

Sefton Family Hubs



Our Timetable
Support. Grow. Thrive.

Sefton Family Hubs

Our Family Hubs, Your Family Hubs

Our Family Hubs are open Monday-Friday 9am-5pm for anyone to drop in and speak to one of the team. They host sessions delivered by our Early Help team and our partners.

We know that family life has its challenges; our Family Hubs are place to come when you need a chat, a cuppa and some advice and support. We are here to support you and your family.

Our Timetables

Our timetables set out what is on offer in our hubs, make sure to keep an eye out as we add new sessions to support our families in Sefton. We run some sessions as drop ins and some are bookable by emailing the hub, details at the bottom of each timetable.

We host casual tea and toast sessions throughout the week at all our Hubs but if you are ever passing and think we could offer you some help or you need some advice, just drop in, there will always be someone around to help. We can help with foodbank vouchers, warmer homes items, free sanitary products and vitamins for pregnant people and little ones so just come in and find some support if you need it.

Make sure to look out for special events that aren't in our usual timetable. Check the website and social media for half term special events and fun days around Easter, Halloween and Christmas!

Sefton Family Hubs

What do we offer at Family Hubs?

Family Hub sessions are inclusive and supportive and aim to help families with issues they may be experiencing or provide a space to meet other parents and make connections in their communities.

Our Universal sessions are open to all interested. Programmes within the universal offer are designed to cater to people from all walks of life, providing opportunities to speak to professionals, hub workers and other members of the community. We provide drop-in sessions for general advice, guidance, and/or activities, as well as appointment-led sessions for 1-1 support.

Targeted Group Programmes are available to those who have been given a referral from a professional. Our targeted programmes cover a range of themes and aim to provide more in depth support for those who need it.

We have a 'Virtual Hub' online with useful advice, links, resources, videos and support for those who wish to find support that way. You can also find us on social media on Facebook and Instagram where we post fun content from our Hubs and advertise special one off events and family fun days.

At the back of this brochure, you will find a breakdown by age of all our universal and targeted sessions with a brief description for each one about what is involved, you can also find this online at

www.sefton.gov.uk/familyhubs

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Morning

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

11am - 1pm
Caring Dads
Targeted Group
Referrals only
through Brighter
Kinder Futures -
brighterkinderfutures
@seton.gov.uk

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

9am - 12pm
Well Baby Clinic
Appointment Only

9am - 12:30pm
PCN ACE's
Targeted Group
Referral only

10:30am - 12pm
Chatter Time
Referral only
Starting in June

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

12pm-2pm
Cancer Navigator
Closed Group

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

10am - 12pm
Riding the Rapids -
Primary
Referral only

9am-7pm
PCN ACE's
Targeted Group
Referral only

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

10am-11:30am
Little Explorers (0-4)
Drop-in

Afternoon

Caradoc Road, Seaforth L21 4NB | 0151 286 7807 | Seftonfamilyhubdeliveryteam@sefton.gov.uk

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Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Morning

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

Healing Together 1-1
Targeted Group
Referral only

9:30am - 11am
Tea & Toast
Drop-in

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

9am - 5pm
Venus
Targeted Group

Healing Together 1-1
Targeted Group Referral only

9:30am - 11am
Youth Connect 5 Transition
Targeted Group Referral only
Starting in June

9:30am - 12pm
DWP Advice
Targeted Group

10am - 12pm
Incredible Years Course
Targeted Group Referral only

10am - 12pm
Riding the Rapids
Targeted Group Referral only

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

9am - 5pm
Venus
Targeted Group

Healing Together 1-1
Targeted Group

9am - 5pm
PCN ACE's
Targeted Group
Referral only

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

9am - 5pm
Venus
Targeted Group

Healing Together 1-1
Targeted Group

9am - 5pm
CAHM's PCN
Targeted Group

9:30am - 12pm
Perinatal Group
Targeted Group

10am - 12pm
Households into Work
Appointment Only

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

9am - 5pm
Venus
Targeted Group

Healing Together 1-1
Targeted Group

9am - 10am
Tea & Toast
Drop-in

Linacre Lane, Bootle L20 5A@ | 0151 330 5260 | Seftonfamilyhubdeliveryteam@sefton.gov.uk

