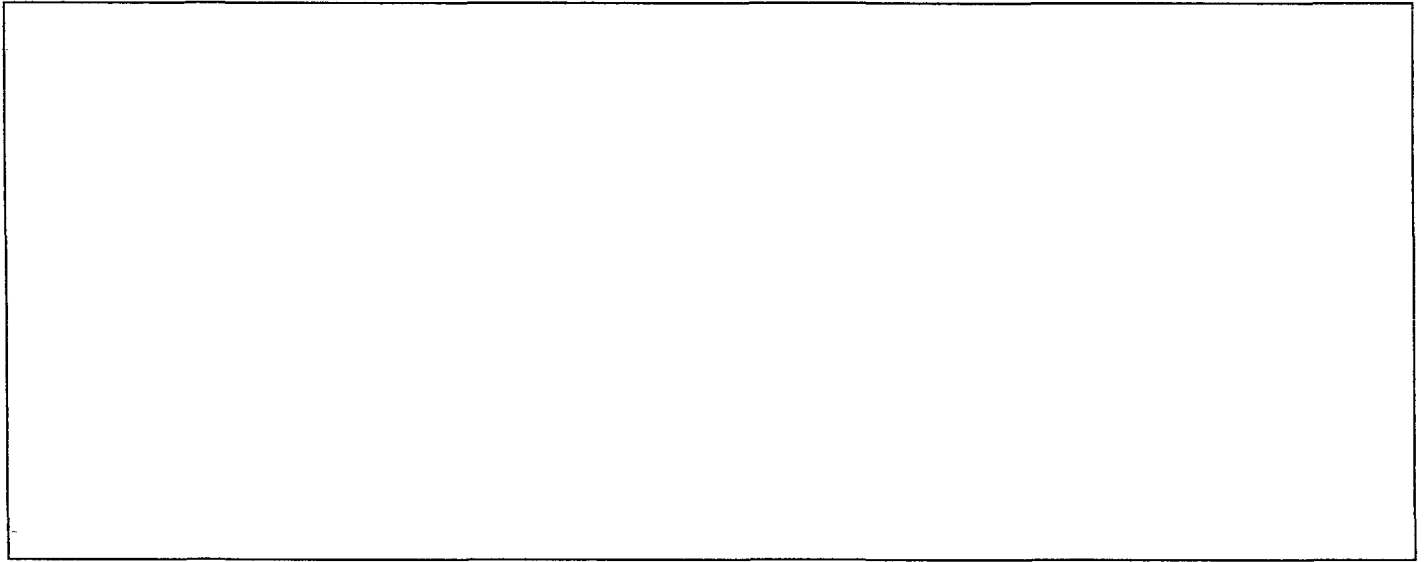
Flexible guiding

Mobile Units

4) What more can be done at national, local and organisational levels to make sure that young people can participate in decisions that affect them? (24)

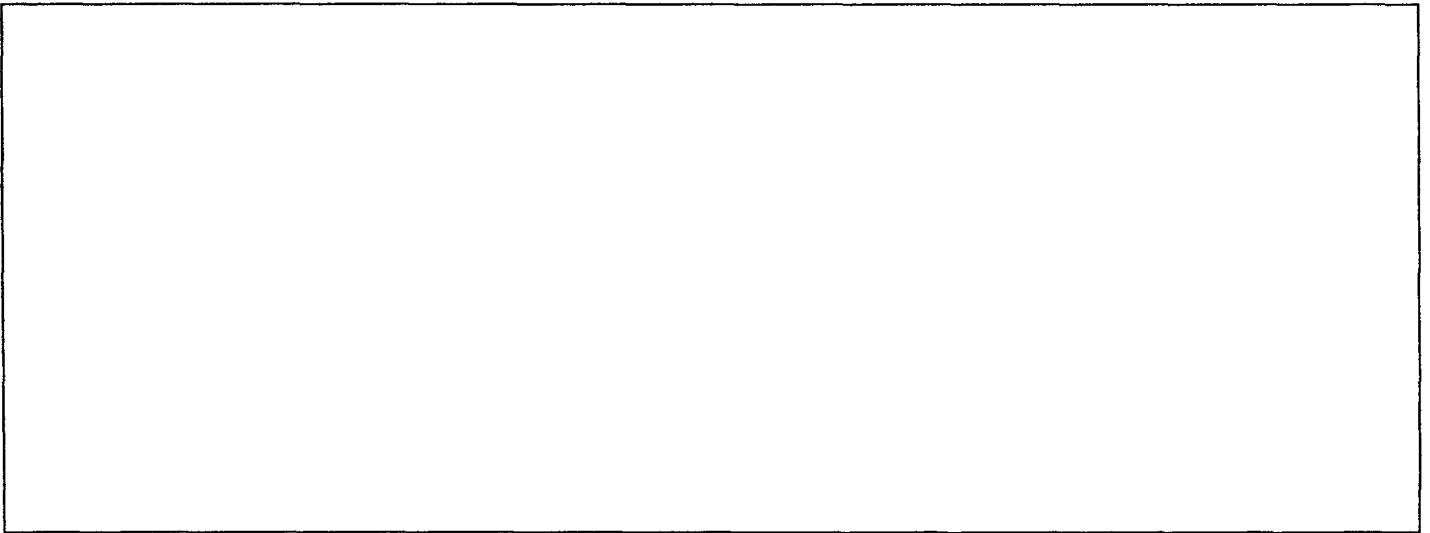
Have young representatives on all committees  
eg. In Guide Groups - P.L. Council.

