

Home Talk Referral to The Early Intervention Speech and Language Service for children aged 2-2½ years

Please follow Nottinghamshire's Integrated SLCN Pathway to ensure you are referring the child to the service that best meets their needs. Completed forms need to be sent to Early Intervention Speech and Language Team, c/o Ashfield Health and Wellbeing Centre, Portland Street, Kirkby in Ashfield Notts NG17 7AE or by e mail to L4L@nottshc.nhs.uk
PLEASE PASSWORD PROTECT E-MAILED REFERRALS, SENDING PASSWORD BY TEXT TO 07788386264.



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Attach reports/tracking information if available

*SURNAME		Contact for Healthy Families Team - name, email and phone number (if known)	
*FIRST NAME		GP name, practice and practice phone number (if known)	
*DOB		Hearing test date if known	
*MALE/FEMALE Please circle	Male Female	Result if known	
		*Other agencies involved with names where known	
*CHILD'S ADDRESS		*Name of Referrer	
		*Referrer's organisation	
		*Postal address of referrer	
PARENT'S E-MAIL ADDRESS		*E mail address of referrer	
		*Phone number of referrer	
*POSTCODE		*Consent: I give consent for my child to be referred to the Home Talk Service. I understand that the person working with my child will need to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - keep information on paper/computer - share information with others who are working with him/her to support my child's progress. 	
*TELEPHONE NUMBERS			
*LANGUAGES SPOKEN AT HOME			
*PARENT/CARER NAME		*Signed _____ Date _____ * parent / professional on behalf of parent (when parental verbal consent given) (please circle) *Professional Title _____ (where signed by a professional confirming parents have given verbal permission)	
*SCHOOL/SETTING		ALL SECTIONS MARKED * SHOULD BE COMPLETED to ensure that we provide the best possible support for children and families. Please contact us if we can help support you with this referral, using the contact details above.	

PLEASE ALSO COMPLETE DETAILS OVERLEAF AS FULLY AS POSSIBLE.

PLEASE USE LANGUAGE FOR LIFE ADVICE AND SOCIAL MEDIA TO SUPPORT PARENTS AND CHILD NOW. YOU DO NOT NEED TO WAIT FOR THIS REFERRAL TO DO THIS. SEE

<https://www.nottinghamshirehealthcare.nhs.uk/lfl-how-you-can-help> <https://www.nottinghamshirehealthcare.nhs.uk/lfl-what-i-can-do>



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YOU CAN ALSO PROVIDE PARENTS WITH INFORMATION ABOUT [HOME TALK](#) by clicking this link.

Please give a description of your concerns for this child in the following areas:

<p>Attention & listening</p>		<p>Understanding spoken language (including understanding of everyday words like body parts or names of common animals/understanding of simple instructions e.g. "go and wash your hands"/understanding of simple questions e.g. "where has the dog gone?"</p> <p>NB: Children who have difficulties with understanding require more specialist support. They should be referred to Children's Specialist Speech and Language Therapy. Details can be found at https://www.nottinghamshirehealthcare.nhs.uk/speech-and-language-therapy-children</p>	
<p>Using spoken language (including single words, putting words together, talking in sentences)</p> <p>Please state how many single words the child is using that have meaning</p> <p><i>Please check SLCN pathway guidance to ensure the child meets the criteria for Home Talk.</i></p>		<p>Speech sound development (including sounds that are difficult to say and general intelligibility)</p>	
<p>Social skills (interacting with others)</p> <p>NB: Children who have difficulties with social communication skills require more specialist support. They should be referred to Children's Specialist Speech and Language Therapy – details above.</p>		<p>Stammering/fluency</p>	
<p>Voice (including frequent harsh, husky or loss of voice quality) NB: Children who have ongoing difficulties with the sound of their voice require more specialist support. They should be referred to Children's Specialist Speech and Language Therapy – details above</p>		<p>Eating & drinking NB: Children who have difficulties with eating and drinking require more specialist support. They should be referred to Children's Specialist Speech and Language Therapy – details above.</p>	

*** IS THE REFERRER AWARE OF ANY SAFETY ISSUES FOR A WORKER MAKING A HOME VISIT ALONE? Please specify....**