

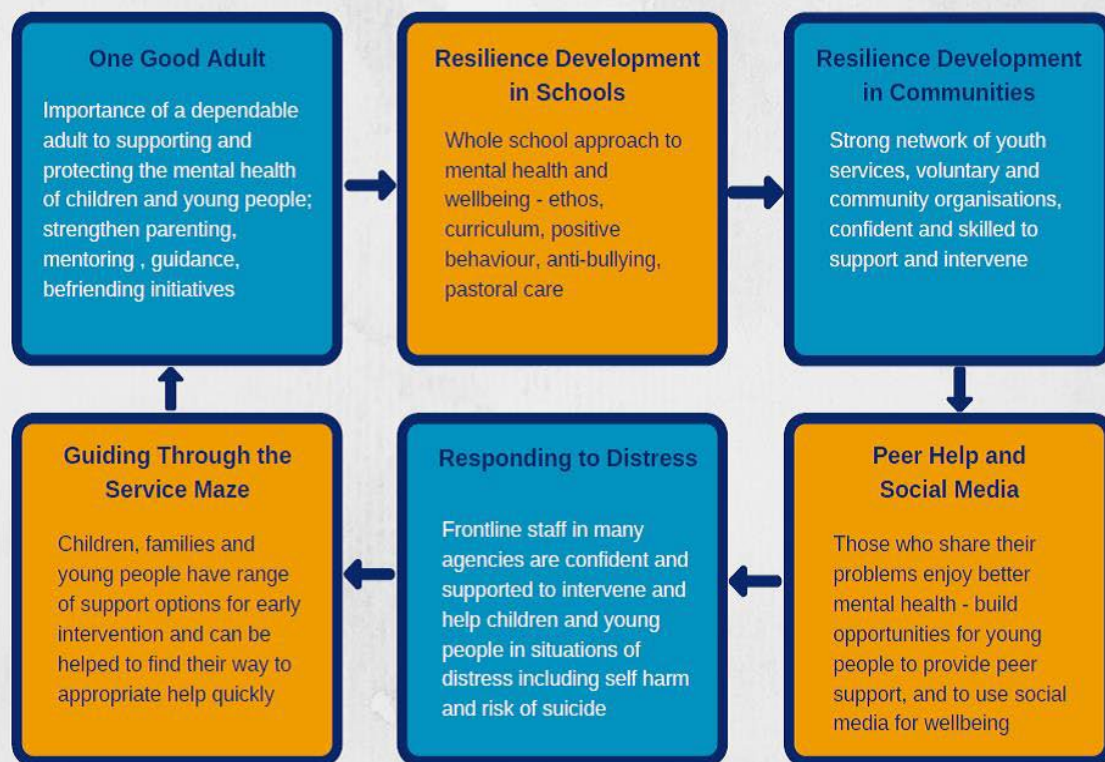
One Good Adult

Overview

- The NHSGGC child and youth mental health framework
- What is a One Good Adult?
- Resources to support mental health
- Looking after yourself

Mental Health Improvement & Early Intervention Framework for Children and Young People

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Evidence demonstrates that there is no single intervention, therapy or programme that delivers mental wellbeing at a population level. Rather that children and young people require a number of prerequisites to develop resiliently and that these prerequisites span the school, family and community life of young people.

The strategy is underpinned by tackling poverty, disadvantage & inequalities as well as having Getting it Right for Every Child core values and principles at the heart of it.

One Good Adult

- That person you can talk to when there's something on your mind; someone you can rely on and trust to help you out in times of difficulty.
- A key indicator of how well a young person copes with their struggles.
- Although it's important for young people to have One Good Adult, it is equally important to be that One Good Adult.

Activity

1. Who can be a One Good Adult?
2. What skills and qualities should a One Good Adult possess?
3. What might be some of the challenges and barriers to being a One Good Adult?

