## Name of service/organisation:

## Children's Community Learning Disability Nursing Team (Kirklees)

**Description:** The service follows a referral procedure which includes a screening process to ensure the right service is supporting the child and family. They are able to visit in the family home at an agreed time and/or in other settings if necessary. The frequency of the visits is determined after consultation during the initial visit. The team works, Monday to Friday 9am-5pm.

The Learning Disability Nurses provide holistic advice and support regarding the following areas: Assessing Need; Challenging Behaviour; Child Development; Communication; Continence; Epilepsy; Family Support; Health Screening and Promotion; Medication management; Prevention of Health Problems; Sensory Impairment; Skills Development; Sleep Advice and Assessment; Puberty and Growing Up.

Referrals can be accepted from; Health professionals Schools Social Care

All referral forms must be completed in writing, you can request a form by contacting our direct line number.

Intended for: Children and young people from newborn to their 18th

birthday, diagnosed with a learning disability, living in Kirklees.

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