



Parental Advocacy Staffordshire

If your child is subject to a Child in Need or Child Protection Plan and you struggle to understand the process, information or with attending meetings you may be able to access Advocacy. Referrals are made by a Social Worker.

Advocates can:

- ensure your views are heard and your rights are upheld
- support understanding social care/legal documents
- share your options and support you to make decisions
- help you take part in meetings about your child
- support you to challenge decisions.

Eligibility criteria

- having a child/children open to Staffordshire Local Authority's Children's Social Care Team and the child is in 'Child in Need', 'Child Protection' or 'Care Proceedings' stages
- 25+ with a diagnosed Special Educational Need and/or disability (SEND) who had an EHCP or SEND statement in place until the end of formal education
- undergone a cognitive/capacity assessment indicating they lack capacity to advocate for themselves.

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