



Care Alliance Ireland

The National Network of Voluntary Organisations for Family Carers

Strategic Plan 2010-2012

Vision

That the role of Family Carers is fully recognised and valued by society in Ireland.

Mission Statement

Care Alliance Ireland exists to enhance the quality of life for Family Carers. We will achieve this by supporting organisations in their direct work with Family Carers through the provision of information, research, the sharing of resources and opportunities for collaboration.

Strategic Objectives – 2010-2012

Information Provision and Knowledge Exchange Objectives

- To disseminate up-to-date and relevant information, in a timely and accessible manner, to Care Alliance Ireland stakeholders.
- To develop the capacity to participate in international fora.
- To identify and disseminate best practice in Family Carer support using a range of methods.

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Collaboration Objectives

- To facilitate synergy between voluntary and statutory groups which support Family Carers, through consensus-building and the development of best practice models.
- To facilitate a collaborative approach to driving the community and voluntary sector's Family Carers agenda.

Public Relations and Membership Objectives

- To increase group membership in a sectorally representative way.
- To develop networking opportunities with other alliances.
- To run one event per year that generates publicity and media interest.

Financial Objectives

- To secure the resources and build the reserves required to successfully implement the mission and objectives of Care Alliance Ireland.
- To ensure that satisfactory governance structures and procedures are in place to oversee the activities of Care Alliance Ireland.

Research Objectives

- To inform service provision through the development of applied and evidenced policies and position statements based on ongoing qualitative and quantitative research.
- To influence the Family Carer research agenda.