

Accessible Services

- We aim to make our services accessible to everyone, regardless of age, race, disability or sexuality.
- We offer daytime and evening appointments and provide outreach provision in a number of localities.
- We offer a range of interventions which we will continue to develop informed by the views of our clients.
- Our services are confidential, flexible and free (except for Workplace Policies and some training provision).

Adsis is a registered charity and company limited by guarantee. The service is run by a Board of Trustees which is made up of volunteers from the local community and business world who bring with them their own particular skills and expertise.

The Board holds an Annual General Meeting each year at which new members can stand for election. There is also a provision for co-options on to the Board at other times during the year. If you are interested in joining our Board of Trustees please call Cathy Jones, Chief Executive Officer at Adsis HQ on 01889 560550.

Outreach appointments in a locality to suit you. All our offices are accessible to wheelchairs. Adsis aims to give an equally good service to all our clients.

**WE OFFER FREE, CONFIDENTIAL
AND INDEPENDENT ADVICE**

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Our Services, our Approach?

Alcohol and Dependency
Specialists



Our services, our approach

As a service we acknowledge that problematic alcohol use can have many causes and affects us all very differently. We believe that alcohol and other dependency problems are essentially '**learned behaviour**' and as such we will work with an individual to affect a change in their level or pattern of use/behaviour and/or their wider social well-being.

Adsis will work with an individual towards their own goals, incorporating a cognitive behavioural and solution focussed approach, motivational interviewing techniques, goal setting and relapse management.



Service Delivery?

Services are provided by a combination of fully trained project staff and volunteer support workers. Across the County and City of Stoke on Trent, we provide free confidential information, advice and structured support to anyone affected by their own or someone else's misuse of alcohol or wider dependency issues such as drugs and gambling.

Concerned Others

Families, friends and colleagues of those affected by alcohol and/or dependency issues are encouraged to access free confidential information, advice and structured support from our service for their own needs. Both telephone and face to face support is available.

Rural Communities

Outreach provision is an important part of the work we deliver in order to improve accessibility to dedicated services. Please contact Adsis HQ for support and details of your nearest venue.

Women's Support

Alcohol and Drug Services nationally are working to improve access to services and support for women. Across the County and City we offer structured support sessions dedicated to women.

Alcohol and Mental Health

Adsis have a partnership with Stoke-on-Trent Social Services Department to deliver specific service provision for clients with both alcohol and mental health related problems. This is available in North Staffordshire.

Training

Training is an essential element for any organisation if it is to ensure quality service provision. Adsis has a strong reputation for the standard of training delivered both internally and externally. We deliver an accredited training certificate for all Support Workers and a full programme of staff training throughout the year.

Adsis has also developed training packages specifically targeted to young people and these are used in schools and youth groups across the County.

Workplace Policies

Adsis offers advice and support to businesses on Alcohol and Drug Workplace Policies. Associated training for your Managers and/or staff can also be arranged.

To find out more about this bespoke service please call Adsis HQ on 01889 560550 or email corporate@adsis.org.uk