

## **Youth Bank**

“Angel in My Street” is an established initiative that sees an on-the-ground advocate working in and around the most disadvantaged areas of the Stoke and Richmond Communities.

Our Community Liaison, Kay Guyton assists local residents with employment services, educational courses, community work and health services.

Over the last year Kay has been able to increase the scope of her work to running a “youth bank” from her vehicle. This unique programme, which runs along the lines of a food bank, sees Kay maintaining a supply of basic hygiene items in the back of her vehicle.

Items such as sanitary pads and tampons, deodorant, soap, shampoo & conditioner, toilet paper, shaving foam and razors. Things that most of us take for granted.

In the Communities Angel in My Street works in there isn't always enough money in the home for basic hygiene items.

Some local businesses have been very generous in donating goods and Kay tries to keep a supply on hand in our “youth bank” but this is always an area of need.