

Local Authority Disabled Children's Charter

We will make sure that in our authority...



- We know how many disabled children live in our area and we plan services to meet their needs.



- There is one person in the council in charge of services for disabled children and their families.



- There is clear information for parents about services in the local area.



- There is information available about how decisions about services are made. Families are able to tell the council what they like and don't like about services.



- Disabled children and their families are included in creating all services for disabled children in our area.



- The Council and Parent Carer Forum work together to create and review services in our area.



- The Council includes disabled children and young people in any decisions made about them.



- There is a Parent Partnership Service available in the local area. This gives parents help and information.



- All staff have had basic training so they can work with disabled children.



- The council has a statement about short breaks in the local area. This is created by the council working together with disabled children and their families. The statement is easy to access.



- We think about childcare for disabled children, when we look at childcare in our local area.



- We work with local disabled young people and adult services to make sure disabled young people have a smooth transition to adult services.

Signed

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