

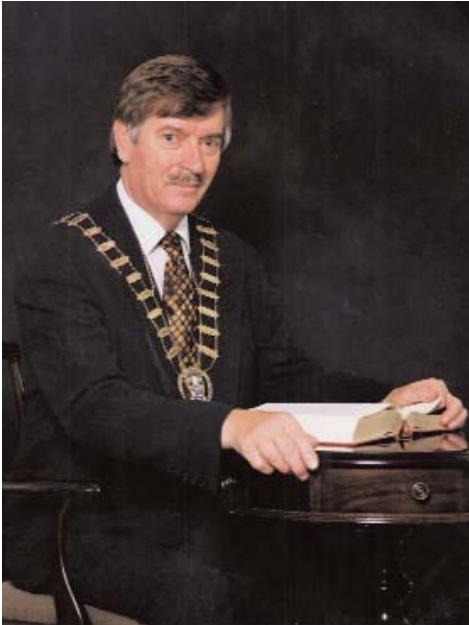


Clare County Development Board
Bord Forbartha Chontae an Chláir

Directory of Service Providers in County Clare

Involving	the	people	of	County	Clare
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Foreword



This Directory of countywide Service Providers is an important step towards planning for integrated service delivery in County Clare. It is hoped that this information will act as a valuable insight into the existing situation in the County in terms of service provision. This Directory will act as an important resource for the people of Clare as it contains

information in relation to the services available to them within the County. The Clare County Development Board will update this Directory on an ongoing basis to reflect changes in the services provided within the County.

This Directory is the first in a series of reports being prepared by the Clare County Development Board. The Clare County Development Board intends to publish a separate Directory for local Community and Voluntary groups in Clare as the second phase of this process.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the organisations that contributed to this Directory. Sincere thanks also to the design team and their tutors from the Limerick College of Art and Design.

Seán Hillery

Councillor Seán Hillery,
Chairman, Clare County Development Board.
June 2001.

The Clare County Development Board

The Clare County Development Board (CDB) represents a new approach to local development and the process of decision making within County Clare. The CDB brings together the key players in the County and develops new ways of planning for the future. The Board of the CDB is comprised of representatives from Local Government, State Agencies, Local Development Groups, the Social Partners and the Community/Voluntary Sector.

The key responsibility of the CDB is the preparation and implementation of a ten year integrated strategy for the Economic, Social and Cultural development of the County. The Strategy is being built on widespread consultation and once completed it will be subject to ongoing review to ensure its relevance and effectiveness. This Integrated Strategy will be the guiding framework for the development of all public policies in Clare until 2012. The Integrated Strategy will be published in the Spring of 2002.

In conjunction with the publication of this Directory, the Clare County Development Board is also publishing an Economic, Social, and Cultural Profile of County Clare. This Profile will be a key information and statistical resource for the people of County Clare.



Eamonn Naughton
Director, Clare CDB

Introduction

This Directory is the first phase of an Audit of Service Providers operating in the County. The Directory is divided into five main sections as follows:

- Local Government
- Local Development
- Social Partners
- State Sector
- Countywide Community and Voluntary Groups

If your organisation falls into one of these categories and is not included in this Directory, the Clare County Development Board invites you to submit your organisational details for inclusion in subsequent Directories.

The Clare County Development Board has taken every action to ensure the accuracy of this Directory and therefore accept no liability for incorrect or inaccurate information.

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Local Government

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Clare County Council

Nature of Services provided/ Nature of Programmes

County Secretary

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secretar@clarecoco.ie

Web: <http://clarecoco.clare.ie>

Services are provided by Clare County Council under the following Programme Groups which are standard to all local authorities:

- Housing, Building & Estate Management
- Road Transportation and Safety
- Water Supply and Sewerage
- Development Incentives & Controls
- Environmental and Emergency Services and Consumer Protection Policy
- Recreation & Amenity
- Agriculture, Education, Health & Welfare
- Community Development and Cultural Policy

Clare County Development Board

Eamonn Naughton
Director

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dceof@clarecoco.ie

Web:
www.clarecoco.ie

- Responsibility for the strategic planning of public service delivery in Clare and for the development of an Integrated ten year Strategic Plan for the County
- Responsible for co-ordination of public service delivery in County

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co.

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons to
whom service is provided

- Clare County Council,
New Road,
Ennis,
Co. Clare

- Clare Countywide

- All residents in the County

- Quin Road Business Park,
Ennis,
Co. Clare.

- Clare Countywide

- All organisations and individuals
in County Clare

Clare County Library

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

County Librarian

Tel: 065-6842461/6821616

Fax: 065-6842462

E-mail:

mailbox@clarelibrary.ie

Web:

www.clarelibrary.ie

- Public Library Service

Ennis Urban District

Tomás Ryan

Town Clerk

Tel: 065-6828040

Fax: 065-6828182

E-mail: pliddy@ennisudc.ie

- Housing & Building
- Road Transportation & Safety
- Water Supply & Sewerage
- Development Incentives & Control
- Environmental Protection
- Recreation & Amenity
- Agriculture, Health & Welfare
- Miscellaneous

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co.

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons to
whom service is provided

- Library HQ,
Mill Road, Ennis,
Co.Clare
- 15 branch of fices

- Clare Countywide

- Everyone within
the County

- Waterpark House,
Drumbiggle,
Ennis,
Co. Clare
- County Museum, Ennis
- International Folk Music Centre,
Ennis

- Ennis Urban District
Council

- Ennis Community
- Residents Associations
- Schools
- Religious Organisations
- Voluntary Organisations
& Groups
- Ennis Tidy Towns
- Ratepayers
- Ennis Chamber of
Commerce

Kilkee Town

Nature of Services provided/ Nature of Programmes

Josephine Cotter -Coughlan
Town Clerk

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Fax: 065-6828182

E-mail:

jcoughlan@ennisudc.ie

- Is involved with Community and Voluntary groups that seek to improve the quality of life through community and environmental initiatives.

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co.

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons to
whom service is provided

- The Courthouse,
Kilkee, Co.Clare

- Kilkee Town

- General population of Kilkee

Kilrush Urban District

Nature of Services provided/ Nature of Programmes

Imy Whelan-Breen
Town Clerk

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kilrush@clarecoco.ie

- Tourism promotion and product development
- Enterprise Development
- Animation support to voluntary sector
- Housing
- Roads
- Pollution Control
- Water and Sewerage
- Planning and Development
- Environmental Works
- Waste Management
- Safety of structures and places
- Infrastructure
- Community Development
- Recreation and Amenity

Shannon Town

Tomás Mac Cormaic
Town Clerk

Tel: 061-362319

Fax: 061-361954

E-mail:
shannontclerk@eircom.net

- The Commissioners individually and collectively promote and encourage the promotion of voluntary community activities and provide annual grants in respect of projects designed to improve the quality of life for the Shannon community.