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Afternoon

1pm - 4pm
Career Connect
Targeted Group
Referral only

1pm - 2:30pm
Little Chefs
Referral Only
Starting June

5pm - 8pm
Parent Carer Forum
Virtual Session

1:30pm - 2:30pm
Baby Rhyme Time
Drop-in

3pm - 5pm
Art Attack
Ages 8 - 11
Referral only

5pm - 8pm
CGL M Pact Programme
Targeted Group

1pm - 2pm
Baby Massage
Referral Only
Starting in June

1pm - 3pm
Volunteer Programme
Targeted Group

12:30pm - 2pm
Perinatal Group
Targeted Group
Referral only

6pm - 8pm
Caring Dads
Targeted Group
Referrals only
through Brighter
Kinder Futures -
brighterkinderfuture
s@seton.gov.uk

1:30pm - 3pm
Peep
Targeted Group
Referral only
Starting in June

Virtual Offer
Information, Advice,
and Guidance

Breastfeeding
Support

Parent Carer Panel

Linacre Lane, Bootle L20 5A© | 0151 330 5260 | Seftonfamilyhubdeliveryteam@sefton.gov.uk

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Morning

9am - 5pm
Family Advice &
Guidance

Drop-in

9:30am - 2:30pm
Sefton Parent Carers
Forum

Term time drop-in

9am - 5pm
Family Advice &
Guidance

Drop-in

9:30am - 7pm
PCN ACE's
Targeted Group
Referral only

9am - 5pm
Family Advice &
Guidance

Drop-in

9am - 5pm
Family Advice &
Guidance

Drop-in

9am - 5pm
Family Advice &
Guidance

Drop-in

9:30am-2:30pm
Sefton Parent Carers
Forum

Term time drop-in

Afternoon

10am - 11:30am
Little Explorers (0-4)
Drop-in

12:30pm-2:30pm
ACE's
Targeted Group
Referral only

Cambridge Road, Bootle, L20 9L© | 0151 282 5436 | Seftonfamilyhubdeliveryteam@sefton.gov.uk

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Morning

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

10am - 11:30am
Little Explorers (0-3 years)
Drop-in

Draw & Talk
1-1 Session
Targeted Session
Referral only

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

10am - 12pm
Riding the Rapids (Primary)
Targeted Group
Referral only

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

9am - 5pm
IAPT
1-1 Session
Appointment Only

11:30am - 1:30pm
PACE's
Targeted Group

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

9am - 3pm
Midwife Clinic
Appointment Only

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

9:30am - 11:30am
Peep Programme
Referral Only
Starting in June

Afternoon

1pm - 5pm
C-Card
Drop-in

6pm - 8pm
Caring Dads
Targeted Group
Referrals only through
Brighter Kinder Futures -
brighterkinderfutures@seto.gov.uk

12:30pm - 3pm
ACES (Male)
Targeted Group Referral only
Starting in September

1pm - 4pm
Baby Weigh-in Clinic
Appointment Only

5pm - 8pm
Aiming High
Closed Group

12:30pm - 2pm
Trinity Wellness
Drop-in

1pm - 3pm
Baby Massage
Referral Only
Starting in June

1:30pm - 3pm
Volunteer Programme
Targeted Group

12pm - 2:30pm
ACES (Female)
Targeted Group
Referral only

5pm - 8pm
Parent Carer Forum
Online Twilight
Session

Virtual Offer
Information, Advice and
Guidance

Breastfeeding support

Parent Carer Panel

Boundary Road, Litherland, L21 7LA | 0151 288 6661 | Seftonfamilyhubdeliveryteam@sefton.gov.uk