Job Advert

Skills Required

- Good listener
- Compassionate
- No jumping to conclusions
- Open minded
- Don't judge

Main Tasks

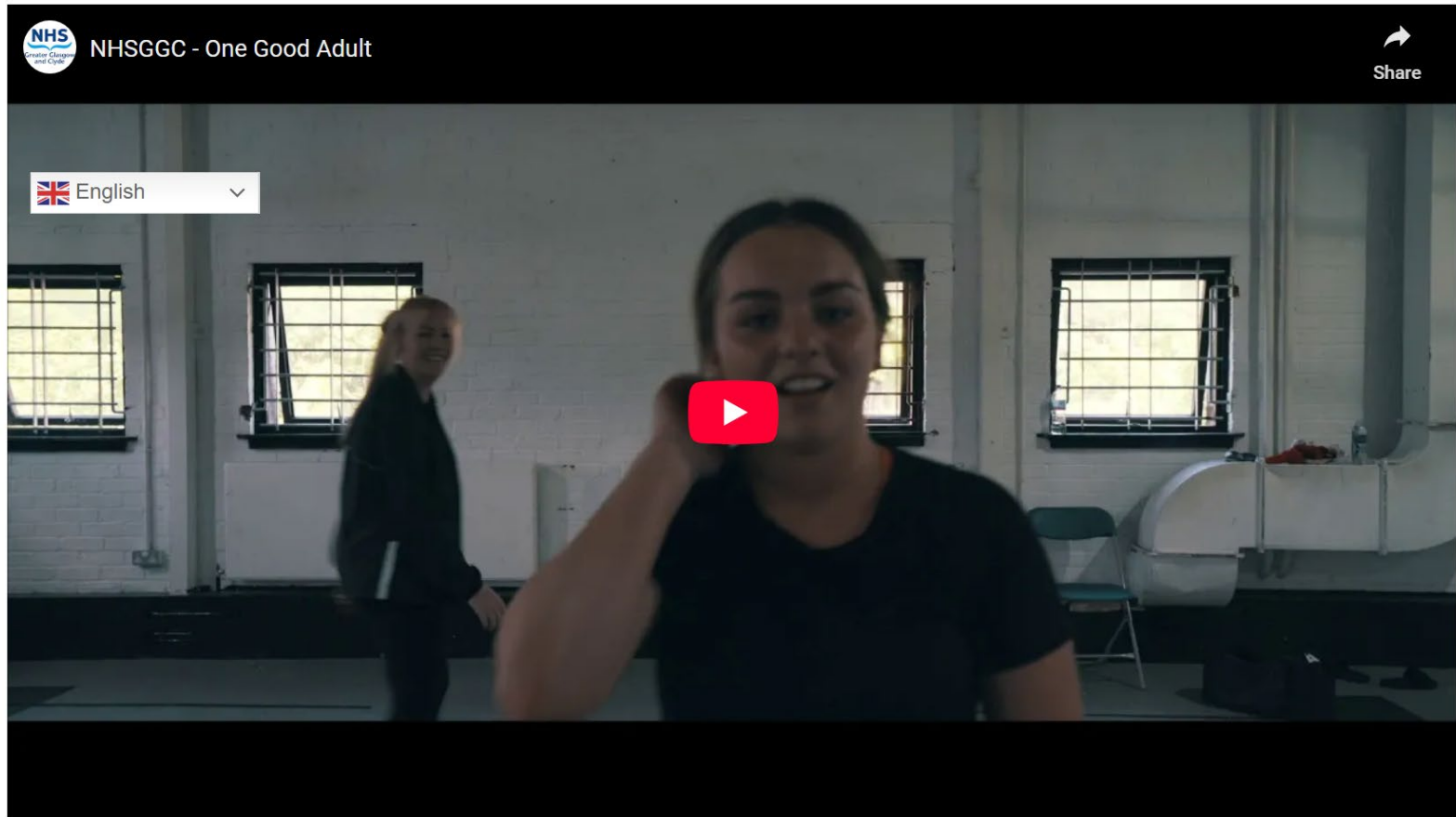
- Believe in the young person
- Promote and support the mental health of young people

Do's

- Listen
- Look for windows of opportunity
- Ask direct questions
- Comment on what you see
- Be aware of body language
- Ask how you can be of help
- Encourage help seeking

Don'ts

- Judge
- Overreact
- Avoid the issue
- Dismiss their concerns
- Talk just about problems
- Rush to solve the problem
- Tell them they are wrong for feeling a certain way
- Use clichés



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Looking after yourself

Things I can do

.....by myself

.....with others

People I can talk to.....