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons to
whom service is provided

- Town Hall,
The Square,
Kilrush, Co.Clare

- Kilrush Electoral Area
(Urban only)

- Everyone within the
Kilrush Urban area
- Community and
Enterprise Voluntary
Organisations
- Local Business and
Industry
- Elderly/Senior Citizens
- Homeless People
- Unemployed People
- Women
- Young People

- Town Hall,
Gort Road,
Shannon,
Co.Clare

- Shannon Town and
Immediate Hinterland

- The general community of
Shannon including voluntary
groups promoting cultural,
sporting, educational and social
activities in the town.

Local Development

Clare County Enterprise Board
Clare Local Employment Service (LES)
EIRˆ Corca Baiscinn
Ennis West Partners
OBAIR Newmarket on Fergus Ltd
Rural Resource Development Ltd (RRD)

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Clare County Enterprise

Eamonn Kelly
Chief Executive

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Fax: 065-6841887

E-mail:
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Nature of Services provided/ Nature of Programmes

- Economic development through grant aid and other supports for SME s
- Foster enterprise awareness and develop enterprise culture
- Encourage enterprise and job creation.
- Provide management development and other relevant training programmes.

Clare Local Employment Service

Jane Foley
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clareles@clareles.ie

W eb:
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- Services to the Unemployed
- Intensive guidance counselling and career path planning to assist the long term unemployed to return to the active labour market
- Service to assist employers with recruitment

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons
to whom service is provided

- Mill Road,
Ennis,
Co.Clare

- Clare Countywide

- All people with business ideas
- People who require
entrepreneurial training

- Clare LES, Bindon Lane,
Bank Place, Ennis, Co.Clare

- Clare Countywide

- Long Term Unemployed People
- Asylum-Seekers/Immigrants
- People with Disabilities
- Early School Leavers
- Travellers

Other Contact Points:

- CIOC, LES Contact Point,
Springfield House,
Harmony Row,
Ennis, Co. Clare.
Tel: 065-6841008

- Women
- Young People

South Clare LES Contact Point,
Unit 45A Town Centre,
Shannon, Co. Clare
Tel: 061 - 360233

North Clare LES Contact Point,
Ennistymon Recreation &
Leisure Centre,
Parliament Street,
Ennistymon, Co. Clare.
Tel: 065 - 7072065

West Clare LES Contact Point,
Community Project Team,
Brew s Flats, Francis Street,
Kilrush, Co. Clare.
Tel: 065 - 9052233

East Clare LES Contact Point,
East Clare Community Co-op,
Main Street, Scariff, Co. Clare.
Tel: 061 - 921795

EIR[™] Corca Baiscinn

Nature of Services provided/ Nature of Programmes

Sue Targett
Manager

Tel: 065-90 56611

Fax: 065-9056602

E-mail:
eiri@eircom.net

W eb:
www.eiri.org

- Delivers the Local Development Social Inclusion Programme
in West Clare

Services include:

- Enterprise Creation and Development
- Education and Training
- Programmes to Reduce Early School Leaving
- Community Development
- Services to Unemployed

Ennis West Partners

Brian McCormack
Manager

Tel: 065-6823339

Fax: 065-6824442

E-mail:
ewp.ennis@eircom.net

- Education and Training
- Enterprise
- Community Development
- Services to the Unemployed
- Environment

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co.

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons to
whom service is provided

- Community Centre,
Circular Road,
Kilkee,
Co. Clare

- Western half of Kilrush
Electoral area

- Unemployed People
- Young People at risk
of Unemployment
- Women
- People with Disabilities
- Low Income Farming Households
- One Parent Families
- Elderly People
- Carers

- Centrepoint, Orchard Lane,
Hermitage, Ennis, Co.Clare

- Ennis West Area

- All individuals

OBAIR Newmarket on
Fergus Ltd.

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Ashling Sharkey
Manager

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Fax: 061-368717

E-mail:
obairnewmarket@eircom.net

Web:
www.shannonheartland.ie

- Community Development
- Community Enterprise
- Environmental Improvements
- Tourism Development
- Assist in establishing viable enterprises in the area
- Promote educational and training activities for the further development of the community
- Facilitate greater community participation in the development of our area
- Projects meeting social needs

Rural Resource Development Ltd (RRD)

Mr. Harry Bohan
Chief Executive

Tel: 061-361144

Fax: 061-361954

E-mail: rrd@eircom.net

- EU LEADER Programmes
A Rural Development Initiative
- Training, technical support and community development assistance
- Sectors grant supported include Natural Resources, Food, Rural Tourism, Small Enterprise, Environment and Living Conditions and Culture

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co.
Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons to
whom service is provided

- Main Street,
Newmarket-on-Fergus,
Co. Clare.

- Parish of Newmarket-on-Fergus

- People with Disabilities
- Pre-School Education
- Early School-leavers
- Unemployed People
- Women
- Young People
- Lone Parents
- People starting their own
business

- Town Hall, South
Boundary, Shannon,
Co. Clare.

- Clare Countywide

- All rural dwellers and rural
communities

Social Partners

Clare Tourist Council
Congress Information and Opportunity Centre
(Clare Council of Trade Unions)
Eircom Ennis Information Age Town
Ennis Chamber of Commerce
Fergus Credit Union
First Step
Irish Business and Employers Confederation (IBEC Mid West)
Irish Creamery Milk Suppliers Association (ICMSA)
Irish Farmers Association (IFA)
ISME - Irish Small and Medium Enterprises Association
Kilkee Chamber of Commerce
Kilrush Credit Union Ltd
Shannon Credit Union Ltd
Shannon & District Chamber of Commerce
SIPTU (Services Industrial Professional & Technical Union)
Small Firms Association (SFA)
Ss Peter & Paul Credit Union Ltd

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Clare Tourist Council

Nature of Services provided/ Nature of Programmes

Tel: 065-70 71149

Fax: 065-7071709

E-mail:
cahilka@indigo.ie

- To represent and promote the interests of tourism and related industry in the County
- Encourage and co-ordinate the efforts of local tourist organisations
- Encourage a joint marketing strategy for the County
- Provide support through information, advice and assistance
- Ensure the development of a professional approach to the industry

Noel Clune

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E-mail:
cioc@eircom.net
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cioc.ernis.ie

- Computer and IT Training
- Discount Schemes
- LES Contact Point
- Jobs Club
- Social Welfare Information

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons to
whom

- Kathleen Cahill, Station House,
Ennis Road, Ennistymon,
Co.Clare

- Clare Countywide

- General Tourism Industry in the
County

- Springfield House,
Harmony Row,
Ennis, Co.Clare

- Clare Countywide

- Unemployed Persons
- Job Seekers
- Refugees

Eircom Ennis Information Age Town

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Tel: 065-6869200

Fax: 065-6869244

E-mail:
bmorrison@ennis.ie

Web:
www.ennis.ie

- IT Training and Consultancy
- Support to all sectors of Community: Business Community, Education, Public Sector, Industry
- Community Information via Ennis website
- Research & Project Management

Ennis Chamber of Commerce

Tel: 065-6842988

Fax: 065-6821544

E-mail:
info@ennischamber.ie

- Training and Development
- Networking
- Lobbying
- Seminars on topical business issues
- Ordnance Survey Maps of Ennis

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons to
whom service is provided

- Information Age Centre,
Ballymaley Business Park,
Ennis, Co.Clare.