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Morning

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance

Healing Together 1-1
Targeted Group
Referral only

10:30am - 11:30am
Baby Massage
Referral Only
Starting in June

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance

Healing Together 1-1
Targeted Group Referral only

9:30am - 11am
Tea and Toast Drop-in

9:30am - 11am
Youth Connect 5
Referral Only
Starting in June

10am - 11:30am
Sefton Carers Drop-in

9am - 5pm
Family Advice &
Guidance

Healing Together 1-1
Targeted Group
Referral only

10am - 12pm
SWACA Drop-in

1pm - 2:30pm
Youth Connect 5 (Transitions)
Referral Only
Starting in June

1pm-4pm
Baby Weigh-in Clinic
Appointment only
Booking Required

1:30pm - 3pm
Baby Explorers
Drop-in

9am - 5pm
Family Advice & Guidance

Healing Together 1-1
Targeted Group
Referral only

9:30am - 11am
Tea and Toast Drop-in

10am - 12pm
Little Chefs
Referral Only

Starting in June

1pm - 2:30pm
Chatter Time
Referral Only
Starting in June

1pm - 3pm
DWP Drop-in

5pm - 8pm
Parent Carer Forum
Online Twilight Session

9am - 5pm
Family Advice &
Guidance

Healing Together 1-1
Targeted Group
Referral only

10am - 1pm
Households into Work
Fortnightly Drop-in

Virtual Offer
Information, Advice
and Guidance

Breastfeeding support

Parent Carer Panel

Afternoon

3:30pm - 5pm
Art Attack
Ages 8 - 11
Drop-in

12pm - 4pm
Sefton Carers 1-1
Appointment Only

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Morning

All Day
Venus 1-1
Therapeutic Session
Appointment Only

NVR Group
Mental Health Support
Team (MHST)
Appointment Only
Starts 29/1/25

10am - 11:30am
Understanding
Challenging
Behaviour with MHST
Targeted Group
Starts 6/3/25

All Day
Venus 1-1
Therapeutic Session
Appointment Only

MHST 1-1 Sessions
Appointment Only

Early Help
Therapeutic Team
1-1 Sessions
Appointment Only

All Day
Venus 1-1
Therapeutic Session
Appointment Only

MHST 1-1 Sessions
Appointment Only

All Day
Venus 1-1
Therapeutic Session
Appointment Only

MHST 1-1 Sessions
Appointment Only

10am - 12pm
Riding the Rapids
with VENUS
Targeted Group

All Day
Venus 1-1
Therapeutic Session
Appointment Only

MHST 1-1 Sessions
Appointment Only

Afternoon

3pm-5pm
DBT Group (CAMHS)
Targeted group

Stannyfield Drive, Thornton, L23 1TY | 0151 934 4991 | Thornton.FWC@sefton.gov.uk

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Morning

9:30am - 12pm
Family Advice and
Guidance
Drop-in

Children's
Continence Nurse
Appointment Only

9:30am-11:30am
Sefton Community
Learning
Call us to book

9:30am - 5pm
Healthy Start
Vitamins

9:30am - 12pm
Family Advice and
Guidance
Drop-in

11am - 12pm
Relax Kidz
Call us to book

10:30am-12pm
Drawing and Talking
Call us to book

Midwife
Appointment
Book through your
GP

9:15am – 10:15am
Coffee Morning -
Chill and Chat

10:30am - 12pm
Riding the Rapids
Targeted Group
Referral Only

Afternoon

1pm - 2pm
ELSA Sessions
Call us to book

3:30pm – 5pm
Tiger Hill Playground
Drop-in Play Session

Moorhey Road, Maghull. L31 5LE | 0151 526 1568 | enquiries@hudsonprimary.co.uk

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Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Morning

9:30am - 11:30am
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

9am - 5pm
Volunteer Programme
Targeted Group

9:15am - 11:15am
Parent Carer Forum
Drop-in

9:30am - 11:30am
Family Advice &
Guidance
Drop-in

9:30am - 11:30pm
Henry Programme
Referral Only
Booking via Health
Visitors

9:30am - 11:30am
Family Advice &
Guidance
Drop-in

10am - 12pm
Sefton Parents/Carers
Group Coffee Morning
Last Wednesday of the
month, drop-in

9:30am - 11:30am
Family Advice &
Guidance
Drop-in

10am - 12pm
Little Chefs
Referral Only
Starting in September

9:30am - 11:30am
Family Advice & Guidance
Drop-in

9:30am - 11am
Baby Clinic
By appointment only via
Health Visitors @ Canning
Road Methodist Church,
PR9 7SS

Afternoon

9am - 3pm
Sefton Welfare Rights
Appointment Only
Enquiries to
welfare.rights@sefton.gov.uk

1pm - 2:30pm
Little Explorers
For ages 0-4
Drop-in

1pm - 5pm
Family Law Advice
Appointment Only

6pm - 8pm
Caring Dads
Targeted Group
Referrals only through
Brighter Kinder Futures -
brighterkinderfutures@seton.gov.uk

10am - 12pm
Careers Connect
Drop-in (16-18)

12:30pm - 5pm
Sefton Parent Carers
1-1 Drop-in

1pm - 3pm
Baby Clinic
By appointment only via
Health Visitors

1pm - 3pm
DWP (Department of
Working Pensions)
Drop-in

9:30am - 11am
Sefton Breastfeeding
Support Group @ Canning
Road Methodist Church,
PR9 7SS

