

Specialist Nurse Trainers for Children with Disabilities

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We are nurses with qualifications in children's nursing. We have a range of experience in caring for children with disabilities in the community, school and hospital settings.

We work with children from birth to the age of 19 years.

Our aim is to support children with a disability and additional physical health needs in a variety of settings by providing training and support for their carers. A referral to our service is required for carers to be able to access the appropriate training.

Unfortunately we are unable to offer help for children with ADHD, behavioural problems or other non-physical health needs.

Occasionally students may accompany us on our visits, if you feel that this will be a problem please contact one of the team.

Consent

In order to work with the people who provide care for your child we will need a referral to our service and also you (the parent or guardian) will need to sign a Consent Form.

Please be assured that all information is treated confidentially and records which we hold will be retained as per United Lincolnshire Hospitals NHS Trust policies and comply with GDPR and the Data Protection Act 2018.

Available Training

Training is available but not limited to:

Antegrade Continence Enema (ACE)

Anaphylaxis & Autoinjector Pens (not for school)

Administration of buccal Midazolam

Epilepsy Awareness

Febrile Convulsions

Gastrostomy Feeding

Hydrocephalus & Shunt Awareness

Intermittent Self Catheterisation/

Intermittent Catheterisation by Carer

Long-term ventilation (CPAP/BIPAP)

Nasogastric Feeding

Nasopharyngeal Suction

Oxygen Use

Administration of rectal Diazepam

Administration of rectal Paraldehyde

Oral Suction

Catheterisation via Mitrofanoff

Tracheostomy Care

Stoma Care

Summary of Service

We are available:

Monday to Friday: 9.00am to 5.00pm

Training is provided following a full referral to the service. Please contact the office to discuss your requirements and for a referral form.

Training/visits can be arranged outside of these hours with prior arrangement all year round including school holidays. We will try to be as flexible as possible.

We are happy to liaise with other professionals as required.

Contact Details

Our Contact Details are:

Office at St Francis School

01522 521186 (direct line)

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