

VOICE: Valued Opinions and Insights in Care Evaluation

VOICE AGREEMENT

Purpose: This agreement outlines the roles, responsibilities, and expectations for the members of VOICE tasked with reviewing the services available to survivors of sexual abuse in the West Midlands.

Membership:

- The group shall consist of individuals who have lived experience as survivors of sexual abuse and violence.
- Members agree to contribute their insights and feedback on the services reviewed.
- Confidentiality and respect for each member's privacy and experiences are paramount.

Scope of Work:

- VOICE will review documentation, user feedback related to support services for survivors, and recommendations.
- The group will provide constructive feedback and recommendations for improvements.
- VOICE will meet regularly, as agreed upon by the members, to discuss findings and progress.

Confidentiality:

- All members must agree to maintain the confidentiality of any sensitive information shared within the group.
- Personal stories and experiences shared within the group shall not be disclosed outside the group without explicit consent.
- Passwords to access research information are for your use only.
- The research cannot be shared or made public in any way until the University makes the document public.

Commitment:

- Members agree to participate actively and constructively in all scheduled meetings and reviews.
- Members commit to a respectful and supportive environment where all experiences are valued.

Termination:

- Membership may be terminated by mutual agreement or if a member is unable to fulfil their role as outlined in this agreement.

Acknowledgement: By participating in VOICE, members acknowledge and agree to the terms outlined in this agreement.