Virtual Offer

Information, Advice, and
Guidance

Breastfeeding Support

Parent Carer Panel

St. Andrews Place, Southport, PR8 1HR | 01704534975 | Seftonfamilyhubdeliveryteam@sefton.gov.uk

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Morning

9:30am - 11:30am
Youth Connect 5
Referral Only
Starting in June

10:30am - 11:30am
Baby Massage
Referral Only
Starting in June

9:15am - 10:15am
Tea and Toast
Drop-in

10am - 12pm
Riding the Rapids
Targeted Group

10am - 12pm
ACES
Targeted Group Referral
only
Starting in June

Phoenix Healing CIC
Freedom Programme
By appointment via 07368
686 730

12pm - 5pm
Midwives - Stop Smoking in
Pregnancy
Appointment Only

1pm - 5pm
Parent Carer Panel
Online Twilight Session

9:15am - 10:15am
Tea and Toast
Drop-in

10am - 12pm
Riding the Rapids
Targeted Group
Referral only

Virtual Offer

Information, Advice,
and Guidance

Breastfeeding
Support

Parent Carer Panel

Afternoon

12pm-2pm
SWACA for Men
1-1 Drop-in

1:30pm-2:30pm
Chatter Time
Referral Only
Starting in June

1pm - 3pm
Peep Programme
Referral Only
Starting in June

5:30pm - 7:30pm
Riding the Rapids
Targeted Group
Online

103 Linaker Street, Southport, PR8 5D© | 0151 288 6765 | Seftonfamilyhubdeliveryteam@sefton.gov.uk

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Morning

9:30am - 10am &
10:15am - 11am
Toddler Rhyme Time at
Birkdale Hub Station
Master's House - call to
book

10:10am & 11:10am
Bloom Baby
Sessions run on 28/4, 12/5,
19/5

Call 07967813074 to book

9:30am - 10:15am
Jo Jingles
For 18m - 3yrs

10:45am - 11:30am
Jo Jingles
For 3m - 18m

29/4 - 20/5 - £24 (4wks)
3/6 - 15/7 - £42 (7wks)
Facilitated by partners
Booking Required

9:30am - 10:10am
Dancing Songbirds
For 18m-3yrs
Drop-in

10:30am - 11am
Baby Rhyme Time
For birth to crawling
Drop-in

9am - 11:30am
Positive Parenting
Course
Booking Required

Sessions run 13/6 - 4/7

Afternoon

1:30pm-2:30pm
Baby Yoga
For 6 - 12 month olds
Facilitated by partners
£10 Booking Required

Sessions run 28/4, 12/5,
19/5, 16/6, 7/7

1pm-3pm
Baby Weigh-in
Book with your Health
Visitor

1:30pm - 2:15pm
Bookworms!
For 18 months +
Booking Required

1:30pm - 2:30pm
Baby Massage
For 6wks - 6m
Facilitated by partners
£10 Booking Required

3- week course
9/5 - 23/5

4- week course
13/6 - 4/7

Farnborough Road Infant School | 01704 572 579 | c.horton.fs@schools.sefton.gov.uk

Sefton Family Hubs

First Steps Family Hubs

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Morning

10am - 11am
Little Treasures
For birth to crawling
Drop-in

9:30am - 11:30am
Life's for Living Sefton
(Children)
Session runs on 25/6
Booking required

10am - 12pm
Life's for Living Sefton
(Adults)
Sessions run on 11/6 & 9/7
Booking required

10:30am - 11:30am
Little Chefs
For 2 - 5 year olds
Facilitated by partners
Booking Required

£12 for a 5-week course
25/4 - 23/5

£15 for a 6-week course
6/6 - 11/7

Afternoon

1pm - 2pm
Baby Weigh-in
Book with your Health
Visitor

1:30pm-2:30pm
Top Tots
For 18 months +
Drop-in

Saturday

10am - 12pm
Dad's Club

Sessions run on the
following dates:
3/5, 17/5, 31/5, 14/6,
28/6, 12/7

Kings Meadow Primary School | 01704 571606 | c.horton.fs@schools.sefton.gov.uk

Sefton Family Hubs

Universal Sessions

Bumps, Babies and Little Ones 0-5: Support For All

Baby Ballet

Join us at one of our baby ballet sessions where you and your baby can expect a fun dance program, designed to explore physical movement through storytelling and music. Booking required.

