

Cross-Party Group Annual Return

Name of Cross-Party Group
Cross-Party Group on Cross-Party Group on Adult Survivors of Childhood Sexual Abuse
Date Group Established
24 th June 2021
Date of Most Recent Annual General Meeting (AGM)
25 th June 2025
Date Annual Return Submitted
27 th June 2025
Date of Preceding AGM
11 th June 2024
Group Meetings and Activities
11th June 2024
Virtual Business Meeting • Survivors who cannot access the Redress Scheme: Update and next steps • Survivors who have compromised physical health outcomes: Update and next steps • Sibling Sexual Abuse Motion: Update and next steps • Concerns about Fatal Accident Inquiries: Update and next steps • Mandatory Reporting Update and next steps • Presentation: Tam Baillie, Chair Child Protection Committee Scotland

- Information Commission Office: Update and next steps

MSPs attending: 2

Members attending: 13

Guests: 1

8th October 2024

GROOMED Event: A moving play recounting the true story of a survivor's early life where he suffered childhood sexual abuse and his subsequent journey as an adult to survival and healing.

Attended by MSPs and invited audience from the membership of the CPG.

5th November 2024

Mandatory Reporting Event: This meeting was an opportunity to re-visit past consultations, decision-making processes and look to the future considering current research, survivors demand for change and Child Abuse Inquiry Findings and Recommendations. We are hoping to open discussion on MR and where we are now in Scotland on the protection of children.

Attended by MSPs, invited speakers and membership of the CPG.

25th March 2025

Virtual Business Meeting

- Election of Depute Convener, Brian Whittle MSP
- Redress Scheme: Update and next steps
- Health Inequalities for Survivors: Update on meeting with Cabinet Secretary for Health and next steps
- Sibling Sexual Abuse: Update on Debate in Parliament and next steps
- Mandatory Reporting: Update and next steps
- Fatal Accident Inquiries: Update and next steps
- Information Commissioner for Scotland: Update and next steps
- GROOMED Play: Update and thanks
- Applications for Membership
- Royal College of Psychiatry: Position Statement and Event to Launch sponsored by Katy Clark MSP

MSPs attending: 2
Members attending: 10
Guests: 2

Date AGM 2025

Convener's Report: Fulton provided a brief update on the previous year's activities and work programme that will be the basis of our Annual Return and Minute.

Treasurer's Report: Sandra provided an update and financial breakdown that will be included in the Minutes.

Election of Office Bearers:

Convener: Fulton MacGregor MSP
Depute Convener: Brian Whittle MSP
Secretary: Anne Macdonald, Health & Social Care Adviser
Secretary: Stuart Allardyce, Director, Lucy Faithfull Foundation, Scotland
Treasurer: Ashley Scotland, CEO, Thriving Survivors

MSPs attending: Fulton MacGregor MSP, Collette Stevenson MSP

Non MSPs attending:

Anne Macdonald, Health & Social Care Adviser, Secretariat, Stuart Allardyce, Lucy Faithfull Foundation, Scotland, Secretariat, Sandra Brown, the Moira Anderson Foundation, Andrew Campbell, Campaigner, Sarah Keer-Keer, Mairsinn, Paul Purcell, Campaigner, Janine Rennie, Campaigner, Ashley Scotland, Thriving Survivors, Shaun Taylor, Eighteen and Under, Alison Wales, NSPCC, Carol Willson, Campaigner

MSP Members of The Group

Katy Clark MSP (Labour)
James Dornan MSP (SNP)
Ross Greer MSP (Scottish Green Party)

Fulton MacGregor MSP (SNP)
Collette Stevenson MSP (SNP)
Sue Webber MSP (Conservative)
Brian Whittle MSP (Conservative)

Non-MSP Members of The Group

Individuals

Andrew Campbell, Campaigner
Lorna- Ann Deans, Campaigner
Dr Jaqueline Dow, Psychotherapist
Sheila Gaul, Retired Social Worker
Ewan Law, Fife College
Anne Macdonald, Health & Social Care Adviser
Dr Adam Mahoney, Napier University
Giles Moffat, Edinburgh Academy Survivors
Dr Javita Narang, International Consultant,
Psychological Trauma Care
Paul Purcell, Campaigner
Janine Rennie, Campaigner
George Scott, Campaigner: Abuse in Private Schools
in Scotland
Dr Eric Swanepoel, Writer & Researcher
Carol Willson, Campaigner

Organisations

Break the Silence
Eighteen & Under
First Tier
Health in Mind
Kingdom Abuse Survivors Project (KASP)

	Lucy Faithfull Foundation, Scotland Mairsinn Moirra Anderson Foundation National Association for Prevention of Cruelty to Children (NSPCC) Safe Space Say Women Scottish Association for Mental Health (SAMH) Speak Out Survivors Survivors Space Survivors Trust Thirtyone:eight Thriving Survivors Wellbeing Scotland
Group Office Bearers Please provide names for all office bearers. The minimum requirement is that two of the office bearers are MSPs and one of these is Convener – beyond this it is a matter for the Group to decide upon the office bearers it wishes to have. It is permissible to have more than one individual elected to each office, for example, co-conveners or multiple deputy conveners.	
Convener	Fulton MacGregor MSP
Deputy Convener	Brian Whittle MSP
Secretary	Anne Macdonald, Health & Social Care Adviser Stuart Allardyce, Director, Lucy Faithfull Foundation

	Scotland
Treasurer	Ashley Scotland, CEO, Thriving Survivors
If the Group is not disclosing any financial information, please tick the box to confirm that the Group has considered the support received, but concluded it totalled under the threshold for disclosure (£500). XX	
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