- Clare Countywide

- All groups; general public and
businesses

- 54 O Connell Street, Ennis
Co. Clare.

- Clare Countywide

- Owners/Managers of small to
medium sized businesses

Fergus Credit Union

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Tel: 065-6834388

Fax: 065-6834163

E-mail:

ferguscreditunion@tinet.ie

- Credit Union

First Step

Tel: 01-2600988

Fax: 01-2600989

- Provides Start up capital by way of interest free loans as an avenue of last resort to entrepreneurs who cannot access funds from commercial or semi-state sources

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons to
whom service is provided

- Lissycasey, Ennis, Co. Clare

- Kilrush Electoral Area

- Credit Union Members

Sub Offices:

- Ballynacally

- Kilmihil

- Kildysart

- Jefferson House, Eglinton
Road,
Donnybrook, Dublin 4.

- Clare Countywide

- Unemployed People
- Entrepreneurs who cannot
access funds from commercial
or semi-state sources

Irish Business and
Employers

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Confederation (IBEC Mid

Adrian Beatty
Regional Director

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limerick@ibec.ie

Web:
www.ibec.ie

- Representative body for business and employers
- Represents member policy requirements at county and regional level
- Advice to members on employment related issues

Irish Creamery Milk Suppliers Association (ICMSA)

John Enright

Tel: 061-314677

Fax: 061-315737

E-mail:
icsmsa@eircom.net

Web:
www.icmsa.ie

- National Representative Body for Farmers
- Deal with the problems of individual members
- Member of Social Partners
- County Executive lobby at local level

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons to
whom service is provided

- IBEC Mid West, Gardner
House, Bank Place, Charlotte
Quay, Limerick.

- Clare Countywide

- Owners/Managers

- Padraig Haugh, Clare
ICMSA County Secretary,
Crossbeg, Moyasta, Kilrush,
Co.Clare.
- Dublin Road, Limerick.

- Clare Countywide

- Farmers

Irish Farmers Association
(IFA)

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

William Dolan
Regional Development Officer

Tel: 061-314196

Fax: 061-317135

Web: www.ifa.ie

- Representational
- Lobbying
- Promoting the interests of farmers and the agricultural industry

ISME - Irish Small and Medium Enterprises Association

Jim Curran

Tel: 01-6622755

Fax: 01-6612157

E-mail: jim@isme.ie

Web: www.isme.ie

- Training and Information services to SMEs
- Acts as an independent voice for businesses

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons
to whom service is provided

- Irish Farm Centre, Bluebell,
Dublin 12.

- Clare Countywide

- Farmers: Full time & Part time

- IFA Office, 1 Church St.,
St. John's Square, Limerick.

- 17 Kildare St., Dublin 2.

- Clare Countywide

- Owners/Managers

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Tel: 065-9056141

E-mail: willkee@iol.ie

- Representational
- Promoting the interests of members
- Promoting the interests of Kilkee

Kilrush Credit Union Ltd

Michael Culligan

Tel: 065-9051242

Fax: 065-9052219

E-mail:
kilrushcu@eircom.net

- Loans
- Savings
- Foreign Exchange
- Insurance
- MABS
- Financial Advice

Shannon Credit Union Ltd

Tel: 061-362145

Fax: 061-362145

- Credit Union Services

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons
to whom service is provided

- Circular Road, Kilkee, Co.Clare

- Kilkee Town and its hinterland

- Businesses in Kilkee
- People interested in starting a
business in Kilkee

- Market Square, Kilrush,
Co.Clare

- Kilrush Electoral Area

- Members of Common
Bond Area

- Shannon Town Centre
Shannon, Co. Clare

- Shannon Electoral Area

- Credit Union Members covered
by Common Bond

Shannon & District Chamber
of Commerce

Nature of Services provided/
nature of Programmes

Eddie Ryan
Executive Officer

Tel: 061-360611

Fax: 061-360440

E-mail:

admin@shannonchamber.com

Web: www.shannonchamber.com

-Business industry representation

Tel: 061-471981
061-471304
065-6824022

Fax: 061-471953
065-6824457

E-mail: shannon@siptu.ie

- Committed to the achievement of economic and social progress for its members and for the country
- SIPTU represents workers in both the public and private sector in almost every industry in Ireland and at virtually every level
- SIPTU caters for full-time, part-time, permanent, contract and temporary workers, as well as retired and unemployed members.

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons
to whom service is provided

- Shannon Business Centre,
Shannon, Co. Clare

- Shannon Town and District

-Industry
-Local Government
-Retail

- Conroy Hall, Industrial Estate,
Shannon, Co. Clare

- Clare Countywide

- Workers in Public and Private
sector

- O Connell Street, Ennis

- Asylum-Seekers/ Immigrants

- People with Disabilities

- Liberty Hall, Dublin 2

- Early School Leavers

- Elderly/Senior Citizens

- Homeless People

- Unemployed People

- Women

- Young People

Small Firms Association (SFA) Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Tel: 01-6051500

Fax: 01-6612861

E-mail:
info@sfa.ie

Web:
www.sfa.ie

- Assistance to small firms
- Information and advice on a range of business issues including employment legislation
- Access to Group Schemes
- Publications
- Business Evenings
- Briefing Seminars
- Conferences

Tel:

- Clarecastle 065-6820411

- Newmarket-on-Fergus

061-368393

- Quin 065-6825009

Fax: 065-6820411

E-mail:
peterandpaul@eircom.net

- Credit Union Service: Savings, Loans, Insurances, Cash Management Advice

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons
to whom service is provided

- Confederation House,
84-86 Lower Baggot Street,
Dublin 2.

