Listening Partnership

Listening Partnership, the voice of young disabled people would look to be part of processes that:

- Support young disabled people as they move towards adulthood by working with groups, employers and organisations to develop purposeful progression from education into apprenticeships and employment and all other aspects of independent living.

- Work towards helping to reduce stigma and stereotypes at an early age. Enabling young disabled people to be part of the wider society and being creative in its approach when working with groups and organisations around a range of accessibility issues such as: transport, social activities, education and career opportunities.

- Enable young disabled people to identify their needs and issues through better communication processes when working with professionals, groups and organisations and them taking the time to make sure that young disabled people are understood and are clearly aware of their rights and choices with explanations and actions given in plain language.

- Young disabled people will play an active part in the creation of the WECIL community. Training, development, participation and support services, will be emphasised within all youth services to better equip young disabled people to feel confident and empowered to contribute in the wider society issues.

- Celebrate and encourage the contribution of young disabled people.