

Clan Beo is in the 'Individualized Life' business

Clan Beo is a leader in the 'Individualized Life' business working with people who live with a disability so they can live a self-directed life in their own homes.

We work with one person at a time to discover interests and strengths so they can forge a unique, meaningful contribution in a community they choose to belong to.

By supporting a person build a practical personal network and community connections they, along with friends, control how best to use resources and funding supports they are entitled to.

Here's the problem

1. ***Isolated Lives*** - People are living for longer sometimes hidden in the community and often in institutions
2. ***The human & social cost of this separation*** - is not sustainable for a person, their family, the state
3. ***Service provision is based on what agencies can do*** - and not what people choose, want, or need
4. ***Institutions find it hard to break from a legacy of interdependency*** - they are seen as the owners of a duty of care for the person who is 'placed with them' and where relationships are not equal or reciprocal

Clan Beo works with a person to support them

- *Build relationships with the important people they choose to have in their lives*
- *Make valued connections with people they share a common passion with*
- *Create a space called home where they are comfortable and feel that they belong and are safe*
- *Discover what they can contribute and take practical steps towards realising their potential*

Clan Beo deals with the problem by

- a. ***Creating a circle of friends*** around a person that is based on mutual respect and trust
- b. ***Supporting a person take responsibility*** for choosing how they want to be supported living their life
- c. Sharing ***responsibility with community*** to make space for the contribution of each citizen
- d. Discovering their ***deepest desire as the starting point*** for where the energy around them will be directed
- e. Working with a person and their close personal allies to ***create an optimum of individualized support***
- f. ***Providing training to people and organisations*** so that they can support individualized approaches

Clan Beo is different because we work with one person at a time. We work with people to expand their idea of the choices they have available to them. A person generates those choices along with their own people in the community and in the place they call home.

CLAN – Means something more than family alone, **BEO** – Means live, alive, or vibrant