Baby Explorers

A fun, stimulating and interactive reading and play session for children. Story makers will support your child's communication, language, and literacy development, with sessions giving you an opportunity to build on the fun in reading at home. 1 hour 30-minute sessions.

Baby Massage

Baby Massage is a 6-week programme that aims to promote attachment between baby and caregiver through infant massage, eye contact, talking to your baby and understanding the needs of your baby. The course is suitable for babies who have had their routine hip check and up to pre-crawling. Baby massage also has benefits for babies such as, improving sleep, enhancing bonding and attachment, aids digestion and strengthens the immune system. Booking required.

Baby Weighing Clinic

Parents must book their baby in with the HV team on 0151-247-6354 for an appointment.

Sefton Family Hubs

Universal Sessions

Bumps, Babies and Little Ones 0-5: Support For All

Baby Yoga (Farnborough)

Yoga with your baby to help with nurturing and bonding. Exercises promote balance, co-ordination and motor skills. Suitable for children aged 6 months - 12 months. Courses are 4 weeks in length. Booking required.

Bloom Baby (Farnborough)

Highly interactive, multi-sensory baby classes for children aged 6 weeks -15 months. Contact Eleanor on 07967813074 for more information and to book.

Bookworms! (Farnborough)

A 4-week course of discovering books and reading with your little one. 18 months + Booking Required.

Breastfeeding Support

Breastfeeding offers benefits for mother and baby, including enhanced immunity and improved digestion as the antibodies in breastmilk are created especially for your baby, it helps reduced risks of various illnesses and diseases for baby with these benefits lasting into adulthood, preventing many illness for the mother too. Breastfeeding also promotes bonding and attachment vital for babies' brain development as well as encourages muscle strength to support speech and language development. And its free and convenient!

Sefton Family Hubs

Universal Sessions

Bumps, Babies and Little Ones 0-5: Support For All

Chatter Time

The course will support parents and carers with their early learning and development. The focus will be based on 4 key elements opportunity, recognition, interaction and modelling. Supports personal, social, health, physical and emotional development with a focus on communication, language, early literacy and early maths. The programme is aimed at families with children under 4 years old. The course will develop and support a child's early speech, language and communication skills.

Dancing Songbirds (Farnborough)

Join Aimie for a morning full of dancing, singing and rhymes with your baby. Suitable for toddlers aged 18 months – 3 years old. Booking required.

Henry Programme

Support session for fussy eaters, help with stating your baby on solids and understanding behaviour. Closed group.

Jo Jingles (Farnborough)

Join Fran for a fun-filled music and movement session with your baby. Booking required.

Sefton Family Hubs

Universal Sessions

Bumps, Babies and Little Ones 0-5: Support For All

Little Chefs

The course will support parents and carers with their early learning and development. The focus will be based on 4 key elements opportunity, recognition, interaction and modelling. Supports personal, social, health, physical and emotional development with a focus on communication, language, early literacy and early maths. A fun and interactive cookery session for parents/carers and children. Come along and create some tasty, healthy, and nutritious meals and snacks.

Little Explorers

A fun, stimulating and interactive play, learning and development session. This is based on Parents as the First Teachers model and supports families to build attachment and positive parenting behaviours; strengthen parent-child interaction within the Early Home Learning Environment; support school readiness.

Little Treasures (Kings Meadow)

Support your child's early learning through treasure baskets, songs and stories!

Midwife Clinic

Clinics are facilitated by the NHS on an appointment basis, made directly through your GP/midwife.

Sefton Family Hubs

Universal Sessions

Bumps, Babies and Little Ones 0-5: Support For All

Parent Ed Classes

Bookings to be made through your midwife.

Pre-school Storytime (Crosby Library)

Storytime for preschool children, where you can bond with your child through the magic of reading and get to know what types of stories you can read with your child at home. Drop-in sessions run in Crosby Library. Sessions are for babies from birth to crawling. No booking required.

Smoke Free Pregnancy

Appointment sessions giving you advice and guidance on how to stop smoking throughout your pregnancy.

Top Tots (18months+) (Kings Meadow)

A physical fun activity session to encourage the expression of large motor skills. Sessions are suitable for toddlers aged 18month+ No booking required.

