

Children with Disabilities

Description

Service Description

The Integrated Services for children and young people with disabilities provide services for children who have severe learning and/or physical disabilities, children within the autistic spectrum and children who have a multi-sensory impairment.

The CWD Team is part of the Integrated Service and works with families. Services are regularly reviewed to ensure that they are meeting the needs of young people and their families.

The team can arrange practical support, personal care in the home, short breaks, direct payments, counselling and residential services and can also put carers in touch with other specialist organisations.

Following an assessment, the team will look at what kind of support can be offered. This might include:

- health services such as speech, occupational therapy or physiotherapy
- help with understanding your child's needs and feelings as well as yours
- parenting support
- carers needs
- short breaks
- behaviour and sleep management

To request an assessment of a child with a disability and in need of targeted or specialist support, contact the team on 020 7364 2724. Referrals can also be made to the team by professionals working with children and young people with disabilities.

Personal Care - in order to receive personal care services from the CWD team, or payments which will allow families to purchase their own personal care, families need to contact the team for an assessment. An assessment will determine if children with disabilities need:

- Personal assistance with dressing and moving around.
- Personal hygiene: help with showering, bathing, hair washing, oral hygiene.
- Food and diet: assistance with eating food.
- Medical treatment: help with taking medication.
- Continence movement: help with toileting, skin care, bed changing.

Suitable for ages

Age of Users

From **0 years** to **18 years**

Costs

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Free

Questions & Answers

Can Families Self-Refer To The Service?

Yes

Do You Have Child Protection Policies And Procedures

Yes

Eligibility - Can The Service Be Accessed By Extended Family Members Or Carers

Yes

Is There A Waiting List?

No

Registered For 2 Year Old Grant

No

Further Information

Provider Type

Children With Disabilities |
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Suitable For

Downs Syndrome | Visual Impairment |
Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) |
Complex Needs | Epilepsy |
Multi-Sensory Impairment (MSI) |
Physical Disability |
Profound & Multiple Learning Difficulties (PMLD) |
Severe Learning Difficulty (SLD) |
Long Term Medical Conditions |

Delivery Channels

Office / Premises | Schools |
Home Visit Case Work |

Referral Criteria

None (Self-referral) |
Via Social Care Professional |

Provider

Contact Details

Telephone No

020 7364 2724

Website

[http://www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/lgnl/health__social_care/disabilities/c ...](http://www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/lgnl/health__social_care/disabilities/c...)

Email Address

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Address Details

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Postcode

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Opening Times

Monday	from 09:00	to 17:00
Tuesday	from 09:00	to 17:00
Wednesday	from 09:00	to 17:00
Thursday	from 09:00	to 17:00
Friday	from 09:00	to 17:00

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Similar Organisations

Children With Disabilities (CWD) Team

Discovery Home

Qalb Befriending

Coram Voice

Short Breaks (Discovery Home)