



Independent advocacy across Aberdeenshire & Moray

- » Advocacy North East provides independent advocacy for carers over the age of 16 in Aberdeenshire and Moray.
- » Our trained advocates can help you access the information you need to make the right decisions.
- » We can help you to have your voice heard and your opinions respected when you are dealing with health care, social care and other professionals.

ANE has a duty to ensure the safety and well-being of its staff and volunteers and we uphold the right of our people to be treated with respect as they go about their duties.

Please be advised that ANE will not accept any form of abuse being aimed directly or indirectly at our staff or volunteers. We take such matters very seriously and will terminate our contact/take further action as required.



Advocacy North East

A close-up photograph of an elderly person's hand being gently held by a younger person's hand. The background is blurred, showing what appears to be a hospital or care home setting with patterned fabric.

contact us

we're here to give you a voice.

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Supported by the Carer Information Strategy



Independent advocacy for carers:

If you look after someone or if you provide unpaid help and support to a relative, partner, friend or neighbour who needs your help because they are ill, frail, have a disability or mental illness then you are a carer and this leaflet may be useful to you.

Independent advocacy is about helping you if you find it hard to speak up for what you want and need. It is about supporting you to express your needs and wishes and to assert your rights. Independent advocacy is about helping you to access the information you need to make informed decisions. Our service is independent, free and confidential



Carers

Carers can sometimes feel that their views and needs are overlooked by health care, social care and other professionals and that their right to support as partners in the provision of care is not well recognised. When carers wish to pursue a particular course of action but do not have the capacity, time or energy, to do so alone - advocacy may be able to help.



If you are a carer, contact us:

- »» To hear more about our independent advocacy service for carers over the age of 16.
- »» To enquire about any of our other advocacy services
- »» To refer yourself or someone you know for independent advocacy.