Well Baby Clinic

This is a 1-1 session with health visitors for baby weighing and to discuss anything that is concerning parents regarding their child's development. Appointments only.

Sefton Family Hubs

Targeted Group Programmes

Bumps, Babies and Little Ones 0-5: Targeted Support

Children's Continence Nurse

Appointment only. The service provides advice and support to children and young people with:

- Toilet Training issues
- Constipation and soiling
- Daytime and Night-time wetting
- Children and young people with additional and complex needs who may require a continence containment product.

Sefton Family Hubs

Universal Sessions

Fearless, Fun and Active 6-11: Support For All

Art Attack (8yrs - 11yrs)

Come along for a fun afternoon of arts and crafts! We encourage children to explore their artistic creativity, with sessions aiming to provide a calm environment to relieve stress whilst they engage in a range of fun art activities. All children aged 8-11 are welcome, drop-in sessions.

Relax Kids

Relax Kids group sessions are beneficial for children who may be experiencing anxiety, low self-esteem and/ or lack of confidence. Sessions are aimed at children and teens aged 4- 16 years.

Tiger Hill Playground (Hudson)

A playground designed with safety in mind, providing a secure environment for children to explore and play.
Drop-in

Sefton Family Hubs

Targeted Group Programmes

Fearless, Fun and Active 6-11: Targeted Support

103-1 : Healing Together Children and Young People

This 6-week programme has been put together by clinical and trauma informed experts to ensure children affected by domestic abuse are able to access early trauma informed help. Each session has been carefully crafted so children can learn about how their body and brain works together, their feelings, senses and strategies they can use to help their body and brain feel safe. The programme, delivered remotely or face to face, is suitable for children aged 5-16 years and can be delivered on a 1:1 or group basis.

Aiming High

The Aiming High team delivers a wide range of activities for children and young people aged 5 – 19 with additional support needs or disabilities. Sessions are led by highly experienced team members who work alongside our Family Hubs to hold sessions.

Sefton Family Hubs

Targeted Group Programmes

Fearless, Fun and Active 6-11: Targeted Support

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 - Constipation and soiling
 - Daytime and Night-time wetting
 - Children and young people with additional and complex needs who may require a continence containment product.

Draw & Talk

12 weeks of one-to-one therapeutic session for children and young people (aged 5-19) who have experienced trauma, loss or who have underlying emotional difficulties.

MHST (Mental Health Support Team) 1-1 Sessions

The Team offer support to children and young people who are experiencing: low mood, worry, anxiety and avoidance, sleep difficulties. Referrals come directly from schools.

Sefton Family Hubs

Targeted Group Programmes

Fearless, Fun and Active 6-11: Targeted Support

Neurodiversity

1 to 1 sessions with a specialist for children with emerging characteristics of neurodiverse conditions. Gain advice to support your child's development in a more private environment, including Autism, ADHD, sensory integration, social communication and much more. Call to book.

Portage Play

Monthly support play sessions for parents and children with special educational needs or disabilities.

Riding the Rapids (Primary)

10 -week parenting course for parents of children and young people who have a diagnosis of Autism and /or learning disabilities. Riding the Rapids targets areas to reduce challenging behaviour and improve the quality of life and emotional well-being of children and their families / carers. Primary and secondary groups available.

Umbrella Stay & Play

For children with emerging characteristics of neurodiverse conditions. Gain advice to support your child's development including Autism, ADHD, sensory integration, social communication and much more. General sessions last for 1 hour and 30-minutes, with 1-1 slots also available to book.

Sefton Family Hubs

Targeted Group Programmes

Fearless, Fun and Active 6-11: Targeted Support

VENUS

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Career Connect

Drop-in session for teens providing career advice, guidance, and support.

C-Card Drop In (13-24) (Litherland)

The C Card is a card available to young people aged 13 to 24 years old, providing FREE condoms. You can be of any sexuality, and you do not have to be sexually active to have a C-card. 30-minute slot

ELSA Sessions (Hudson)

6-week emotional well-being sessions to Improve Emotional Regulation, Enhance Social Skills and Increased Confidence. Call to book.

Relax Kids

Relax Kids group sessions are beneficial for children who may be experiencing anxiety, low self-esteem and/ or lack of confidence. Sessions are aimed at children and teens aged 4- 16 years.

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Aiming High

The Aiming High team delivers a wide range of activities for children and young people aged 5 – 19 with additional support needs or disabilities. Sessions are led by highly experienced team members who work alongside our Family Hubs to hold sessions.

