

CROSS-PARTY GROUP REGISTRATION FORM

NAME OF CROSS-PARTY GROUP

Cross-Party Group on Families Affected By Imprisonment

PURPOSE OF THE GROUP AND PROPOSED DISCUSSION TOPICS

1. Please state the purpose of the Group.
2. Please also provide a brief explanation of the purpose of the Group and why the purpose is in the public interest.
3. Please also provide details of any overlaps with the purpose of existing Cross-Party Groups and an explanation of why, regardless of any such overlap, the Group should be established.
4. Please also provide an indication of the topics which the Group anticipates discussing in the forthcoming 12 months.

1. Please State the Purpose of the Group:

The purpose of the group is to highlight the issues faced by families who are affected by a relative's imprisonment.

2. Please also provide a brief explanation of the purpose of the Group and why the purpose is in the public interest.

The group seeks to highlight issues facing families who are affected by a relative's imprisonment. It seeks to look at the support that is offered to these families and how it can be improved.

3. Please also provide details of any overlaps with the purpose of existing Cross-Party Groups and an explanation of why, regardless of any such overlap, the Group should be established:

There are no overlaps with any other established CPG's.

4. Please also provide an indication of the topics which the Group anticipates discussing in the forthcoming 12 months:

- The impact of prison regimes on families and how the change of regime can affect them – for example how changing the time of visits can impact upon families ability to travel to the visit
- The role of Family Contact Officers
- Adverse childhood experiences (ACE)
- The Named Person legislation
- Foetal Alcohol Syndrome and pre-conception support
- Prison Healthcare

MSP MEMBERS OF THE GROUP

Please provide names and party designation of all MSP members of the Group.

Mary Fee MSP – Scottish Labour Party
 Claire Baker MSP – Scottish Labour Party
 Richard Lyle MSP – Scottish National Party
 Ivan McKee MSP – Scottish National Party
 Alex Cole-Hamilton MSP – Scottish Liberal Democrats
 Oliver Mundell MSP – Scottish Cons

NON-MSP MEMBERS OF THE GROUP

For organisational members please provide only the name of the organisation, it is not necessary to provide the name(s) of individuals who may represent the organisation at meetings of the Group.

Individuals	Dr Sara Watkin Emma Youens Janice McGowan Maggie Mellon
Organisations	Visiting Committee at HMYOI Polmont SCCCJ Sacro (Fife) Relationship Scotland The Samaritans Barnardos South Ayrshire Services G4S

	<p>Action for Children</p> <p>HMP Low Moss</p> <p>Toybox</p> <p>Fife & Forth Valley CJA</p> <p>Glasgow Life</p> <p>Triple P</p> <p>SPS</p> <p>University of Strathclyde</p> <p>Pheonix Futures</p> <p>Stop it Now</p> <p>The Croft</p> <p>Samaritans</p> <p>SFAD</p> <p>The Robertson Trust</p> <p>Parenting Across Scotland</p> <p>HMP Kilmarnock</p> <p>Alternative to Violence Project</p> <p>Civil Legal Assistance Office</p> <p>CIE</p> <p>Barnardo's Scotland</p> <p>Perth Prison Visitor Centre</p> <p>Early Years Scotland</p> <p>Alcohol Focus Scotland</p> <p>Care For The Family</p> <p>Circle</p> <p>Parkhead CAB</p> <p>Crossreach</p> <p>Theatre Nemo</p> <p>NHS Lothian</p> <p>The Howard League</p> <p>SCSN</p>
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	<p>National Museums Scotland</p> <p>Soroptimists International (Inverness & Nairn)</p> <p>Children 1st</p> <p>Perth & Kinross Council</p> <p>Place2Be</p> <p>Division of Clinical Psychology Scotland</p> <p>Together Scotland</p> <p>South West Scotland CJA</p> <p>Apex</p> <p>Community Justice Scotland</p> <p>Alternative to Violence Project</p> <p>Lighthouse Foundation</p> <p>Family Mediation Central Scotland</p> <p>Children in Scotland</p> <p>Offender Learning, Skills and Employability Services</p> <p>University of Stirling</p> <p>SPS</p> <p>Howard League Scotland</p> <p>SFAD</p> <p>Soroptimists</p> <p>Lifelink</p> <p>Polmont Prison Visitor Centre</p> <p>Cornerstone</p> <p>DCP Scotland</p> <p>Kibble Education and Care Centre</p> <p>Family Addiction Support Service</p> <p>Inside Out (CAB)</p> <p>Relationships Scotland</p> <p>Who Cares? Scotland</p> <p>Edinburgh Prison Visitor Centre</p> <p>Positive Prison? Positive Futures...</p>
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	Northern Community Justice Authority Youth Community Support Agency Shelter ADSW NSPCC Scottish Association of Social Work NHS Forth Valley SACRO Renfrewshire Council Lanarkshire CJA Youth Community Support Agency (YCSA) Families Outside Prison Reform Trust
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GROUP OFFICE BEARERS

Please provide names for all office bearers. The minimum requirement is that two of the office bearers are MSPs and one of these is Convener – beyond this it is a matter for the Group to decide upon the office bearers it wishes to have. It is permissible to have more than one individual elected to each office, for example, co-conveners or multiple deputy conveners.

Convener	Mary Fee MSP
Deputy Convener	Richard Lyle MSP
Secretary	Nancy Loucks – Families Outside
Treasurer	N/A

FINANCIAL BENEFITS OR OTHER BENEFITS

Please provide details of any financial or material benefit(s) the Group anticipates receiving from a single source in a calendar year which has a value, either singly or cumulatively, of more than £500. This includes donations, gifts, hospitality or visits and material assistance such as secretariat support.

N/A

SUBSCRIPTION CHARGED BY THE GROUP

Please provide details of the amount to be charged and the purpose for which the subscription is intended to be used.

N/A

CONVENER CONTACT DETAILS

Name	Mary Fee MSP
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Parliamentary address	MG.14
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Telephone number	0141 889 4828
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STATEMENT ON COMPLIANCE WITH THE CODE OF CONDUCT

I declare that the Cross-Party Group on <SUBJECT> is constituted and will comply with the terms of Section 6 of the Code of Conduct for Members of the Scottish Parliament.

Signed	
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Date	
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