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Action on Advocacy Campaign | Partners Statement of Support

At MCR Pathways, we support Who Cares? Scotland's Action on Advocacy campaign, which calls for the inclusion of a statutory right to independent, lifelong, relationship-based advocacy for all Care Experienced people who need it, within the upcoming Promise Bill.

As a key partner, we firmly believe that this right is essential in ensuring that all Care Experienced people have the support they need to navigate the challenges they face. Whether it's helping a young person reunite with their brother or sister, signposting Care Experienced adults to critical housing support, or accompanying a young person to their Children's Hearing, independent advocacy is a vital and valuable service. Independent advocates ensure Care Experienced people are informed of their options, rights and have their voices heard.

We stand with Who Cares? Scotland in calling for this critical service to be enshrined in law, guaranteeing lifelong, independent advocacy for those who need it most.

