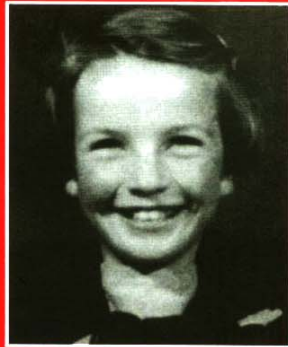


Tackling childhood sexual abuse Together



Moira Anderson:

Moira was just 11 years of age when she disappeared from Coatbridge, Scotland in February 1957. Her disturbing case is told by Sandra Brown OBE in her best selling book "Where There Is Evil".

Moira's Legacy.....

.....is to break the silence, demolish the myths and in so doing create a safer climate for children to reveal the truth.



Office Hours

Monday - Friday
9.00am - 5.00pm

**Weekly
"POP-IN" SERVICE
for clients**

(ask staff for details)

**Telephone counselling support
by arrangement.**

**24 Hour answering machine
where confidential messages
can be left and calls returned as
quickly as possible.**

For support & information about our
service please contact a member of
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Who we are:

The Moira Anderson Foundation based in North Lanarkshire, Scotland was launched in the year 2000 by Sandra Brown as a legacy to Moira Anderson and her family and as a place of safety and support for children and adults who have been affected by Childhood Sexual Abuse.

What we do:

The aim of the Charity is to provide help to children and adults who have been affected by childhood sexual abuse and support those individuals in whatever way we can.

Services we provide:

We provide Counselling and Therapeutic services as well as on going support by trained staff. We also offer a weekly "POP IN" service to clients in which we operate a holistic approach to spend time in a safe, comfortable and non-judgemental environment.

How we operate:

We receive referrals from local authorities, other organisations and statutory agencies e.g. Police and Health visitors, as well as self referrals. Our Core Funding comes from the Scottish Government, however we rely heavily on other funding and donations to operate our service.



What to expect:

Normally you are offered an initial appointment with a trained member of staff. This is an opportunity to come and meet with us at the Charity and find out more about the services we provide. It also gives you an opportunity to discuss any fears or worries you may have. We normally ask for some information to enable us to guide you in the right direction and to match you to the appropriate support available. We do operate a waiting list but you will be informed of this at your initial meeting and we endeavour to keep you up to date on your progress should you wish to be placed on the waiting list.

Confidentiality:

The Moira Anderson Foundation operates on a confidential basis, although that cannot extend to information which reveals that children, adults or anyone else are directly in danger of sexual abuse or any other criminal act. Please refer to our confidentiality policy.

Our vision:

Is to make the community a safer place for children and in the future have a world where the issues associated with Childhood Sexual Abuse are managed proactively rather than reactively. We will do this by challenging injustices on behalf of children and adults. We will continue campaigning for changes in the judicial system and educating to have children's rights respected.



Training:

We facilitate and deliver "Safe Hands" training and workshop programmes which are aimed at all ages and groups to promote personal safety strategies for everyone. We also deliver awareness raising presentations and talks to schools, nurseries, churches, etc, about keeping safe and the effects that childhood sexual abuse can have on the individual and society.

The Charity is reliant on funding and donations. Therefore we welcome donations or other assistance from benefactors who may wish to support the development of our Charity.

The funding we receive enables us to provide a worthwhile service and allows us to cover the costs that counselling incurs.