- Clare Countywide

- Owner Managers

- Barrack Street, Clarecastle,
Co. Clare
- Main Street, Newmarket-on-
Fergus, Co.Clare
- Main Street, Quin, Co.Clare

- Ennis Electoral Area
- Shannon Electoral Area

- General community in area
covered by Common Bond

State Sector

An Garda Siochána
Bord Bia
Bord Glas
Bord Iascaigh Mhara (BIM)
Carrefour Galway
CERT - State Tourism Training Agency
Clare Education Centre
Coillte Teoranta
County Clare VEC
Clare Adult Education Service (County Clare VEC)
Department of Agriculture, Food and Rural Development
Department of Social, Community & Family Affairs
(DSCFA)
FÁS - Training and Employment Authority
Galway EURO Info Centre
IDA Ireland
Irish Productivity Centre
The Limerick Food Centre
Limerick Institute of Technology (LIT)
Marine Institute
Mid-Western Health Board (MWHB)
Shannon Curriculum Development Centre
Shannon Development
The Shannon Regional Fisheries Board
Teagasc
Western Development Commission (WDC)

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An Garda Siochána

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Tel: 065 -6848100

- Police Service

Fax: 065-6848183

E-mail:

divoffice.ennis@eircom.net

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Chief Executive

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seamus.kenny@bordbia.ie

Web: www.bordbia.ie

- Promoting, assisting and developing the marketing of Irish food and livestock
- To champion the success of Irish food and drink
- To deliver effective and innovative market development, promotion and information services to secure new business for our clients

Bord Glas

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Fax: 01-6767347

E-mail: info@bordglas.ie

Web: www.bordglas.ie

- Develop, promote, facilitate, encourage, co-ordinate and assist the production, marketing and consumption of horticultural produce
- Maintain consumer confidence in horticultural produce
- Programmes for Quality Assurance, Business & Industry Development, Market Intelligence and Promotional Activities

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/
persons to whom service is provided

- Garda Station
Ennis,
Co. Clare
- Principal Locations: Kilrush,
Killaloe, Ennistymon,
Shannon plus 23 locations
throughout the County

- Clare Countywide

- Population as a whole

- Clanwilliam Court,
Ir. Mount St.,
Dublin 2

- Clare Countywide

- All food and drinks companies in
Ireland including those presently
exporting and those with a potential
to do so.

- 8-11 Ir Baggot Street,
Dublin 2

- Clare Countywide

- Owners/Managers of
horticultural enterprises

Bord Iascaigh Mhara (BIM)

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Tel: 01-2841544
Fax: 01-2841123
E-mail: library@bim.ie

- Development programmes in fisheries, aquaculture and farming for seafood industry
- Training in all aspects of the fishing industry

Carrefour Galway

Tel: 091-524411
Ext: 3042
Fax: 091-524130
E-mail:
caoilinn.orourke@nuigalway.ie
Web: www.nuigalway.ie/en/
carrefour

- Provides information on European matters and seeks to promote rural development in the West of Ireland

CERT - State Tourism Training Agency

Tel: 061-400610
Fax: 061-400615
E-mail: dean.panter@cert.ie
Web: www.cert.ie

- Hospitality and Tourism Training
- Programmes for the unemployed, school leavers and industry personnel
- In-company and external training programmes for tourism industry personnel

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co.
Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/
persons to whom service is provided

- P.O. Box 12,
Crofton Road,
Dun Laoghaire
Dublin

- Clare Countywide

- Fishermen and the general
public

- NUI Galway,
Department of Economics,
Galway

- Clare Countywide

- Individuals
- Community Groups
- Development Agencies

- Cert Training Centre,
Limerick Enterprise
Development Park,
Roxboro, Limerick
- Institute of Technology,
Limerick.

- Clare Countywide

- Young People
- Asylum Seekers/Immigrants
- People with Disabilities
- Early School Leavers
- Unemployed People
- Owners/Managers
- Women

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Tel: 065-6845500

Fax: 065-6842930

E-mail:
kennedyk@eircom.net

Web: clared.ennis.ie

- Inservice Education to 1st and 2nd level teachers
- ICT Training to the above and to the wider education community
- Corporate body under the Education Act
- Cater for the inservice needs of the State
- Management Training Education

Coillte Teoranta

Tel: 061-337322

Fax: 061-338271

E-mail: jim.dillon@coillte.ie

Web: www.coillte.ie

- Forestry Services
- Offer a range of services; farm partnership schemes, private planting services, Christmas tree farms etc.

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/
persons to whom service is provided

- Government Offices,
Kilrush Road,
Ennis,
Co.Clare

- Clare Countywide

- 1st and 2nd level teachers
- Boards of Management of
Schools
- Parent Associations
- Other Partner Bodies

- Drewsboro, Scariff, Co.Clare
- Leeson Lane, Dublin 2
- National Technological Park,
Limerick

- Clare Countywide

- Farmers with an interest
in tree planting

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Jim Lyons
Chief Executive Officer

Tel: 065-6828107

Fax: 065-6824928

E-mail: coclarevec@eircom.net

Web: clarevec.ennis.ie

- Provision and administration of V.E.C. Schools and Colleges
- Provision of 2nd Level programmes and Post Leaving Certificate Programmes
- Grants for Third Level Colleges
- Youth and Sports Grants
- Outdoor Education Courses
- V.E.C. Adult Education Service

Tel: 065-6824819

Fax: 065-6840515

E-mail: clonaded@iol.ie

Web: www.iol.ie/~clonaded

- Adult Education Services, VTOS, Youthreach, Adult Guidance, Enterprise Programmes, General Night Classes and Refugee Education Programmes and Traveller Education
- Adult Literacy
- Basic Education

Department of Agriculture, Food and Rural Development

Tel: 065-6866042

Fax: 065-6828150

E-mail:
paul.j.dunne@daff.irlgov.ie

- Bovine Disease Eradication
- Grants, Information & Advice
- Headage and Premia on livestock to farmers
- Grants for Capital Investment on Farms
- Rural Environmental Protection Scheme Grants
- Farm Retirement Scheme Grants

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/
persons to whom service is provided

- Station Road, Ennis, Co.Clare

- Clare Countywide

- 2nd level Students

- Adult & Community
Education Centre,
Clonroad Business Park,
Ennis,
Co. Clare

- Clare Countywide

- Low Literate Adults
- People with Disabilities
- Early School Leavers
- Asylum Seekers/ Immigrants
- Travellers
- Unemployed People
- Women & Young People

- Kilrush Road, Ennis, Co.Clare
- Kildare St., Dublin 2.

- Clare Countywide

- The Farming Community

Jim O Connor
Regional Manager
Regional Headquarters
Limerick.

