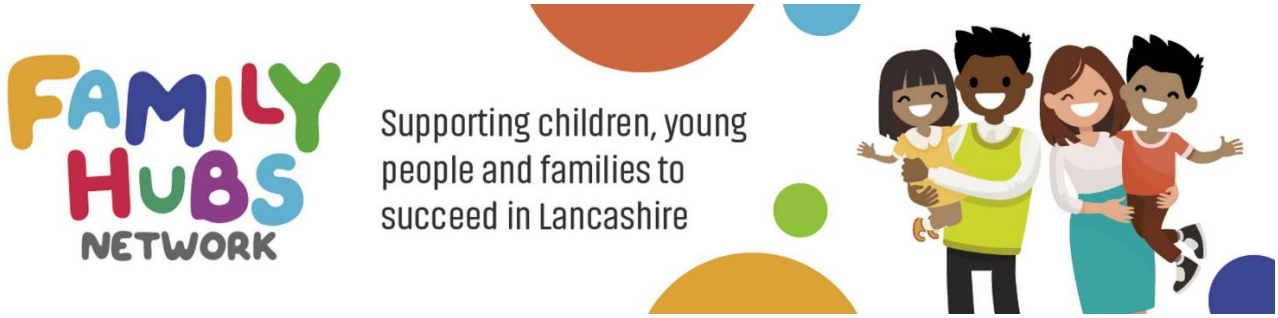


Lancashire Family Hubs Network

Find support for you and your family from local services both in person and online.

Support is available for all stages of family life, from pregnancy through to 19 years old or 25 for those with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND).

Families can access a wide range of services at Family Hubs, such as:

- midwife and health visitor appointments
- groups for expectant mums and dads
- counselling for families
- baby feeding advice
- SEND support groups and advice

Our network and partners

We are working together with partner organisations like the NHS or schools to provide you with the help you need, without having to repeat yourself to lots of different people**.** **Find out more about our network and partners.**

Lancashire County Council Events

Talkzone

Everyday (2:00pm to 10:00pm) between 14/04/2026 and 31/03/2027

Details : Talkzone has been providing confidential advice and support to children and young people in Lancashire for 30 years.

We are just a text, web chat or phone call away for anyone aged 0-19 or up to 25 if you have a learning difficulty or disability.

Parents, carers and professionals can also contact us if they are struggling to support a child or young person.

Telephone helpline 0800 51 11 11

Text message 07786 51 11 11

Email talkzone@lancashire.gov.uk

Online chat https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/youthzone/get-in-touch/

Unite (SEND) Youth Group - Chorley

Every Monday (Multiple sessions available between 6:30pm and 8:30pm) between 12/01/2026 and 19/12/2026

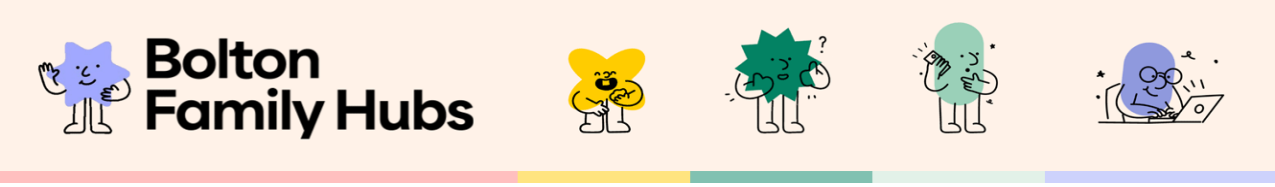
Details: This group welcomes teenagers and supports them to build their confidence and self-esteem, develop life skills and independence as well as helping with social/communication skills. Discussions on current topics affecting young people, games, 1-1 support in breakout rooms, socialisation.

These will; Provide a safe space to meet with friends, make new friends and connect Offer lots of fun activities, Provide support from Youth Workers who are there to support and listen to you, Give opportunities to share your ideas for projects, Offer holiday activities and trips and visits for you to access

To Contact: chorleyfamilyhub@lancashire.gov.uk



Bolton



Bolton Family Hubs and Start Well Centres are places where families with children under the age of five years and beyond can share the joys and challenges of parenthood. They offer a range of activities & integrated support services to help you with every aspect of parenting, so your child gets the best possible start in life.

Bolton's SEND Local Offer

The Local Offer provides a single point for information to help families in Bolton access details about services available to them, and offer guidance in multiple areas, such as:

- Early years places
- Schools (including academies and free schools)
- Colleges
- Health and social care
- Leisure activities

The Bolton SEND Local Offer website also includes guidance for parents when they need to speak with practitioners and professionals, and information on giving feedback, raising concerns, and making complaints.

Wigan



Family Hubs are a new way of bringing together all the support a family may need, from pregnancy through to young people turning 19 (or 25 if they have a Special Educational Need or Disability (SEND).

Family hubs will operate as a network of services within your neighbourhood to provide accessible and connected services and support to all families.

These services will work together to provide high quality support for the whole family, so that children, young people, and families will get the right help at the right time.

How can Family Hubs help me?

There are a variety of ways our Family Hub network can support you including:

- Health Visiting, Midwifery and antenatal appointments and classes
- Activities for babies and children aged 0-5
- Support advice and guidance for families of children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities
- A range of housing advice and support including homelessness, help with affordability and tenancy arrangements
- Help with debt and money worries including access to food parcels/pantries
- Ways to improve whole family physical and mental health and wellbeing
- Parenting support, advice, and guidance
- Help to build, strengthen and maintain healthy relationships including learning opportunities
- Activities, opportunities, and support for young people

To find out more about Wigan's Family Hubs: Family Hubs

Blackpool SEND Local Offer

Information about what is available in Blackpool for children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities, and their families.