DBT Group (CAMHS)

Dialectical Behaviour Therapy (DBT) with CAMHS – for children and young people up to the age of 18. The ultimate goal of DBT is to help you "break free" of seeing the world, your relationships and your life in a very narrow, rigid way that leads you to engage in harmful and self-destructive behaviour. Following assessment, CAMHS can offer interventions on a range of mental health difficulties.

Interpersonal Adolescent Therapy (IPT-A)

Therapeutic sessions for 13–19-year-olds struggling with depression. The programme aims to improve interpersonal relationships & communication skills, and to reduce the frequency/intensity of depression symptoms. 12-week, 1-1 sessions.

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MHST (Mental Health Support Team) 1-1 Sessions

The Team offer support to children and young people who are experiencing: low mood, worry, anxiety and avoidance, sleep difficulties. Referrals come directly from schools.

Riding the Rapids (Teen)

10-week parenting courses for parents of young people who have a diagnosis of Autism and / or complex needs, including learning disabilities. Riding the Rapids targets areas to reduce challenging behaviour and improve the quality of life and emotional well-being of children and their families / carers. 2-hour sessions.

Sefton CAMHS (Marie Clarke)

Sefton Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS) are our children's mental health specialists from Alder Hey. Some of the issues they can help with are anxiety, attachment difficulties, behaviour problems, depressions, OCD, psychosis, PTSD, self-harm and more complex psychological difficulties. The service works with the young people, parents, carers and partner agencies to make sure that the right care is provided to each individual, depending on their needs and circumstances. Appointments are given through referral from a professional.

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Coffee Morning

Drop-in and have a cuppa & a chat with our friendly early help workers for advice & guidance regarding any issues (positive or negative). All are welcome.

Dad's Club (Kings Meadow)

This is a drop-in group for dads/male carers with children aged 0-11. It gives you a chance to connect with other dads and speak to support staff.

DWP Drop In

The DWP provide tailored practical support to families open to Early Help. The team will offer information, advice and guidance to families wanting benefits support.

Integrated Care Team

Drop-in session for adults providing support and guidance for families who have health or social care needs

Positive Parenting Course

Join us to gain strategies on how to manage your child's behaviour. Booking required.

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Universal Sessions Families

Sleep Clinic

Top tips for children to get a good night's sleep.

Supporting Families

Working with families to overcome barriers in finding work, providing different options and avenues you can take in order to do so, and identifying any training that will help you into the workplace. Sessions run at the Job Centre.

Team Around the School Coffee Morning

Team Around the School offer support to families in Sefton bringing professionals from health, education, social care and more together in one place around a single school to better support families. They host a drop in coffee morning for parents/carers they work with to chat through any support they might need. These sessions are for families whose children attend schools in the Team Around the School project. Check with the headteacher of your school to learn more about the offer in your school.

Trinity Wellness

A programme designed for mums focussing on mental, physical and emotional wellbeing. Enjoy physical exercise, coaching, relaxation techniques and much more! Children welcome. 1 hour 30-minute sessions.

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Caring Dads

The programme is suitable for males using harmful and abusive behaviours within the family unit. The programme is designed using a Cognitive Behavioural Therapy (CBT) model which provides men with understanding and insight into domestically abusive behaviours, and how these impact on children and their mother. 2-hour session. All referrals through Brighter Kinder Futures at brighterkinderfutures@sefton.gov.uk

Incredible Years

A 14-week parenting group (of children aged 2-10) which aims to strengthen parenting skills by developing techniques which support positive child behaviour focusing on play, interaction, praise, and rewards. Aims to increase children's social skills, emotional language as well as parents and child's relationship.

IY Parenting Course

One to one parent course (with children aged 2-10) which aims to strengthen parenting skills by developing techniques to support positive child behaviour by focusing on play, interaction, praise, and rewards. Supports parenting techniques of effective limit setting, consequence and problem solving. Increases children's social skills and emotional language as well as your relationship with your child.

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Lighthouse Project

This group is about the emotional side of being a parent. We help you build your own skills for seeing and understanding the feelings your baby has, so that you can know how to respond best to what your unique baby needs. Closed Group - 20-week course

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Adults

Family Advice & Guidance

The team provide impartial and confidential information, advice and support to families.