5) How do we make sure that young people receive recognition for informal learning? (28)

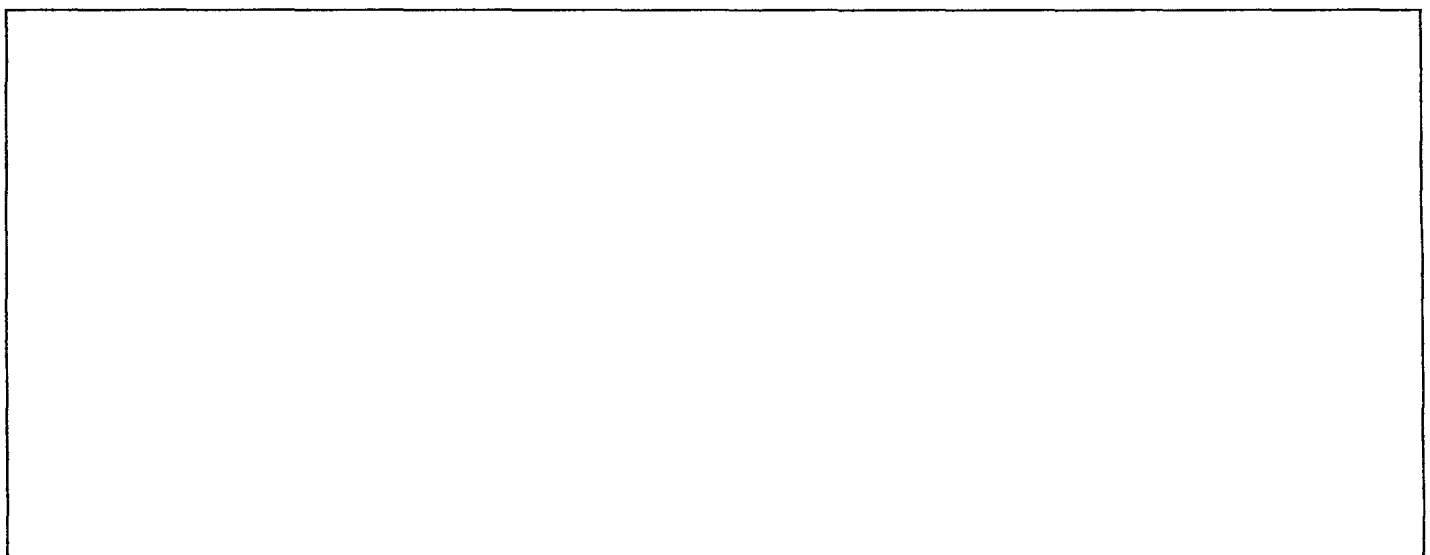
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## Community Involvement

6) How can youth work contribute to good community relations? (15)

