

Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech and Language Therapy, Cognitive Therapy, Music Therapy, and Trauma Therapy are all part of an inclusive rehab programme.

Our Pledge

We are a voice for those whose severe Acquired Brain Injury (sABI) has seriously challenged their ability to advocate for themselves.

We will afford every opportunity to people with a severe Acquired Brain Injury (sABI) to live their life with dignity and respect, to continue to improve, to regain as much independence and self-determination as possible and for their injuries to heal, supported by adequate therapies.

Leave no one behind.

An Saol Foundation

The An Saol Foundation was established in 2014 to provide adequate and ongoing support to people with a severe Acquired Brain Injury (sABI). It is a registered charity and a Company Limited by Guarantee. The Foundation received its initial funding through a generous donation from the parents of Sara Walsh (\$\frac{1}{4}\$ 2015) and has since received financial support from various fundraising activities, donations and funded projects. The Foundation operates from its headquarters in Dublin and delivers its services in Dublin and beyond. The services are designed to help persons with sABI who no longer have acute medical needs, as well as to provide support and information for families and friends. To achieve its goals, the Foundation promotes awareness about sABI and neurological rehabilitation, supports research, delivers neurological rehabilitation services, raises funds. and engages in related support activities. The Foundation runs the An Saol Project which is co-funded by the Health Service Executive (HSE).

An Saol Foundation
Carmichael House
North Brunswick Street
Dublin 7
info@ansaol.ie
www.ansaol.ie
https://www.facebook.com/AnSaolFoundation/



Registered in Ireland as An Saol Foundation Company Limited by Guarantee – Company no. 553113. Registered Office: 13 Classon House, Dundrum Business Park, Dundrum, Dublin 14. Operating Address:
Carmichael House, North Brunswick Street, Dublin 7,
A Registered Charity – CHY21684 and registered with the Charities Regulator – Charity Number 20149796.
Directors: T. Jewtushenko, M. McLaughlin, N. McMahon, G. McNally (Chair),
M. Phelan. Company Secretary: R. Schaler. CEO: R. Schaler



An Saol Project



What is the An Saol Project?

- This three-year pilot programme is run by the An Saol Foundation and is co-funded by the Health Service Executive (HSE). At its core is a day-care centre for a small group of persons with sABI, offering an intensive and inclusive neurological rehabilitation programme, informed by best international practice.
- The Project connects the practice with the most recent international research which suggests that demanding physical and mental activity does seem to help patients regain function.
- The Project prepares the ground for the development of a permanent space for life and living for persons with sABI.



Participation, integration, and equality are core values directing the work of the Centre.

The Centre offers access to state of the art robotic walking equipment and collaborates with the national and international scientific research community.



What type of support is available?

Continuous, Specialised Neurorehabilitation Therapies

Physio, Occupational, Speech and Language, Cognitive, Music Therapy, etc.

Committed Family Support Programmes

Five-day Day Care Centre (home care services may be considered)

Expert Leadership/Qualified Therapists

International Monitoring and Guidance

« Let us reaffirm our commitment to work together for a better world that is inclusive, equitable and sustainable for everyone, where the rights of people with disabilities are fully realized. »

- António Guterres, UN Secretary General

« The UN's 2030 Agenda pledges to "leave no one behind" in a world where the dignity of an individual person and equality among all is applied as the fundamental principle. »

— United Nations 2030 Agenda

How can I join?

- The service is for persons who are medically stable but not independent enough to avail of services offered by other organisations.
- Expressions of Interest will be reviewed by the Admissions Committee who will then make contact with you.
- Request Expression of Interest forms by email or telephone from the An Saol Foundation.
- Forms to be received, by post, on or before 07 January 2019 to be considered for the first group of clients.

What you will have to contribute

- Full commitment to the programme
- Dedicated family support