Healthy Start Vitamins (1:1)

Pregnant women, women with a child under 12 months, and children aged up to 4 years who are receiving Healthy Start vouchers are entitled to free Healthy Start vitamins. Healthy Start vitamins contain vitamins A, C and D for children aged from birth to 4 years, and folic acid and vitamins C and D for pregnant and breastfeeding women. Drop in and pick up your free 8-week supply of NHS Healthy Start vitamin tablets or drops.

Household into Work

A session for advice and guidance on how to return to work when unemployed, how to access courses and general support into the workplace.

Life's For Living Parent Support Group

Join our support group for parents and carers with children who have special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND). Chat with some of our support staff members and other parents with SEND children. Drop-in sessions, first Wednesday of each month.

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Adults

Light For Life

Advice sessions to help with housing. To book, call 01704 501 256

PEEP (Learning Together)

The 5-week programme will support parents and carers with their early learning and development. The programme will focus on the 5 key strands of early years development: Personal, Social and Emotional Development (PSED), Communication and Language (CL), Early Literacy (EL), Early Maths (EM), and Health and Physical Development (HPD) embedding opportunity, recognition, interaction and modelling.

Sefton Carers 1-1

1-1 advice sessions for carers to discuss general thoughts and concerns with a professional. Appointment only.

Sefton Carers Coffee Morning

All carers are welcome to drop-in to our coffee morning groups for general advice, support, or to meet other carers.

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Universal Sessions

Adults

Sefton Parent Carer Panel

“Your Voice Matters”: Meets monthly face to face. The forum will ensure parents and carers the opportunity to share their views and help to shape services for families in our Family Hubs.

SWACA (Men)

Session for men, providing support for surviving the impact of domestic abuse through practical and emotional help. Facilitated by one of our partners.

SWACA (Women)

Session for women, providing support for surviving the impact of domestic abuse through practical and emotional help. Facilitated by one of our partners.

Tea & Toast

Drop-in to any of our tea and toast sessions for a welcoming family space to discuss the ups and downs of being a parent/carer with other like-minded parents and support staff. The team provide impartial and confidential information, advice and support to families.

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Universal Sessions Adults

Volunteer Programme

The 4-week volunteer programme will be delivered to individuals who are interested in volunteering at the Family Hubs. The course will increase their knowledge on the role of a volunteer, safeguarding and benefits of volunteering.

Youth Connect 5 in Transit

This 5-week programme is aimed at parents with children Transitioning from primary to secondary school. This time can be an exciting and anxious time for both children and parents. The course gives parents and carers the knowledge, skills and understanding to help children develop strong emotional wellbeing through resilience-building techniques.

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ACE Recovery Adult Programme

A 10-week programme for individuals who have experienced or live with adverse childhood experiences. The programme will help to build your resilience, manage your emotions, help you to develop better coping strategies, support a healthy lifestyle and strengthen positive relationships. Please speak to your lead professional to be referred. 3-hour sessions

Cancer Navigator

The Navigating Cancer Together support group is a non-tumour specific cancer support group for over 18s. Places are available for self-enrolment, or referral via your doctor. To confirm your place, please call 07593 585 975 or 0151 920 0726

Early Bird Plus Parent Programme

This is a support programme created by the National Autistic Society (NAS), offering advice and guidance to parents and carers on strategies and approaches to working with children with autism spectrum conditions.

Family Law Advice

Appointment sessions with one of our partners to provide help and support with family law and to discuss any concerns. Appointments run on the first Wednesday of each month.

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Healing Together

This 6-week programme has been put together by clinical and trauma informed experts to ensure children affected by domestic abuse are able to access early trauma informed help. Each session has been carefully crafted so that parents and carers can learn about how their body and brain works together, their feelings and senses. Along with strategies they can use to help themselves and the children and young people they care for, make the body and brain feel safe. 45-60 minute 1-1 sessions

PACEs

The "Think ACE Create PACES" lived experience group aims is to deliver workshops to professionals working with children, young people and families across Sefton on the principle of trauma informed practice. Our mission is to ensure individuals who have experienced trauma are identified early and practitioners know how to respond to ACE's and Trauma effectively.

Phoenix Healing CIC

This is a group for women who have experienced domestic abuse. The group facilitates the Freedom programme, which provides support for breaking the cycle of domestic abuse. Booking required.

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Sefton Welfare Rights

For more information and appointments, email welfarerights.advice@sefton.gov.uk

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