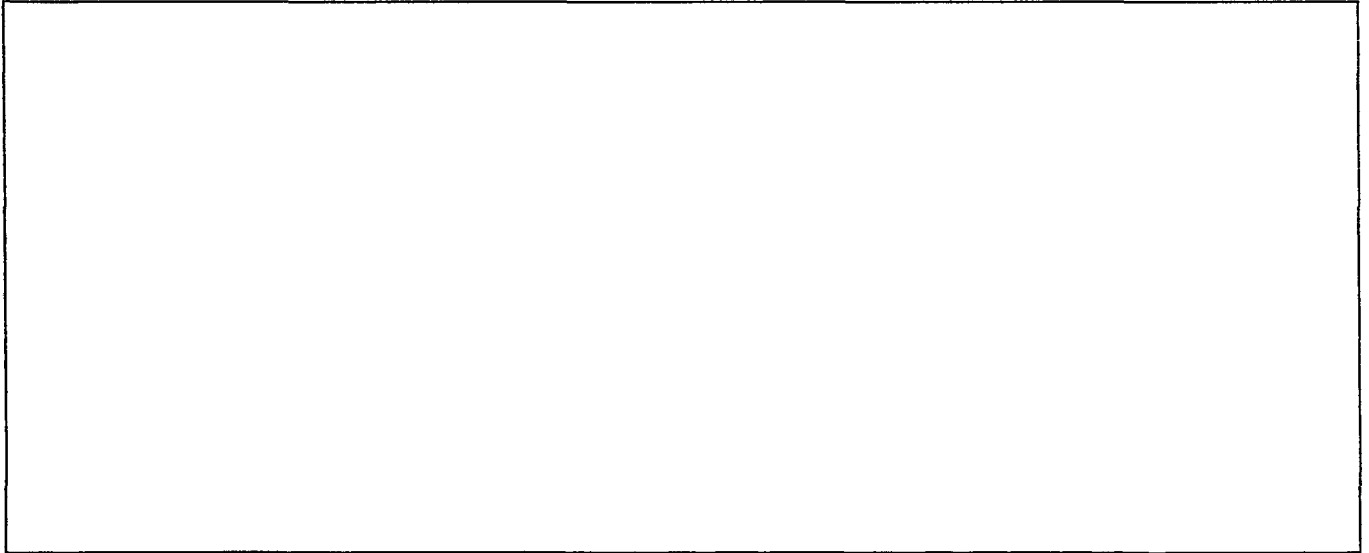


7) What can be done to enable all youth work providers to engage in and influence local networks and partnerships, including the Community Planning framework? (which is co-ordinated by the local authority) (21)

