

Athlone Education Centre

Athlone Education Centre offers a wide range of professional development opportunities to meet the needs of the local education community.

Contact: 090-6497009

Athlone Town Council

The Athlone Town Council often makes referrals to MSC Emergency Accommodation Service (E.A.S). When somebody becomes resident in the EAS, they are asked to register with A.T.C to confirm that they are currently homeless and living at the E.A.S. Individuals wishing to put their name on the housing list in Athlone are asked to present at A.T.C where an assessment of their housing needs will be carried out. If an individual wishes to apply for rent allowance for the Athlone area, they must first have had their housing needs assessed at A.T.C. Contact: 090-6442100

Community Welfare Officer

The C.W.O is notified of all residents at the E.A.S and all new residents must register their change of address to the EAS with the Department of Social Protection. The C.W.O can be contacted in the event that supplementary welfare allowance is needed. When an individual from the E.A.S is applying for rent allowance, they must complete the relevant application forms for submission to the C.W.O who will assess the application.

Community Alcohol and Drugs Service (C.A.D.S)

A counselling service for people who have alcohol or drug addiction issues.

Contact: 090-6491305

Citizens Information Centre

The Citizens Information Centre provides independent information, advice and advocacy on public and social services through citizensinformation.ie, the Citizens Information Phone Service (1890 777 121) and the network of Citizens Information Services. They are responsible for the Money Advice and Budgeting Service (M.A.B.S) and provide advocacy services for people with disabilities. *Contact: 090-6478851*

Open Door

The “Open Door Project” is a service for marginalised individuals in Athlone and Mullingar. The service offers intervention to clients, which includes front line crisis supports including basic requirements such as a place to wash, a laundry service and a hot snack as well as counselling services, group therapy, referrals and community development support.

Contact: 090-6498909

Merchant’s Quay

Provides services aimed at reducing harm related to drug use and homelessness and at providing pathways towards rehabilitation and settlement.

- Family support work
- Outreach work

Esker House

Esker House provides accommodation and assistance to women and children who experience violence in the home. Contact: 090-6474122

Probation Services

Contact: 090-6483500

Homeless Liaison Nurse

The Homeless Liaison Nurse is hired by the H.S.E. but links in with Service Users if they have any medical related issues.

Teach Fáilte Mullingar

TEAM (Temporary Emergency Accommodation Mullingar) is emergency accommodation in Mullingar for women and children. Contact: 043-339349340

Gardaí

Contact: 090-6498550

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