

Dear prospective member,

I hope this letter finds you well.

It is with great enthusiasm that I invite you to join our group here at the Restorative Justice APPG's Advisory Board.

I firmly believe that your participation can affect and shape Restorative Justice policy in the UK.

Following the election, all APPGs are in the process of being re-formed, making this an exciting time to join us. The Restorative Justice All-Party Parliamentary Group was formed in April 2021 to drive forward cross-party conversations on restorative justice and raise awareness about its principles. The goals of the APPG are threefold:

- To examine the use of restorative justice principles within the UK justice system and beyond
- To raise the profile of restorative justice principles within Parliament
- To provide opportunities for policy discussion and consultation

The Restorative Justice APPG was one of the first to be re-formed following the 2024 General Election, and your participation is crucial as we embark on this exciting journey. As a self-funded group your work, together with cross-party parliamentarians, will help deliver Restorative Justice and restorative practice throughout the UK.

The Restorative Justice All-Party Parliamentary Group is proudly supported by several leading groups involved in Restorative Justice across the United Kingdom. This Advisory Board provides strategic counsel and support to the APPG, along with contributions towards the running costs of the APPG. We are always keen to add to new perspectives to the Advisory Board, especially in the areas of health and education and from the various nations and regions of the UK.

I wholeheartedly encourage you to join us in our mission. Your expertise will undoubtedly enhance our collective capacity to make a lasting difference in our community and the nation.

Warm regards,
Gavin Robinson
Chairman, All Party Parliamentary Group on Restorative Justice