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Parent Advocacy Service



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Advocates explain
things to me in
different ways to
make sure I
understand

Having an advocate
makes people treat
me with respect

My advocate
knows when
the way I am
being treated
is wrong





Many parents with learning difficulties need help to speak up for themselves.

An advocate is independent. This means they are separate from services. We can help you to think about what is being said and what you would like to say. We can help you to speak up in meetings or we can speak for you.



We can help when professionals say there is a problem with how you are being a parent.



The Child Protection system is to make sure children are safe and looked after properly.



Parents can get involved



? We can help you to understand what is being said about your family in reports or at meetings.



We can also help you with:

Filling in forms



Making telephone calls

Money and benefits



Finding family support

Family court



Going to meetings about your family

Housing



Making complaints

Listening to you and not judging you