Tel: 061-332315

Fax: 061-331955

E-mail :
swsmwro@iol.ie

Web:
www.dscfa.ie
www.welfare.ie

- Information and advice on social welfare entitlements
- Social Insurance Payments
- Social Assistance Payments
- Child & Treatment Benefit
- Benefits for Older People and Disabled
- Illness Payments
- Family Mediation Service
- Money, Advice and Budgeting Service
- Community Support for Older People
- Scheme of Grants for Training and Education
- Scheme of Grants to locally based Community Groups
- Scheme of Grants to Voluntary Organisations
- Community Development Programmes
- Free Schemes 1: Range of benefits principally for older people and people with disabilities
- Free Schemes 2: Free Schemes Fuel provided to unemployed persons.

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/ persons
to whom service is provided

- Regional Management Centre,
Block 2,
International Business Centre,
National Technological Park,
Plassey, Limerick.

- Kilrush Rd., Ennis
Tel: 065-6829899

- Main St., Tulla
Tel: 065-6835109

- Parliament St., Ennistymon
Tel: 065-7071117

- Vandeleur St., Kilrush
Tel: 065-905 1184

- 45 Moore Street, Kilrush
Tel: 065 905 1163

- Loughrea Rd., Gort
Tel: 091-631279

- PSO Sligo Tel: 071-69800

- DSCFA Longford Tel: 043-45211

- DSCFA Letterkenny Tel: 074-25566

- DSCFA Dublin Tel: 01-8748444

- Clare Countywide

- Older People

- Unemployed People

- People with Disabilities

- Travellers

- Families

- Women

- Children

- Communities

- Farmers

- Small Holders

- Voluntary & Community Groups

- Asylum Seekers/ Immigrants

- Employers

F`S - Training and Employment Authority

Nature of Services provided/ Nature of Programmes

Tel: 061-487975
061-487900

Fax: 061-472613
061-301992

Web: www.mw.fas.ie

- Specific Skills Training
- Apprenticeship Training, Traineeships
- Community Youth Training Programmes
- Community Training Workshops
- Community Response
- Linked Work Experience
- Job Training Scheme
- Training Support Scheme
- Construction Training Incentive Scheme
- Community Enterprise Programme
- Community Employment Scheme
- Job Initiative Scheme
- Jobstart
- Workplace

Galway EURO Info Centre

Tel: 091-562624

Fax: 091-561963

E-mail:

elaine@galwaychamber.com

Web:

www.galwaychamber.com

- European Information; we run programmes funded by the European Commission for the benefit of SME's

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/
persons to whom service is provided

- Shannon Training Centre,
Shannon Industrial Estate,
Clare.
- 42 Parnell St., Ennis
- Raheen Industrial Estate,
Limerick.

- Clare Countywide

- People with Disabilities
- Early School Leavers
- Travellers
- Unemployed People
- Owners/Managers
- Women
- Young People
- Asylum-Seekers/ Immigrants

- Galway Chamber of
Commerce & Industry,
Commerce House,
Merchants Road,
Galway

- Regional

- Owners/Managers
- People who work or own
small/medium sized
enterprises

IDA Ireland

Nature of Services provided/ Nature of Programmes

Tel: 061-468020
Fax: 061-468030
E-mail: ficna.reilly@ida.ie
Web: www.idaireland.com

- To win new investment projects into Ireland from overseas companies
- To stimulate and support expansion of the existing base of overseas subsidiaries in Ireland
- To achieve the most effective distribution of development across the country with a specific focus on the Border, Midlands and Western Regions

Tony Kenneally
Tel: 021-4800213
01-8227125
Fax: 021-4800201
01-8227116
E-mail: tonyk@ipc.ie
Web: www.ipc.ie

- Consultancy services in the areas of HR Development, Organisational Change, Productivity Improvement, Industrial Engineering, Benchmarking, Organisational Planning, Equality
- Environmental Management Services
- Assistance with R&D proposals - Ireland and EU

The Limerick Food Centre

Oliver Kehelly
Manager
Tel: 061-302033
Fax: 061-301172
E-mail: kehellyo@shannondev.ie
Web: www.shannondev.ie

- Supports for the Food Industry; start ups, existing food SMEs, Catering Sector
- Publication of Clare Good Food Circle; a guide to dining out in County Clare

Location from which service/ programme is provided in Co. Clare	Areas of County Clare Covered by service	Description of Clients/ persons to whom service is provid- ed
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 1st Floor, Chandler House, Henry Street, Limerick - Wilton Park House, Wilton Place, Dublin 2. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Clare Countywide 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Overseas Companies - IDA supported companies located in Ireland
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ground Floor, Block 4B-5, Blanchardstown Corporate Park, Blanchardstown, Dublin 15 - Industry House, Rossa Avenue, Bishopstown, Cork 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Clare Countywide 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Owners/Managers - Unemployed People
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Raheen Business Park, Limerick - Shannon Town Centre, Shannon 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Clare Countywide 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Owners/Managers of food companies/catering sector

Limerick Institute of Technology (LIT)

Nature of Services provided/ Nature of Programmes

Tel: 061-208208

Fax: 061-208209

E-mail:
information@lit.ie

Web:
www.lit.ie

- 3rd level education leading to Certificate, Diploma, Degree and Postgraduate awards
- Trade Apprenticeship programmes
- CERT Programmes
- Part time evening programmes

Marine Institute

Tel: 01-4766500

Fax: 01-4784988

E-mail:
institute.mail@marine.ie

Web:
www.marine.ie

- Develop the potential from the coast as a resource particularly in terms of marine tourism

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co.
Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/
persons to whom service is provided

- Moylish Park, Limerick
- Clare St., Limerick

- Clare Countywide

- Young people
 - Women
 - Mature students
 - Students from disadvantaged areas
 - Under-represented groups
-

- 80 Harcourt St., Dublin 2.

- Clare Countywide

- Owners/Managers
 - The Marine Tourism Sector
-

Tel: 065-6823155

Fax: 065-6843952

E-mail :
smcnulty@mwhb.ie

Web:
www.mwhb.ie

Acute Hospital Service: Ennis General Hospital

- General Surgery
- General Medicine
- Elderly Care
- Accident and Emergency
- Out-patients

Ambulance Service

Primary Care and Community Services

- General Practitioners
- Dental Services
- Ophthalmic Services
- Environmental Health Services
- Community Welfare Services
- Palliative Care Services
- Traveller Health
- Asylum Seekers

Child Health Services

Services for Older People

- Residential Services
- Day Services
- Day Centres
- Day Hospitals
- Home Help
- Carers Support Services
- Old Age Psychiatry

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/persons
to whom service is provided

- Catherine Street, Limerick
- Tobartaoscain, Ennis, Co.Clare

- Clare Countywide

- People with Disabilities
- Pre Childhood Education
- Early School Leavers
- Elderly/Senior Citizens
- Homeless people
- Travellers
- Unemployed People
- Women
- Young People
- Asylum-Seekers/ Immigrants

Child Care and Family Support
Service

Mental Health Services

- Acute
- In-patient
- Day Hospitals
- Day Centres
- Supports provided through
Voluntary and Community
Facilities

Physical and Sensory Disability
Service

Intellectual Disability Service

Health Promotion

Cervical Screening

Shannon Curriculum Development Centre

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Sheila O Driscoll
Director

Tel: 061-361993

Fax: 061-361151

E-mail:
sheila@shanncdc.ie

Web:
www.shanncdc.ie

- Educational programmes related to second level and second chance education

Shannon Development

John Quinlivan
Regional Development
Manager County Clare

Tel: 065-6820166

Fax: 065-6821234

E-mail:
quinlivanj@shannondev.ie

Web:
www.shannondev.ie

- Government Agency involved in Regional Development, Tourism and Enterprise

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co.