Latest events in SEND

The Blackpool SEND partnership and other services around the town host a number of events throughout the year for social activities, training and networking.

For more information, see the SEND events calendar.

Neu Way Support

Launch of new support service for families of children and young people with neurodevelopmental needs. We are delighted to inform you that from 6 July, families across Lancashire and South Cumbria will be able to access Neu Way Support, a new service for families of children and young people aged 0 to 25 who may have autism, ADHD or other neurodevelopmental differences. The service is available based on need, which means you do not need a diagnosis to get
support.
Neu Way Support is available for families of children and young people aged 0 to 25 who:

- Have concerns about autism, ADHD or other neurodevelopmental differences
- Are waiting for an assessment
- Have recently received a diagnosis
- Would benefit from information, advice or support to help navigate services

Neu Way Support, Spring North website

Have a question?

If you have any questions or can't find what you're looking for, email us. We welcome your feedback and ideas about how we can improve the Blackpool SEND Local Offer for its users. Email local.offer@blackpool.gov.uk

Blackburn with Darwen - Family Hubs and Children's Centres

Our Family Hubs and Children's Centres are here to support parents and carers

In Blackburn with Darwen we believe that the first 1,001 days are a critical time for babies, and their parents and carers. A healthy pregnancy sets up the unborn baby for a healthy life, and pregnancy changes life for parents, carers and the family around them.

Our aim is to provide seamless support for families with voluntary, community, health and council services working together.

Our Start for Life offer will contain the services that are available to parents and carers in the first 1,001 critical days, and information on how parents and carers can access them. We will deliver these services through our Family Hubs and Children's Centres:

- Family Hub Darwen
- Family Hub Little Harwood
- Family Hub Livesey
- Family Hub Shadsworth
- Audley and Children's Centre
- Hancock Street Children's Centre
- Higher Croft Children's Centre
- Wensley Fold Children's Centre

You can also visit our Family Hub online website, which has lots of help and information for parents and carers.

By sharing resources and working together, we can ensure families receive the services they need. Parents will feel supported and part their communities accessing help they need without barriers.

This shared and integrated Early Help approach will mean:

- co-ordinated services resulting in healthy, happy babies and young children who are well attached to resilient and confident caregivers
- healthy, happy children and young people progressing through their education. Developing emotional resilience, social skills and positive aspirations
- young adults in appropriate education, training or employment, in stable relationships and with living skills that make them healthy and independent

Welcome | Family Hubs

Warrington

Services for children and families of all ages

There are 7 Family Hubs in Warrington (formerly called Children's Centres) which offer a variety of integrated health, wellbeing, universal and targeted support and early learning activities for children, young people and their families. Family Hubs are a one-stop shop for a variety of services for children and families of all ages, with a focus on services from conception to age five, helping every child get the best start in life and be ready to achieve a good level of development when they start school.

Family hubs

Bring services together to improve access

Improve the connections between families, professionals and services

Put relationships at the heart of family support

Family hubs ensure that local families can access the right support, at the right time, in the right place, with the right people.

Services vary at each family hub, but may include:

Speech and language programmes

Parenting courses

Citizens advice, Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) and housing

Outreach services at local libraries and community venues

Warrington's family hubs are in 3 areas:

East

Sandy Lane Family Hub, Sandy Lane, Orford, WA2 9HY - 01925 443444 (option 1)

Hilden Road, Hilden Road, Padgate, WA2 0JP - 01925 443444 (option 1)

Admirals Road, Admirals Road, Birchwood, WA3 6QG - 01925 443444 (option 1)

South

Tinsley Street Family Hub, Tinsley Street, Latchford, WA4 1RE - 01925 443444 (option 2)

O'Leary Street Family Hub, O'Leary Street, Orford, WA2 7RQ - 01925 443444 (option 2)

West

Boulting Avenue Family Hub, Boulting Avenue, Dallam, WA5 0JG - 01925 443444 (option 3)

Barnes Close Family Hub, Barnes Close, Great Sankey, WA5 1SB - 01925 443444 (option 3)

Visit the Facebook page to find out what's on at your local family hub.

SEND Support in Warrington

We provide a wide range of support to children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) and their families.This is achieved by working in partnership with parents, carers, children, schools and other agencies such as health, social care and the voluntary sector.

A number of significant changes have taken place to the way that services for children with SEND are identified, assessed and supported, which you can view in the Children and Families Act 2014.

One of the requirements of the new legislation was to develop a local offer which describes the services and provision that are available for families and children and young people with SEND and/or disabilities. Our local offer, is a one-stop shop of SEND information, with a directory of local and national services to support children and young people with additional needs, and their families.

SEND information, advice and support service

If you are concerned about your child's progress or would like some independent information and advice, then you can visit our Warrington SENDIASS (SEND Information, Advice and Support Service) Warrington SENDIASS | warrington.gov.uk

Halton:

Halton Family hubs provide a single place to go for face-to-face support and information from a variety of services. The tailored range of services offered by family hubs across Halton will vary but many include activities for children under 5, midwifery, health visiting, infant feeding advice, parenting classes and perinatal mental health support.

Across all of our family hubs, we aim to provide support to parents and carers so they are able to nurture their babies and children, improving health and education outcomes for all

You can get support from a family hub if you’re a parent or carer of a child aged 0 to 19, or 25 with special educational needs or a disability, you’re pregnant, or you’re a young person up to the age of 19, or up to 25 with special educational needs or a disability.