

MCJP

Lived Experience



Community Justice Partnership
Protecting People in Moray



Vision	<p>Moray Community Justice Partnership (MCJP) aims to put the voices of those with lived and living experience of the justice system at the heart of the work we do.</p> <p>This could mean people with direct involvement, their families, victims, witnesses, and the wider the community impacted by crime.</p>
Statement	<p>As a partnership we commit to certain principles when delivering any work with people with lived or living experience.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● We will work in a trauma informed way.● We will identify and overcome any barriers to participation.● We will work with delivery partners who can create supportive spaces, and ensure people know where support is available.● We recognise the barriers some people will feel engaging with statutory services, where possible we will utilise our third sector partners to help us engage more widely.● We will communicate clearly and update participants on what has happened as a result of their input.● We will assess the impact of our engagement and use this to improve future work.
Remuneration	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● As a partnership we believe that people should be compensated for their time, where possible in the form of a voucher. We recognise this may not always be appropriate or reasonably possible. We will commit to ensuring opportunities provide a meaningful benefit for participants such as skills building, networking, or training opportunities.● Where a payment is made, we will seek to compensate in line with the hourly real living wage. We will engage with other local lived experience groups/projects and review our offer if not aligned.● Travel expenses should be covered.
Date of Next Review	<p>This statement will be reviewed annually by the partnership or when changes in relevant local and national work or policy arise. Date of next review: Sep 2026</p>