

Are you interested in becoming a volunteer?

Kinship Care NI benefits from the skills and commitment of volunteers in the work that we do. The organisation was established from the spirit of volunteerism and the need to help and support kinship carers and the children they care for in Northern Ireland.

To find out more about becoming a volunteer or to request a volunteer information pack please contact us.



If you require more information or if you would like to make a referral please contact:

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Caring for Kin

Grandparents raising
their grandchildren



Northern Ireland
Kinship Care
Keeping families together



*Helping grandparents
and kinship carers keep
their families together*

About Us

Kinship Care Northern Ireland is a charitable organisation committed to helping and supporting grandparents and other family relatives who are caring for children of their extended family.



What is Kinship Care?

Kinship Care is an arrangement where a child who cannot be cared for by their parents goes to live with a relative or family friend.



Who is a Kinship Carer?

Anyone who is significant to the child and who the child lives with and is cared for by. This includes grandparents, aunts, uncles, brothers, sisters and family friends.

Our 'Caring for Kin' Project supports grandparents, great grandparents and older kinship carers who are raising their family and friends' children. We provide legal and financial advice as well as information, training and support to kinship carers living in the Antrim, Magherafelt, Cookstown and Draperstown areas.



Services

- Drop in Service
- Specialist Advocacy Service
- Free Telephone Helpline offering confidential legal and financial advice
- Dilly Dallies Walking Group
- Breakfast Club / Coffee Mornings
- Kin Together Support Groups
- Grandfamilies Matter Programme
- Training Opportunities
- Family Recreation