

# WHO IS THE POSITIVE CONNECTION TO?

THE COMMUNITY

RELIGION, CULTURE & SPIRITUALITY

THE PERSON WHO HAS DIED  
(continuing bonds theory)

PROFESSIONALS WHO CAN HELP THEM

FAMILY & FRIENDS

THEMSELVES  
(and their feelings / needs and wellbeing)

## FULL CIRCLE

### THE PURPOSE WE ARE WORKING TOWARDS

PURPOSE

People are able to participate in funeral events which focus on relationships and connection thereby supporting wellbeing

#### Key Definition

Funeral events that promote positive connections- the opportunity to identify and engage in emotional labour and ritual which allows people to form a safe and trusting relationship or bond.

PURPOSE

### THESE OUTCOMES ARE KEY TO ACHIEVING OUR PURPOSE

OUTCOMES

People understand and communicate what they need to support their wellbeing through the bereavement and funeral process (death literacy)

OUTCOMES

Funerals are meaningful and encourage positive bonds and connections

OUTCOMES

Dying and bereavement networks of care focus on relationships and wellbeing

OUTCOMES

#### Key Definition

Dying and bereavement care pathway - all professionals work together and with individuals and their communities to understand and deliver good care after bereavement.

### HOW WE DO IT

ACTIVITIES

Be accessible as active members of our communities

Participate in community events that provide opportunities for people to talk about bereavement and funerals

Create events to help people talk about funerals

ACTIVITIES

Support people to create meaningful funerals which encourage positive bonds and connections

Make information about funerals to promote connection accessible to everyone

ACTIVITIES

Gather evidence base to better understand how funeral care promotes good connections

Share evidence to promote better practice and inform more research and policy

Share vision of full bereavement care pathway with other health and social care professionals by hosting workshops and learning events

ACTIVITIES

### THESE ARE OUR FOUNDATIONS

FOUNDATIONS

FUNERAL WISHES OF PERSON WHO HAS DIED

FOUNDATIONS

PHYSICAL CARE AFTER DEATH

FOUNDATIONS

THE TEAM

FOUNDATIONS

REFLECTIVE PRACTICE

FOUNDATIONS

RESEARCH AND LEARNING

FOUNDATIONS

COMMUNITY

FOUNDATIONS

CARE FOR OUR PLANET

FOUNDATIONS