



Care Leavers' network Europe Recommendations





1. All the rights (CRC) need to become real for EVERY child (even for children in care) in every country of Europe.





2. Every child in care, even if they have disabilities, is entitled to a choice between vocational education and university.





3. Countries should provide free and available medical care for care leavers.





4. All the process of entering and living in the care system across Europe should encourage, when possible, but never force, relationships with the birth-family.





5. Free legal support should be available for care leavers, especially regarding documents and identity.





6. For each child in care, some financial security and access to savings should be provided when they are in care and after.





7. Safe and secure accommodation should be ensured after care.





8. The preparation for autonomy should start as soon as each individual is ready for it.





9. Trainings should be compulsory and regular on trauma attachment, mental health and rights of the children for professionals, foster carers and children in care.





10. Every country should have policies on childhood.





These recommendations were drafted by
178 care leavers from seven different
European countries.

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