

Turning Point Scotland Leith

Offering a wide range of free services to people from North East Edinburgh who are experiencing problems due to their drug or alcohol misuse.

We will support people through all stages of their recovery and tailor support packages to suit individual needs.

How to find us

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If you reach our answer phone, please leave a message and we will call you back as soon as possible. Our service is free, confidential and charity based.

This leaflet is available in alternative formats. Please contact the Communications Department on **0141 427 8200**.

Turning Point Scotland Leith is one of the many services provided by Turning Point Scotland (TPS). We provide person centred support to adults with a range of complex needs throughout Scotland.

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Making **Substance Misuse**

Services Fit People



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What We Provide

Open Access

Every afternoon (**Monday to Friday**) individuals can present without an appointment and access services including support and advice, crisis intervention, advocacy and information about other services.

Individual Casework

One to one ongoing support from a named worker to address drug or alcohol use and related issues. Self referrals or referrals from other agencies are accepted.

Locality/Prescribing

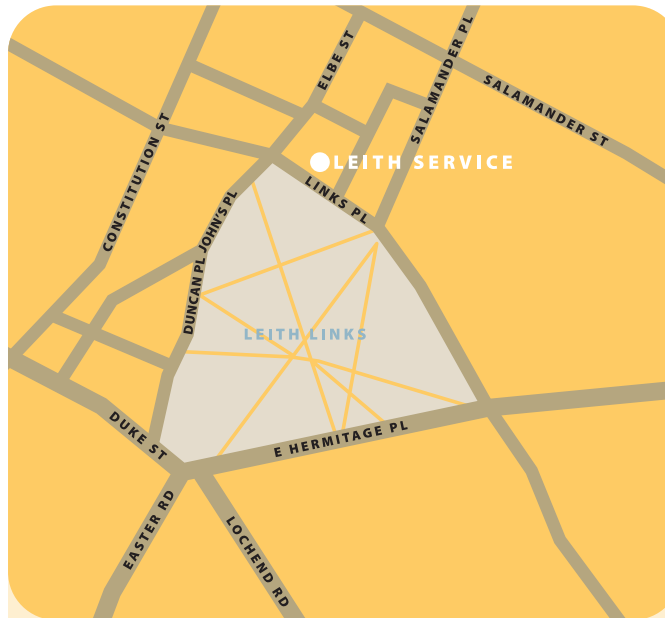
As part of Edinburgh Drugcare Partnership and in partnership with NHS Lothian, we offer a specialist assessment and substitute prescribing services for drug users.

Alcohol Support

We offer ongoing practical and emotional support to individuals who are experiencing problems due to their alcohol use. Self referrals or referrals from other agencies are accepted. It is up to individuals to decide whether they want to work towards abstaining completely from alcohol or reducing their alcohol use.



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IEP (Injecting Equipment Provision)

People who inject can access sterile injecting equipment and dispose of used needles safely. We also provide advice on sexual health, condoms and advice on harm reduction. This service is available **Monday to Friday**.

Sexual Health

A weekly clinic offers contraception, cervical smears and testing for sexually transmitted infections, Hepatitis B, C and HIV. Treatment or referral is provided as appropriate.

Hepatitis C

A weekly clinic provides testing, assessment and treatment for Hepatitis C.

Ear Acupuncture

We have fully trained staff offering ear acupuncture which can assist with coping strategies including managing cravings and sleep disturbances.

Other Turning Point Scotland Services you can access in the building are:

Community Addiction Recovery Service (CARS)

CARS offers a structured day programme for women and men aged 16 years and over, living in the city of Edinburgh who are experiencing difficulties due to their substance misuse and would like to explore their pathway to recovery. The service offers group work and one to one support.

Midpoint

Midpoint provides housing support to people with complex needs who are homeless, have a history of homelessness or are at risk of becoming homeless due to difficulty managing their tenancy. Appointments can be arranged in the community, or within an individual's home.

For more information on these services please contact: **T** 0131 553 2222

We operate flexible opening times and evening appointments are available on request. For more details on our opening times please contact the service.