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/persons to
whom service is provided

- St. Patrick's Comprehensive
School, Shannon, Co.Clare

- Clare Countywide

- Early School Leavers
 - Elderly/Senior Citizens
 - Unemployed People
 - Young People
 - Second level teachers
 - Business People
 - Community Organisations
 - Education Centres
 - Colleges of Education
 - Vocational Training centres
 - Educational Community
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- Clare Business Centre,
Francis St., Ennis, Co.Clare
- Town Centre, Shannon,
Co. Clare

- Clare Countywide

- Entrepreneurs
 - Industry and Tourism
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The Shannon Regional Fisheries Board

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Eamon Cusack
Chief Executive

Tel: 061-455171

Fax: 061-326533

E-mail:
ncollins@shrfb.com

Web:
www.shannon-fishery-board.ie

- Protect, develop, conservation and management of inland fisheries resource

Teagasc

Tom Shanahan
Chief Agricultural Officer

Tel: 065-6828676

Fax: 065-6828301

E-mail:
t.shanahan@clare.teagasc.ie

Web: www.teagasc.ie

- Main Government Agency with responsibility for agricultural and food research, training and advice
- Central role in rural development and in furthering the development of the multifunctional role of farming in rural economy
- Regionally distributed network of research centres and agricultural colleges and county based advisory and training centres

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co.

Areas of County Clare
Covered by service

Description of Clients/persons
to whom service is provided

- Thomond Wier, Limerick

- Clare Countywide

- General Angling Sector

- Teagasc,
Station Road, Ennis, Co.Clare

- Agricultural Training Centres:
Ennis, Ennistymon, Scariff, Kilrush

- Research Centre: Kilmaley

- Clare Countywide

- Farmers
- Owners/Managers
- Women
- Young People

Western Development
Commission (WDC)

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Liam Scollan
Chief Executive Officer

Tel: 0907-61441

Fax: 0907-61443

E-mail:
info@wdc.ie

- Policy Development and Monitoring
- Regional Development Initiatives
- Manage the Western Investment Fund

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co.

Areas of County Clare

Description of Clients/ persons to
whom service is provided

- Dillon House,
Ballaghaderreen,
Co. Roscommon

- Clare Countywide
- Regional

- All groups are included in our
work; no specific target group

Community and Voluntary Sector

Accord

Brothers of Charity Services - County Clare

Cahercalla Community Hospital and Hospice

Caring for Carers Clare Branch

Clare Association of Artists and Craftworkers

Clarecare

Clare Citizens Information Service

Clare Community Forum (CCF)

Clare Environmental Alliance

Clare Haven Services

Clare Womens Network

Clare Youth Service

County Clare Reading and Writing Scheme

Disabled People of Clare Ltd. (DPOC)

Irish Countrywomens Association (ICA)

Irish Seed Saver Association Ltd. (ISSA)

Irish Wheelchair Association - Clare Branch

Rural Resettlement Irl.

St. Joseph's Training Centre

The Samaritans

Involving	the	people	of	County	Clare
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Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Tel: 1850-58-5000

E-mail:
accord.ennis@eircom.net

- Relationship Counselling for individuals and couples.
- Marriage Preparation Courses.

Brothers of Charity Services - County Clare

Tel: 065-6849400

Fax: 065-6846120

E-mail:
marykealy@bocclare.iol.ie

- Services to children and adults with an intellectual disability.

Cahercalla Community Hospital and Hospice

Tel: 065-6824388

Fax: 065-6841292

E-mail:
elaineprendergast@eircom.net

Web: cahercallach.ennis.ie

- Healthcare to people in County Clare.

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
covered by Service

Description of Clients/persons
to whom service is provided

- Accord, Ennis Centre,
Clarecare Building,
Harmony Row,
Ennis, Co.Clare.
- Accord, Nenagh Centre,
Loreto House, Kenyon St.,
Nenagh, Co. Tipperary.

- Clare Countywide
- Killaloe Diocese wide

- All couples seeking to marry in
a Catholic Church.
- Anyone with difficulty in their
relationship or marriage.

- Auburn , Ard na Greine,
Ennis, Co.Clare.

- Clare Countywide

- People with Intellectual
Disabilities.

- Cahercalla, Ennis, Co.Clare.

- Clare Countywide

- Elderly/Senior Citizens.

Caring for Carers Clare Branch

Nature of Services provided/ Nature of Programmes

Tel: 065-6866515
065-6821313
086-2469764

E-mail:
mcmahonm@iol.ie

Objective:

To promote the health, well-being and quality of life of family carers and those for whom they care within the context of the Carers Charter.

- Monthly meetings of Carers groups to address the needs of Carers.
- Administration of Respite Care Fund.
- Provision of Respite Care.
- Community/Hospitals Carers Liaison Programme.
- Carer's Clinic (by appointment).
- Provision of information and training programme.

Clare Association of Artists and Craftworkers

Tel: 065-6821730

E-mail:
deniseborge@hotmail.com

- Organisation of Craft/Art fairs and exhibitions
- Some educational/ workshop provision.

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
covered by Service

Description of Clients/persons
to whom service is provided

- Unit 3, Abbey Arcade,
Abbey St., Ennis, Co.Clare

Carers Groups:

- Ennis
- Ennistymon
- Kilnush
- Raheen
- Shannon
- Shannonside

Carers- people who provide ongoing care to dependent people within the home.

- Family Carers.
- Older People.
- People with Disabilities.
- People with long term illness.
- Young people with physical or learning disability.
- People who are terminally ill.

