

Work stream 1 – EHC Questions

Social Needs Questions for use by Education, Health and Care Plan Professionals during a review or transition meeting to generate a conversation about the social needs of a family.

To ask Carer

1. What social activities does your child/young person do outside of school?
 - a. During the Week
 - b. Weekends
 - c. During the School Holiday
2. Does your child/young person have the opportunity to meet with family and friends during the week?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No why?
3. What sort of activities would you like your child/young person do outside of school?
4. What sort of leisure activities do you do as a family?
5. Apart from when your child/young person is at school, do you ever have the opportunity to have a break from your caring role?
 - a. Never
 - b. Seldom
 - c. Sometimes
 - d. Often
6. Do you have a family and friends living close by that can help out?
7. Do you have access to a car or live near to good transport links?
8. If there are any other children/young people in the family, do you feel their social needs are affected by your child's disability?

To ask the C&YP (supported by widgeit tool kit)

1. What do you like to do to have fun?
2. Is there something new you would like to try/find out about?
3. Is there anything you would be worried about trying?
4. How can we help you to try these things?

Key Aim is to produce at least one (ideally 3) social outcomes which can be put on the child's EHC Plan within Sections D & H.

