

Wales Council for Voluntary Action

Supporting charities, volunteers and communities



1. Getting started

1.7 Where to go for help

County voluntary councils' (CVCs) key role is to provide advice and information to local voluntary organisations on any issue that may affect them. They support voluntary action by supporting volunteering, advising on good practice, providing information on funding sources along with a myriad of other issues. In addition, they represent the third sector (Charities, voluntary group, social enterprises and community groups) on cross-sector partnerships. Groups can also become members of their local CVC.

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