- Denise Borge, Secretary,
Hazelgrovearts ,
14 Hazelgrove,
Rosslevan, Ennis
Co. Clare

- Clare Countywide

- Craftworkers/Artists both professional and part-time

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Fr. Ger Nash
Director

Tel: 065-6828178

Fax: 065-6841310

- Home help service and home maker service to enable vulnerable elderly adults and other vulnerable families maintain a high quality of independent life at home.
- Social work and family support services including community childcare workers and community pre-school service.
- Adoption and service to single parents and their families.
- Residential Addiction treatment service.

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
covered by Service

Description of Clients/persons
to whom service is provided

- Harmony Row, Ennis, Co.Clare.

- Clare Countywide

- People with Disabilities
- Elderly/Senior Citizens
- Parents who need
external support

- Harmony Row, Ennis.

- Molua Centre, Killaloe.

- Resource Centre, Ballard Road,
Miltown Malbay.

- Community Office, Town Centre,
Shannon.

- Community Centre,
Toler St., Kilmush.

- Clare Countywide

- Pre-Childhood Education
- Early School Leavers.
- Elderly/Senior Citizens
- Homeless
- Travellers
- Women
- Young People
- A generic social work service
to all Clare residents

- Harmony Row, Ennis.

- Diocese of Killaloe

- Women
- Young People
- People who need assistance in
tracing reunions, foreign and
domestic adoption

- Bushypark House
Bushypark, Ennis.

- Regional

- Clare Countywide

- People with addictions to
alcohol, drugs or gambling

- Community Work Service.

- Clarecare Counselling Service.

- Meal Services to elderly and day care for young chronic sick,

- Money Advice and Budgeting Service; provided on behalf of
The Department of Social Community & Family Affairs
(DSCFA)

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
covered by Service

Description of Clients/persons
to whom service is provided

- Harmony Row, Ennis,
Co.Clare.

- Community Office,
Town Centre,
Shannon.

- Harmony Row, Ennis.
- Molua Centre, Killaloe.

- Community Centre,
Toler St., Kilrush.

- Resource Centre, Ballard Road,
Miltown Malbay.

- Community Office, Shannon.

- Meal Centre, Chapel Lane, Ennis.

- Holiday Home, Lahinch.

- Day Care Centre,
MacCauley House,
Spanish Point.

- Harmony Row, Ennis.

- Molua Centre, Killaloe.

- Community Centre,
Toler St., Kilrush.

- Health Centre, Shannon.

- Ennis Electoral Area

- Shannon Electoral Area

- Clare Countywide

- Clare Countywide

- Clare Countywide

- Women

- Unemployed People

- People who present with a
request for counselling
around any life issue

- Elderly/Senior Citizens

- Anyone with budgetary difficulty
or who may have debt

Paul Woulfe
Co-ordinator

Tel: 065-6841221

Fax: 065-6840372

E-mail:
citizensinfo@ennismail.ie

Web: cic.ennis.ie

- The service of the Citizens Information Centre is a free confidential and independent service.
- We provide information and advice on a wide range of services and entitlements including: Consumer Affairs, Education Opportunities, Employment Rights, Disability Information, Family Issues, Financial Matters, Health Services, Housing, Insurance, Justice, Rural Issues, Social Issues, Taxation, Travel and Communication and Local Voluntary Organisations.

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
covered by Service

Description of Clients/persons
to whom service is provided

- 44 Abbey Street, Ennis,
Co. Clare.

- Clare Countywide

- All individuals in Clare

- Unit 1, Business Centre,
Shannon Town Centre,
Shannon, Co. Clare.

Tel: 061-364704

- Scariff Citizens
Information Centre,
c/o East Clare Community Co-op.

Tel: 061-922927

- Outreach Service in Kilrush
every Monday at Glebe House,
Grace Street.

Tel: 065-9052798

Clare Community Forum (CCF)

Nature of Services provided/ Nature of Programmes

Tel: 065-68 46222

Fax: 065-68 29558

E-mail:

dceoff@clarecoco.ie

- A Countywide group representing representatives from all Community and Voluntary groups in the County.
- The CCF facilitates feedback to the Clare County Development Board from the representatives of the Community and Voluntary groups in the County.
- The CCF will help to identify and agree county-wide issues and proposals and develop integrated responses to the particular needs of the Community and Voluntary sector in Clare.
- The CCF will act as an effective network to enable the Community and Voluntary sector to meet and articulate common concerns.
- The CCF will develop proposals for the enhanced participation of the Community and Voluntary sector in various development initiatives.

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
covered by Service

Description of Clients/persons
to whom service is provided

The CCF has no fixed office.
Contact information is available
from the Clare County
Development Board

- Clare Countywide

The 25 members of the CCF are
drawn from the area based
Community and Voluntary
networks from the:

- North Clare Area Network
- West Clare Area Network
- Ennis Area Network
- Shannon Area Network
- East Clare Area Network

- Community and Voluntary
Groups in Clare
- Individuals in Clare

Clare Environmental Alliance

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Tel: 065-6843120
086-8336264

- Focus on issues that concern the environment in County Clare.
- Acts in an advisory capacity to all other organisations in the County in matters relating to the environment

Tel: 065-6842646
Fax: 065-6842646
Helpline Number:
065-6822435
E-mail:
chaven@eircom.net

- Provide a range of direct services to women and children who are victims of domestic violence including office based supports visits, out reach support visits, court accompaniment, support groups, referrals, Insight programmes. Emergency refuge accommodation in Ennis due to open and operate in Summer 2001.
- Education, Training and Awareness programmes for a variety of groups, schools, youth, community and statutory agencies.

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
covered by Service

Description of Clients/persons
to whom service is provided

- Cappahard House, Tulla Road,
Ennis, Co. Clare

- Clare Countywide

- Pre-School Education
- Owners/Managers
- Young People

- Clare Haven Services, Unit 3,
Riverview, New Road,
Ennis, Co.Clare.
- Support group in Shannon & Ennis
- Outreach programmes in Kilrush
and Ennistymon.
- Training/ Education programmes
in a variety of locations around
the county.
- Support visits at locations suitable
to women.

- Clare Countywide

- Women (over 18 years) victims
of domestic violence.

Clare Womens Network

Nature of Services provided/ Nature of Programmes

Tel: 065-6828731/6829388

Fax: 065-6828731

E-mail:

clarewomen@eircom.net

Web: clarewomen.ennis.ie

- Support women's groups and individual women in Clare by passing information to them and by organising events which they can attend.
- Facilitates and encourages the networking of Women's groups and individuals in the County.
- To empower women within the county by providing information to make choices in their lives.
- Organise local events etc. to increase the awareness and understanding about issues directly affecting women's lives.
- To reduce the isolation felt by women in rural areas.
- Drop in service on Thursdays from 10am to 1pm.
- Playgroup on Wednesdays from 10.30am to 12.30pm at St.

