



The Scottish Government

IN CARE AND INSTITUTIONAL ABUSE SUPPORT & ADVOCACY SERVICE

The National Strategy for Survivors of Childhood Sexual Abuse, Survivor Scotland was launched in 2005 to improve the quality and access to services for adult survivors of childhood sexual abuse. Whilst the strategy includes all forms of abuse of children, one important aspect is to highlight the long term effects, as well as current and future needs of those survivors subjected to abuse whilst in care.

To implement this exciting and innovative development, the Scottish Government is seeking expressions of interest from agencies with knowledge and experience of survivor issues, to develop and deliver an In Care and Institutional Abuse Support and Advocacy Service across Scotland.

THE PROCESS

Expressions of interest should be made by 13th June 2008. A full information pack which includes: How to apply, application form, full details of the project requirements and funding arrangements will be then be forwarded. Partnership and consortium applications are welcome.

Please write to Suzanne Allan, Scottish Government, Residential Team, Area 2N, Edinburgh EH6 6QQ, telephone: 0131 244 0407 or e-mail: incareabuseservice@scotland.gsi.gov.uk for further details. Following receipt of applications we will short list candidates and contact for formal interview.

Closing date for completed applications 18th July 2008.

Interviews will take place week beginning 11th August 2008.

All expressions of interest and applications will be dealt with in the strictest confidence.