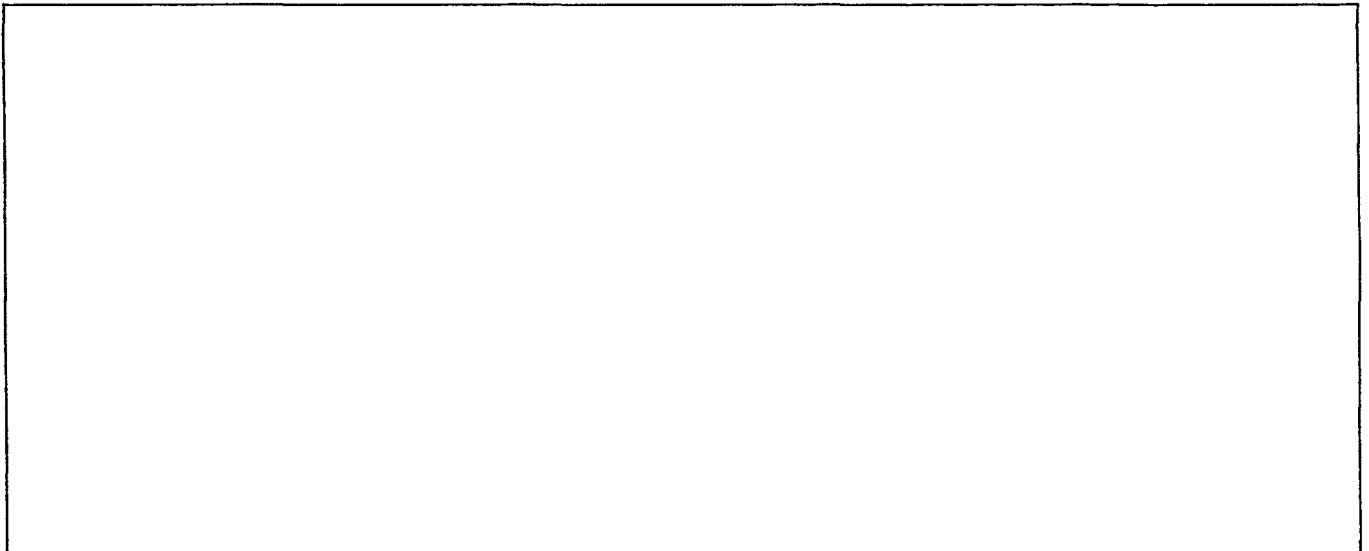


## Volunteers

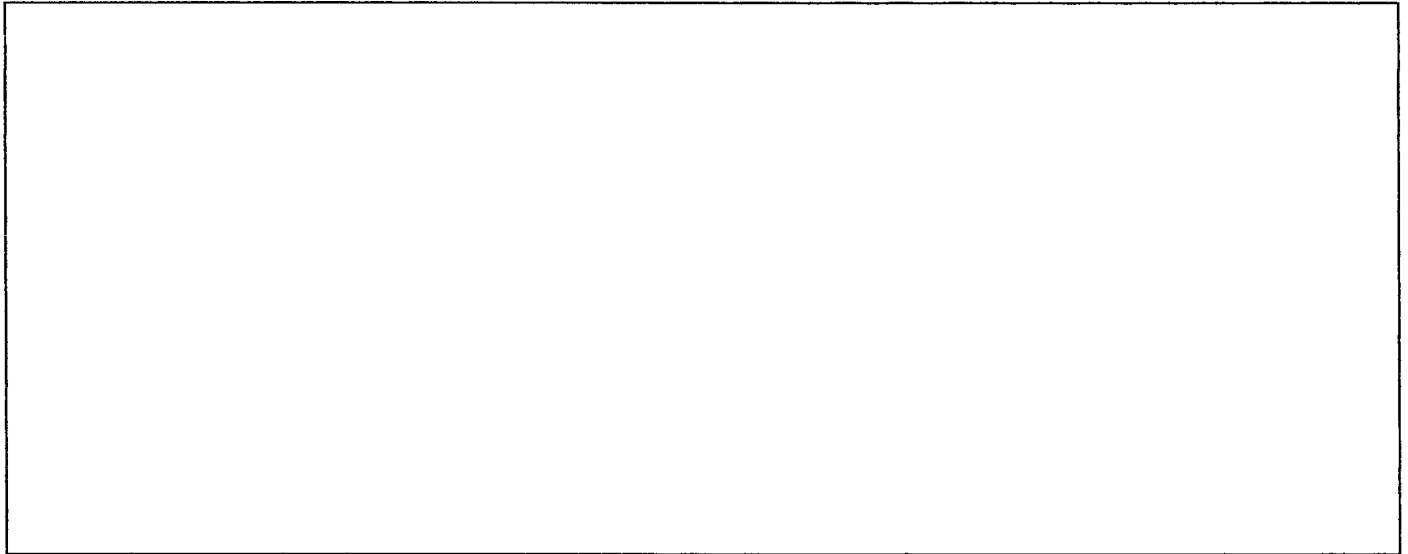
8) How do we attract and retain more volunteers to help deliver youth work opportunities? (5)



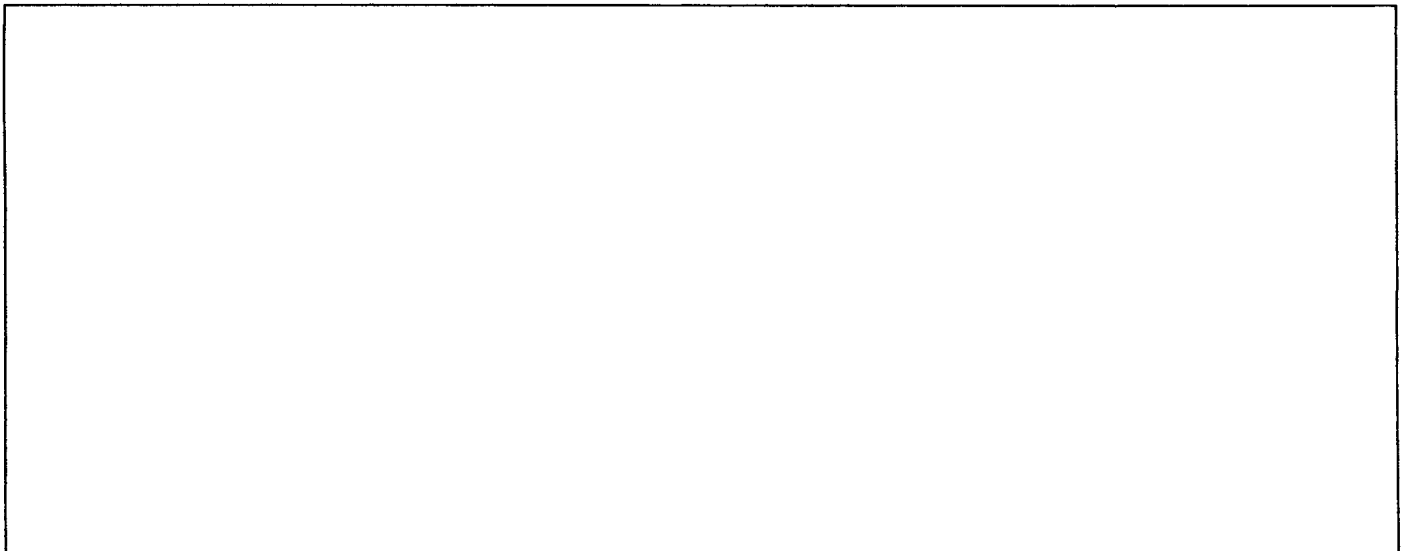
9) What skills, qualities and support does a 21<sup>st</sup> century youth worker need? (31)