Tel: 065-6824137

Fax: 065-6829416

E-mail:

cys@cys.ennis.ie

- Assist the holistic development of young people and those who work with them so they are enabled to participate fully in society.
- Education & Training (IAS, LCA, NCVA) of young people.
- Training programmes on community employment.
- Full Information Service.
- Youth Work provision to young people.

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
covered by Service

Description of Clients/persons to
whom service is provided

- 2 Bank Place, Ennis,
Co.Clare

- Clare Countywide

- Women
 - Asylum-Seekers/ Immigrants
 - People with Disabilities
 - Travellers
 - Widows
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- Carmody St., Ennis, Co.Clare

- Clare Countywide

- Young People and those who
work with them.

County Clare Reading and Writing Scheme

Nature of Services provided/ Nature of Programmes

Tel: 065-6824819
065-6841183

Fax: 065-6840515

E-mail:
crws@eircom.net

- Adult Basic Education; Adult literacy, Numeracy, Family learning,
English as a second language, Basic computers,
Certified/Non Certified Courses.

Disabled People of Clare Ltd. (DPOC)

Dermot Hayes
Manager

Tel: 065-6843488
065-6843979

Mobile Number:
086-3157591

Fax: 065-6843576

E-mail:
dpoclare@eircom.net

Web:
dpoc.ennis.ie

- Person centred approach which puts people with disability first.
- Recognises that we know best our own needs, desires, hopes, fears and expectations.
- Affirms that people with disabilities can and do articulate our own case
- Promotes empowerment, choice, participation, action, consultation and working together.
- Promotes people with disabilities as consumers with civil rights.
- Independent living skills for people with disabilities.
- Provides personal assistance
- Active Arts Group
- Plays an active role in Local Government Planning
- Has representatives on the Board of the Local Employment Service (LES) and of the Citizens Information Centre
- On a National level, DPOC are on the Board of Independent Living Networks (ILN) and of the Disabled Federation of Ireland
- Provide transport service, meeting rooms and disability awareness

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co. Clare

Areas of County Clare
covered by Service

Description of Clients/persons to
whom service is provided

- County Clare VEC,
Adult Education Centre,
Clonroad Business Park,
Ennis, Co. Clare.
- In a number of locations
within the County.

- Clare Countywide

- Adults of all ages and back-
grounds who wish to
develop their literacy,
numeracy and communication
skills.

- Clonroad Business Park,
Clonroad, Ennis, Co.Clare

- Clare Countywide

- People with physical and
sensory disabilities and their
families

Irish Countrywomens Association (ICA)

Nature of Services provided/ Nature of Programmes

Tel: 065-7071105
01-6680453

E-mail:
alomamckay@eircom.net

Web:
www.ica.ie

- The ICA is community based, providing services for women in the areas of health, drama, education, rural development, personal development, arts and crafts.
- We provide a counselling service for members and their families
- Demonstrations on arts and crafts.
- Talks on a variety of topics.
- Organisation of Courses e.g. health, public speaking, self-assertiveness.

Irish Seed Saver Association Ltd. (ISSA)

Bridget Carlin

Tel: 061-921866

Fax: 061-921397

E-mail:
Issa@esatclear.ie

- Education: We offer talks to schools, gardening groups etc on issues such as gardening, seed saving and Ireland's agricultural heritage.
- Sell native Irish apple trees.
- Offer an orchard maintenance and restoration service.
- Supply members with seeds from native Irish and endangered varieties of fruit, grain and vegetables.

Location from which service/
programme is provided in county Clare

Areas of County Clare
covered by Service

Description of Clients/persons
to whom service is provided

- No of fice.
- Clare Federation ICA President,
Aloma McKay, Deerpark Middle,
Ennistymon, Co. Clare.
- I.C.A. Central Of fice,
58 Merrion Road, Dublin 4.
- Adult Education College, An
Grianan, Termonfechin,
Drogheda, Co. Louth
(041-9822119).
- College of Horticulture,
Termonfechin, Drogheda,
Co. Louth (041-9822158).

- Clare Countywide

- Women of all ages
- Membership is open to
women over 16 years of age
- ICA has 32 Guilds in Clare
with 515 members
- At National level, ICA has
18,000 members

- Capparoo, Scariff, Co. Clare

- Clare Countywide

- Anyone interested in
growing food or vegetables

Irish Wheelchair Association
- Clare Branch

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Tel: 065-6844150
065-6843270

Fax: 065-6843208

E-mail:
eiwa@eircom.net

Web:
www.iwa.ie

- Resource Centre
- MAATS Programme (Monitoring, Advice, Assessment, Tuition-Instructor car available).
- Wheelchair Hire/Sales/Repair.
- Information and Advice.
- Parent Support Group.
- Transport.
- Personal Assistance: Home Care Attendant Scheme.
- Peer Counselling.
- To achieve the full social, economic and educational integration of people with disability as equal and independent and participative members within the general community.
- Deliver direct services, such as information, independent living apartments, transport, wheelchairs, respite breaks etc., to people with disabilities.
- Influence change by representing the issues which prevent people with disabilities from participating as full and equal citizens in society; this involves issues such as lobbying the Government and public agencies

Location from which service/programme is provided in Co. Clare

Area(s) of County Clare covered by Service

Description of Clients/persons to whom service is provided

- Unit B2, Centrepoint Orchard Lane, Ennis, Co.Clare

- Aras Chuchulain, Blackheath Drive, Clontarf, Dublin 3.

- Clare Countywide

- People with Disabilities

Nature of Services provided/
Nature of Programmes

Tel: 065-9058034

Fax: 065-9058242

E-mail:
mi@iol.ie

Web: www.mi.ie

- Seek to arrest rural depopulation by resettling families from urban to rural areas.
- Advice and services to families moving and who have moved to rural counties from urban areas.

St. Joseph's Training Centre

Tel: 065-6822922

Fax: 065-6840633

E-mail:
stjosephstc.ennis@eircom.net

Web: travellers.ennis.ie

- Education and Training
- Youth Work Provision
- Craft Shop

The Samaritans

Tel: 065-6829777

E-mail:
edjennings.ennis@tinet.ie

- Offers a 24 hour a day 365 days a year telephone service that provides confidential non judgmental support to people with a personal crisis.

Location from which service/
programme is provided in Co.Clare

Areas of County Clare
covered by Service

Description of Clients/persons to
whom service is provided

- Kilbaha, Kilrush, Co.Clare.

- Clare Countywide

- Unemployed People.
- Young People.
- Employed families who
want to resettle.

- Gort Rd., Industrial Estate,
Ennis, Co. Clare.

- Ennis Electoral Area

- Travellers aged 15+.

- Kilrush Rd., Ennis, Co.Clare.

- Clare Countywide

- All individuals in Clare



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