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Kicking-off - there is a problem



For children it is worse at

in 4

and is predicted to reach 29% by 2024

And if you live within 10 miles of an SPFL stadium you're

more likely to experience poverty



Without action the Scottish Government predicts poverty levels will rise to 38% by 2030-31



Men (26 years) and women (22 years) have a shorter healthy life expectancy in the most deprived areas of Scotland, compared to the most affluent. 63%

Unemployment increases the risk of premature death by 63% (even after taking lifestyle factors such as smoking and obesity into account)





At SCQF Level 5, the attainment gap between most deprived and least deprived was almost 21% and at SCQF Level 6 36% (2019-20)

Suicide rates are

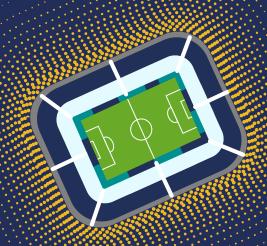
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higher in most deprived communities

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At the SPFL Trust we believe change can be Football Powered - and that we can do even more in the future

SPFL grounds are shining lights in communities, charged with an energy that goes way beyond the ball, glorious goals, memorable wins and history-defining trophies.



Introducing Jane & Steven

This is Jane. She couldn't care less about football, and had never stepped foot in her local SPFL ground.

However, when she learnt about Football Fans in Training, she decided to give it a go because other weight loss programmes hadn't worked for her.

Jane hasn't looked back since, making new friends and becoming fitter, healthier, and happier!



Lost 3.5kg

Delivered at

24 clubs Steven is a big football supporter. He's got a season ticket, buys the new shirt, and even has a day out in hospitality from time to time. He loves the fitba.

Unfortunately, Steven's struggled with poor mental health in recent years.

Taking part in The Changing Room at 'his' club has helped him build new skills to cope better, as well as finding companionship.





What we're going to do

its impact

impact of

poverty

Our new strategy is about reducing the impact of poverty, enabling our network to create places where people can thrive.

But we've got much to learn, and so we'll use the next three years to understand how best Scottish football can make a difference.



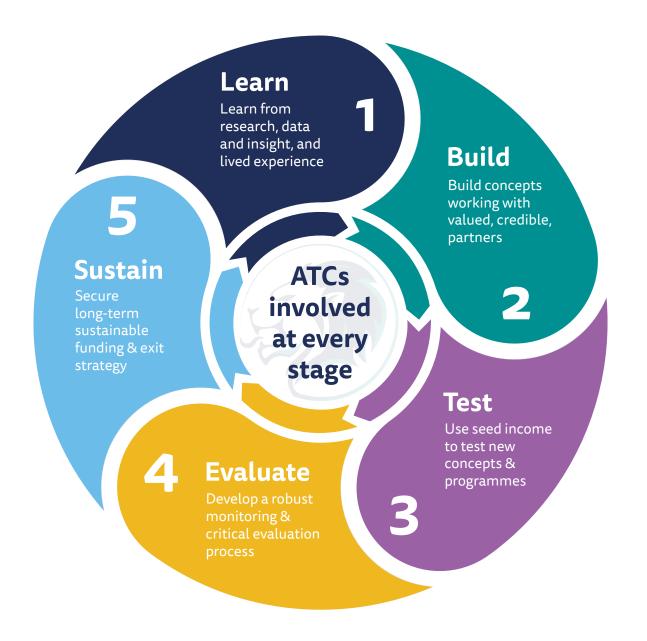
We'll prioritise Health & Wellbeing and **Employment** & Attainment

new activities

development programme

strategic partnerships and SPFL clubs can be agents for social change

We will use our five part approach



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