

Modern Day Slavery Statement

York CVS is committed to meeting the aims of the Modern Slavery Act 2015. We oppose slavery and human trafficking in our supply chains and in any part of our organisation. We are an organisation that we feel is trusted to do the right thing and we would never knowingly engage with suppliers or contractors involved with slavery and human trafficking.

We are aware of the potential for modern slavery in our operation. We check all employees to be sure they have a right to work in the UK and pay them at the living wage.

We procure very few goods for our operation as we are more about service delivery but that which is purchased, we aim to be from suppliers who comply with the Modern Slavery Act. Our Safeguarding Policy also refers to modern slavery and all staff are trained to look out for signs of modern slavery and know the reporting procedures.

We will continue to review our operation and stand against modern slavery. To enforce our commitment and knowledge our CEO is a member of the Modern Slavery Partnership Board. This is organised by the North Yorkshire Police. We share good practice on modern slavery to the sector as part of our training offer and communications to the voluntary, community and social enterprise (VCSE) sector. We are in the process of forming a partnership with the British Anti-Slavery Network (BASNET).