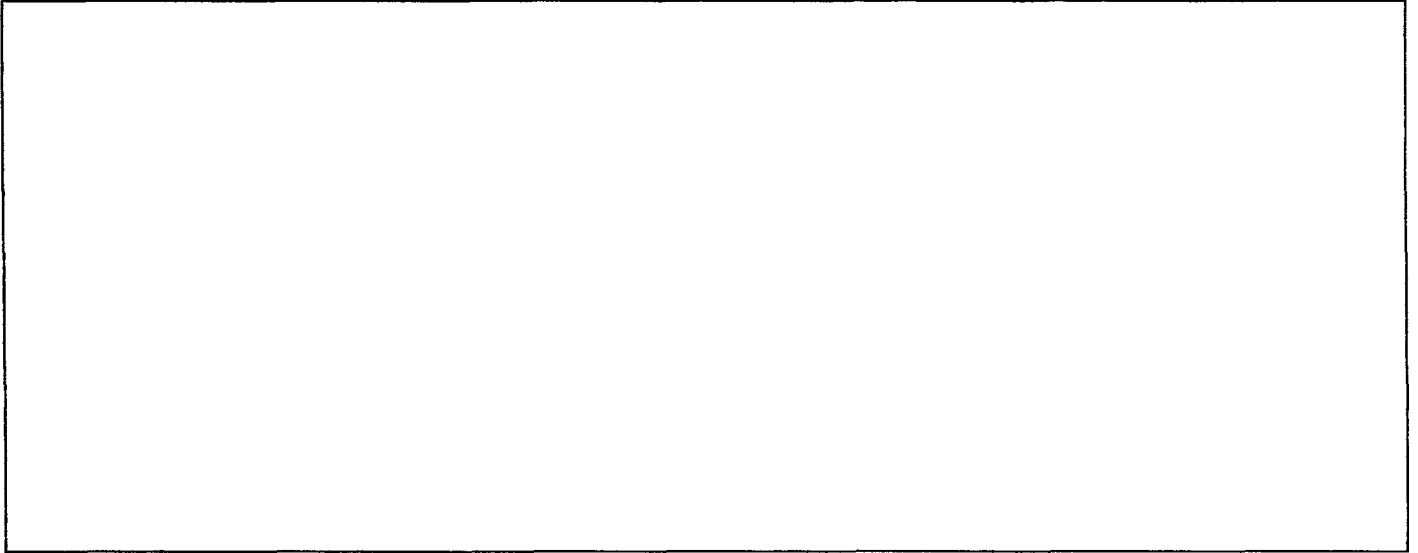
10) Do volunteer youth workers need the same skills and support as paid youth workers? (32)



11) Are there specific types of training that are difficult to access and that volunteers need to do their job more effectively? (34)



12) How do we make sure that any measures put in place to strengthen standards, including registration, are suitable and work effectively for volunteers? (36)



## Resources & Capacity

13) What type of support is needed at national level to improve opportunities and outcomes for young people at a local level?

(8)

Finance,  
Training to keep volunteers compliant with  
new charity legislation, -accounting, 1st Aid, Safe from  
harm etc.  
food hygiene,  
mini-bus training  
To be recognised & valued by local council

14) How can youth organisations expand the numbers of young people they deal with? (22)

To be more widely recognised  
+  
be able to recruit sufficient volunteer leaders  
To be able to access appropriate accommodation  
with facilities at a reasonable monetary rate

Any other comments that you would like to make?

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We would be most grateful if you could complete the following details.

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Postcode:				
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